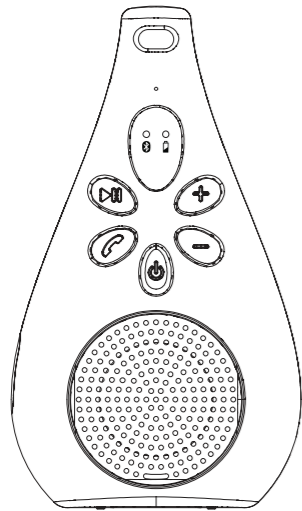


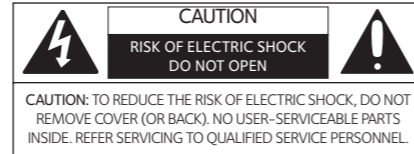
## SMI438BT INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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## Warnings



**DANGEROUS VOLTAGE:** The lightning flash with arrowhead symbol within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of uninsulated dangerous voltage within the product's enclosure that may be of sufficient magnitude to constitute a risk of electric shock to persons.



**ATTENTION:** The exclamation point within an equilateral triangle is intended to alert the user to the presence of important operating and maintenance (servicing) instructions in the literature accompanying this product.

### FCC WARNING:

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

**Warning:** Changes or modifications to this unit not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

**WARNING:** TO PREVENT FIRE OR SHOCK HAZARD, DO NOT EXPOSE THIS UNIT TO DIRECT WATER FLOW.

**NOTE:** This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference in a residential installation. This equipment generates, uses and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/TV technician for help.
- The rating information is located at the bottom of the unit.

### INDUSTRY CANADA NOTICE:

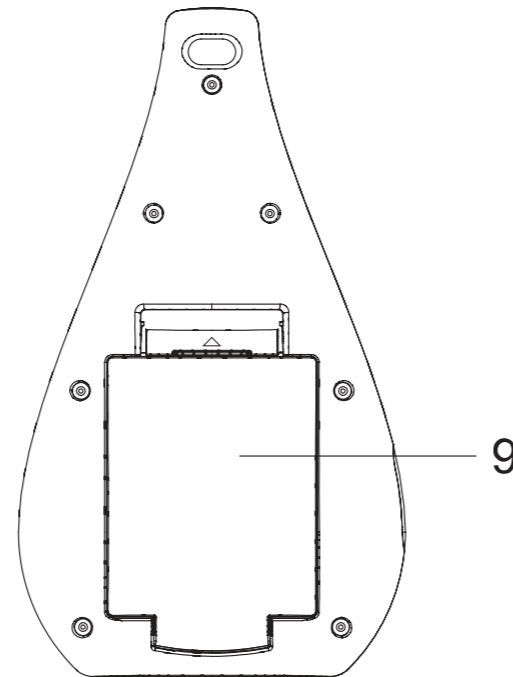
This device complies with Industry Canada license-exempt RSS standard(s).

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2. This device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.

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## Location of Controls



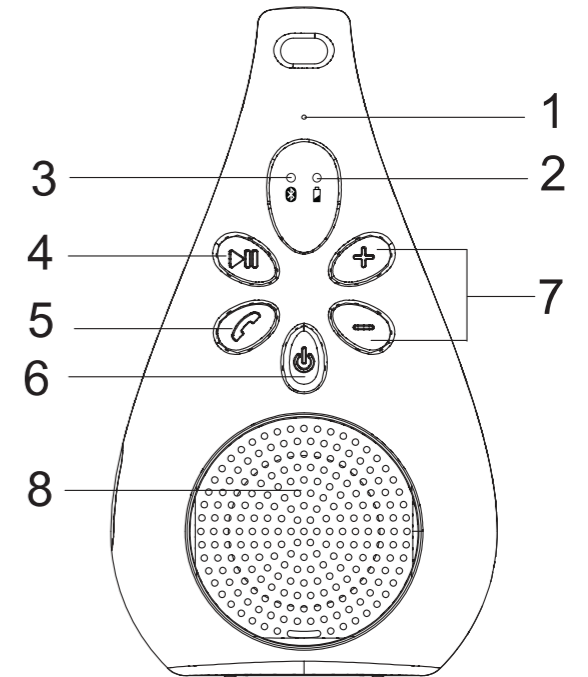
9. Battery Compartment Door

## Important Safety Information

1. Read these Instructions.
2. Keep these Instructions.
3. Heed all Warnings.
4. Follow all Instructions.
5. Clean only with a dry cloth.
6. Do not block any of the ventilation openings. Install in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.
7. Do not install near any heat sources such as radiators, heat registers, stoves, or other apparatus (including amplifiers) that produce heat.
8. Only use attachments/accessories specified by the manufacturer.
9. Use only with a cart, stand, tripod, bracket, or table specified by the manufacturer, or sold with the apparatus. When a cart is used, use caution when moving the cart/apparatus combination to avoid injury from tip-over.
10. Unplug this apparatus during lightning storms or when unused for long periods of time.
11. Refer all servicing to qualified service personnel. Servicing is required when the apparatus has been damaged in any way, such as power-supply cord or plug is damaged, liquid has been spilled or objects have fallen into the apparatus, the apparatus has been exposed to rain or moisture, does not operate normally, or has been dropped.
12. **CAUTION:** To reduce the risk of fire or explosion, do not expose batteries to excessive heat such as sunshine, fire or other heat sources.



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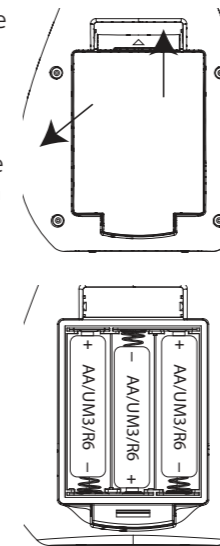


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| 1. Microphone                           | 5. Receive Call/ Transfer Call/ Redial Call/ End Call |
| 2. Battery Low Indicator                | 6. Power On/Off Button                                |
| 3. Bluetooth Indicator                  | 7. Volume +/- Buttons                                 |
| 4. Bluetooth Pairing/ Play/Pause Button | 8. Speaker  |

## Installation

### Installing Batteries

1. Open the Battery Compartment door on the rear of the unit by lifting the tab and then pulling the battery compartment outwards.
2. Insert three (3) AA/UM-3/R6 batteries into the Battery Compartment as shown. Be sure to observe the polarity markings which are engraved inside the battery compartment. Alkaline batteries are recommended for the longest playing time.
3. Close the battery compartment door and snap the tab back in place.



When the batteries are low, the Battery Low indicator will blink three times rapidly with a triple beep every minute. The unit will turn off automatically when the battery is too low to operate the unit.

**CAUTION:** Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type.

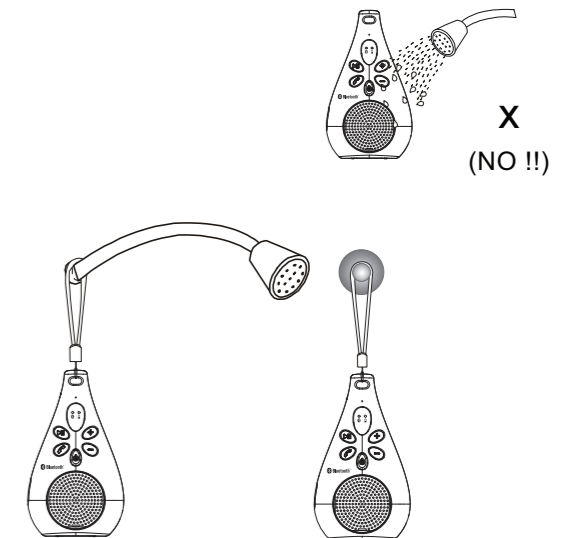
### BATTERY PRECAUTIONS

Follow these precautions when using batteries in this device:

1. Warning - Danger of explosion if battery is incorrectly replaced. Replace only with the same or equivalent type.
2. Use only the size and type of batteries specified.
3. Be sure to follow the correct polarity when installing the batteries as indicated in the battery compartment. A reversed battery may cause damage to the device.
4. Do not mix different types of batteries together (e.g. Alkaline, Rechargeable and Carbon-zinc) or old batteries with fresh ones.
5. If the device is not to be used for a long period of time, remove the batteries to prevent damage or injury from possible battery leakage.
6. Do not try to recharge a battery not intended to be recharged; it can overheat and rupture. (Follow battery manufacturer's directions.)
7. Remove batteries promptly if consumed.
8. Clean the battery contacts and also those of the device prior to battery installation.

## Installation

### Speaker Placement



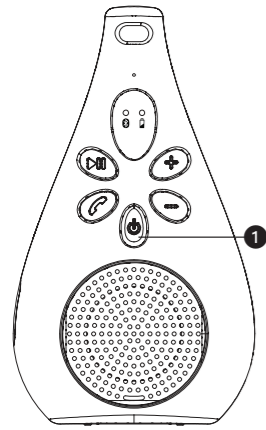
This speaker is supplied with a strap to hang it from a shower pipe, faucet, or hook on the back of the bathroom door.



**CAUTION: DO NOT HANG THE SPEAKER FROM A SHOWER PIPE THAT IS SLOPING DOWNWARD. THE SPEAKER COULD SLIDE FORWARD AND FALL OFF THE PIPE, RESULTING IN PERSONAL INJURY, DAMAGE TO THE SPEAKER, OR BOTH. IF YOU USE THE STRAP TO HANG THE SPEAKER MAKE SURE THAT IT IS IN A SECURE LOCATION AND THAT IT WILL NOT MOVE.**

**Note:** Although this speaker is water resistant, it must not be placed in the direct path of the shower stream.

## Operation

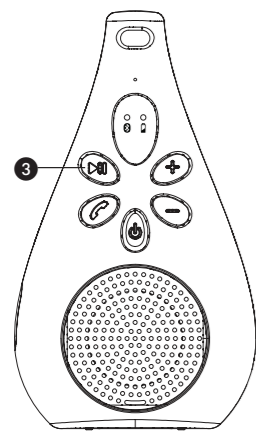
### Pairing a Bluetooth Device



- 1 Press the Power On/Off  button to turn the unit on, the Bluetooth  indicator will start blinking rapidly to indicate it is in Pairing mode.
- 2 On the Bluetooth device, enable Bluetooth and select "SHOWER SPEAKER" from the Device List. (For detailed instructions specific to your device, please refer to the device's user manual.) If the Bluetooth device prompts for a passcode, use "0000". Some Bluetooth devices will ask you to accept the connection.

#### To Pair Another Device:

If the pairing fails, or to pair another device, perform the following:



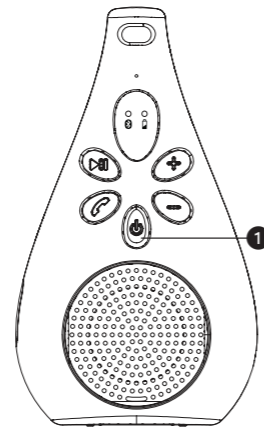
- 3 Press and hold the Bluetooth Pairing/Play/Pause  button until the Bluetooth indicator blinks quickly to enter the Pairing mode. On the Bluetooth device, enable Bluetooth and select "SHOWER SPEAKER" from the Device List (see Step 2 above).


On some devices such as computers, once paired you must select the unit from the Bluetooth menu and choose "Use as Audio Device (stereo)" or similar.

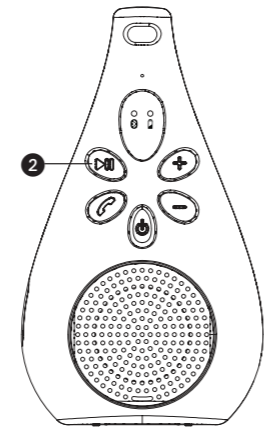
Pairing remains intact when the unit and/or your Bluetooth device is taken out of communication range. An active connection will be re-established when your Bluetooth device returns within range.


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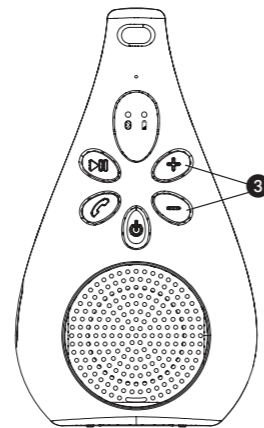
### Using a Bluetooth Device



- 1 Press the Power On/Off  button to turn the SMI438BT on. With a unit paired (see previous section), operate your Bluetooth device and its sound will be heard through the SMI438BT's speaker.



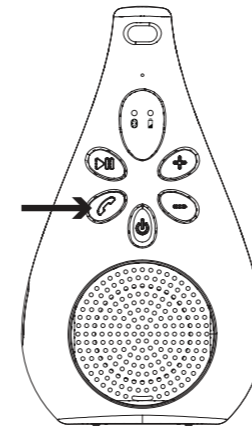
- 2 Press the Bluetooth Pairing/Play/Pause  button to pause playback. Press again to resume playback.



- 3 Adjust the volume using the Volume +/- buttons. You can also adjust the volume on the device to which you are paired.






## Operation

### Receiving/Dialing a Phone Call



This unit is equipped with a built-in microphone (located on the front panel above the indicators), which allows you to make or end calls with a connected mobile phone through this unit. Make sure your Bluetooth-enabled mobile phone is paired with the unit. When there is an incoming call to the connected mobile phone, you can do the following:

#### To Use This Feature:

1. Press the  button to answer the incoming call.
2. Press the  button again to end call.
3. To reject the incoming call, press and hold the  button.
4. To transfer the sound between the mobile phone and the unit, press and hold the  button during a call.
5. To redial the last number retained in the memory of the mobile phone, press the  button twice.


#### Notes:

- Re-dialing function is unavailable if there is no dial record feature in your mobile phone.
- This unit will not operate or may operate improperly with some Bluetooth mobile phones/audio players.
- If the conversation is not clear, try to move closer to the microphone (located on the front panel above the indicators).

## Troubleshooting Guide

Should this unit exhibit a problem, check the following before seeking service:


#### No Power

- Power is not on; press the Power On/Off  button to turn the power on.
- Make sure the batteries are inserted correctly.

#### No Sound – General

- External device's volume is set to minimum; raise volume.
- The SMI438BT's volume is set to minimum; raise volume.

#### The Bluetooth device cannot pair or connect with the unit.

- You have not activated the Bluetooth function of your device. Refer to the user manual of your device to activate the Bluetooth function.
- The unit is not in pairing mode. Press and hold the Bluetooth Pairing/Play/Pause  button until the Bluetooth indicator blinks fast.
- The unit is already connected with another Bluetooth device; disconnect that device and then try again.

#### Unit acts erratically or does not react when buttons are pressed.

- Remove batteries, wait 20 seconds. Re-insert batteries and turn the unit on again.

## Specifications

#### GENERAL

Dimensions ..... 3.54 X 2.36 X 6.14 inches (9 x 6 x 15.6 cm)

Weight ..... 0.37 lbs (0.17 kg)

#### POWER SUPPLY

Power ..... DC 4.5V 3 x AA/UM-3/R6 batteries (not included)

Operating time ..... Approx. 14 hours at .....max. volume with new Alkaline batteries

#### BLUETOOTH

Bluetooth Version ..... V4.0

Working Distance ..... Up to 10 m (33 ft) measured in open space ..... (wall and structures may affect range of device)

Specifications are subject to change without notice.

## Limited Warranty and Service

THE SINGING MACHINE COMPANY, INC. warrants this product to be free from defects in material and workmanship for a period of ninety (90) days from date of sale to the original consumer purchaser. Product will be repaired or replaced with a new or reconditioned product at no additional charge if it is proven to be defective within the ninety (90) day period when said product is returned at customer expense within the warranty period. THIS WARRANTY DOES NOT COVER ANY EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE REMOVAL AND REINSTALLATION OF THIS PRODUCT.

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