Installing Bob Weigels new keyboard contacts



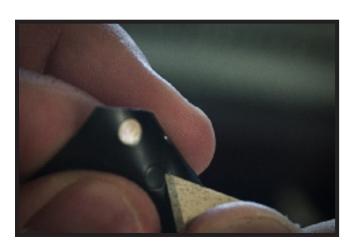
The patient. In this case a Korg Mono/ Poly. Identiy and make note of the problem keys.



2 The circuit board with the contacts exposed. You might want to clean the gold contacts gently with a paper towel. Make sure everything is clean.



3 The new contacts.



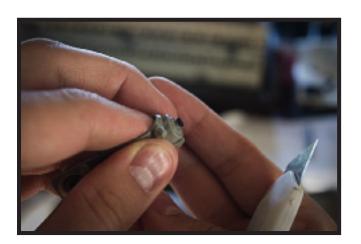
4 Carefully slide a sharp knife in at the edge of one contact. Be sure not to dig too far in, or you'll get UNDER the 3M adhesive. I did this once, and still managed to get the contact off the adhesive, but just be aware.:)



5 One contact, keep it just at the edge/tip of the knife.



Carefully attach the contact over the old one. Pressing the thumb on the contact while sliding the knife away from under it worked for me. Maybe one or two times did the disc fly off, but other than that it went fine.



The new contact installed! You'll hardly notice it's there, but it makes a big difference, now my Mono/Poly sings fine again;). Put everything together and check that the problem keys work now. If not, you might need to clean the gold contacts on the circuit board. A last solution could be to put a nylon washer on the keys, to ensure that it travels far enough down.

For more information about the contacts, and how to order them, visit http://sounddoctorin.com/synthtec/parts/key.htm