WELT POCKET II

This pocket is suitable for garments made from heavier fabrics, such as wool coats or jackets. There is no visible stitching on the pocket opening.

Stabilizing: Fuse interfacing to pocket welt and to wrong side of pocket opening area on front panel.

1. Stitch upper and lower parts of inner pocket piece right sides together and press seam open.

2. Stitch guide stitching for pocket opening on front panel with straight stitch (cut out portion of pocket opening from pattern for front and use pattern as template for stitching).

3. Fold pocket welt in half wrong sides together. Stitch folded welt to edge of pocket opening closest to center-front on front panel, right sides together; make sure to stitch along guide stitching and to start and end stitching at seamlines along ends of pocket welt.

4. Pin straight edge of outer pocket piece along edge of pocket welt right sides together and stitch it in place along previous stitching line.

5. Pin inner pocket piece to the other edge of pocket opening right sides together and stitch it in place along guide stitching.

6. Slash pocket opening and clip diagonally to corners of guide stitching at both ends of pocket opening, observing pattern markings.

7. Fold both pocket pieces to wrong side. Understitch all seam allowances at welt-side edge of pocket opening to outer pocket piece close to seamline.

8. Pin triangles, formed at each end of pocket opening, to pocket welt and stitch ends of pocket opening along guide stitching.

9. Pin and stitch edges of inner and outer pocket pieces right sides together.