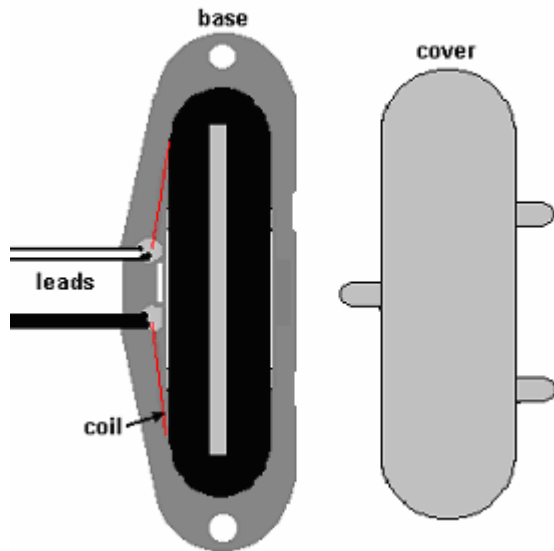


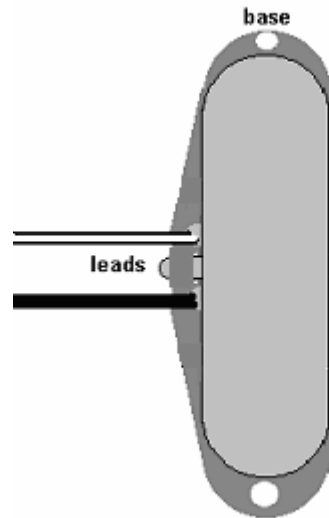
## To UNGROUND/REGROUND the Tele neck pup

Here's a typical Tele neck pup with a metal cover. This has the traditional-style separate leads, which are the coil's hot (here in **white**) and negative (here in **black**).

**TOP VIEW: Tele pup and cover**

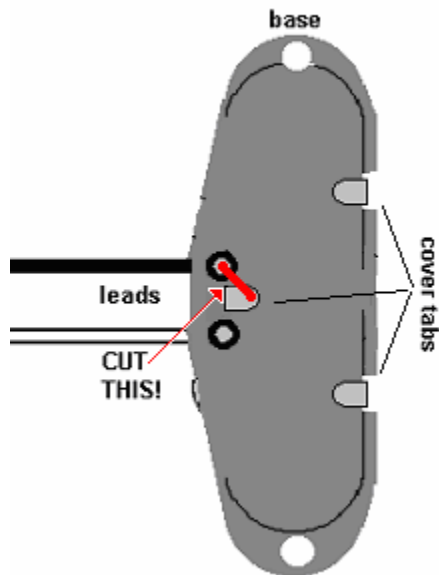


**TOP VIEW: Tele pup assembled**

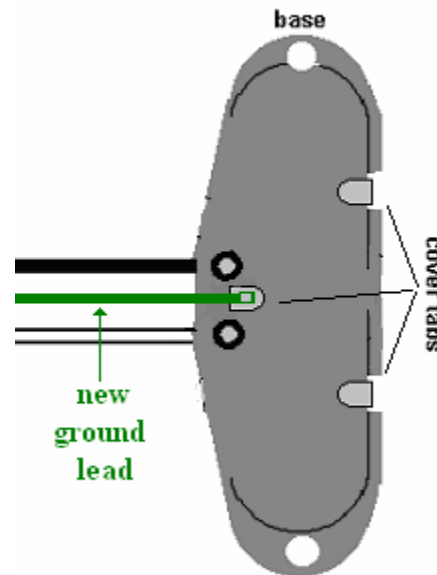


From the bottom, you should see a jumper (shown in RED) that goes from the coil's negative lead to a tab of the metal cover. Clip it, and add the new ground wire for the cover (here in green), with the other end of this ground wire soldered to GROUND in the control cavity - NOT with the neck pup's ground lead on the pickup selector switch.

**BOTTOM VIEW**



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The alignment of your pup's leads may differ from the drawing, and may be different colors, but as long as you find the coil's **NEGATIVE** lead and its jumper to the cover (shown in RED), you should be able to accomplish the "unground/regrounding" of the metal cover.

WHY? With ANY setting on a Tele where the pups are in series OR the neck pup is phase-reversed, if you have a "stock" neck pup with a metal cover, you will want to "un-ground/re-ground" the cover. This is desirable because with the stock wiring, the cover USUALLY has continuity with the neck coil's "-" lead, and that means that when you have the pickups playing in series or out of phase combinations, the cover is actually is on the "hot" side of the signal.