OPERATOR'S AID

RADIO RECEIVER SET DIRECTION FINDER SET

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POWER UP SYSTEM

Check POWER terminal on all three units to ensure the protective cap is securely in place.

RECEIVER

Volume Turn clockwise until it clicks, then turn to

midrange.

Counter Off/

Display Intensit y

Bat Test Press/release pushbutton. If lamp lights,

Turn to first position after DISPLAY OFF.

batteries are good.

DF PROCESSOR

Off/Omni/

Set to DF.

DF/CAL Display off

Set to first position after Display Off.

/Display Intensity

Sat Test Press/release pushbutton. If lamp lights,

batteries are good.

SIGNAL MONITOR

On/Power Set to On.

Inten Turn clockwise/counterclockwise until CRT

display is visable.

Bat Test Press/release pushbutton. If lamp lights,

batteries are good.

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PRESET CONTROLS ON DIRECTION FINDER UNITS

RECEIVER

Band (MHz) Set to band designated by mission.

Mode Set to detection mode designated by

mission.

DAFC set to off.

IF Bandwidth Set to bandwidth designated by mission.

(k Hz) If unknown, set to 50 kHz.

RF Gain AGC - Turn clockwise until it clicks.

MANUAL - Rotate fully counterclockwise, then rotate slowly clockwise to increase signal strength. (For

automatic gain control, rotate clockwise until it clicks.)

Tune Rotate clockwise and counterclockwise

and observe frequencies tracking up and

down.

Squelch Turn fully clockwise, then turn counter-

clockwise until noise and static stop.

Fine Tune Set receiver to A M or FM detection mode.

Then set Fine Tune to midrange. Then rotate the Fine Tune 10 sec if frequencies

track up and down.

BFO Set receiver to LSB/CW or USB/CW

detection mode. Rotate BFO and observe frequencies tracking up and

down.

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DF PROCESSOR

Off/Omni

Set to CAL.

DF/CAL

Band (MHz) Set the same as the Receiver.

Integ Time Set to 0.5, 1.0, or 2.0 seconds.

Zero Adj Set to 000 in the 80-250 MHz band and

180 in the 20-80 and 250-500 MHz bands.

Off/Omni DF/CAL Set to DF.

IF Bandwidth

Same as Receiver.

(kHz)

Integ Time Set to GATED.

Tune (RCVR) To a frequency with no signal present.

Gated Threshold Set fully clockwise, then counterclockwise

until the lamp goes off. Then stop.

SIGNAL MONITOR

Sweep Rate Turn fully clockwise.

SM Gain Turn fully counterclockwise.

Sweep Width Turn fully counterclockwise.

Marker Set to ON.

Focus Turn until signals are seen clearly.

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PRESET CONTROLS ON DIRECTION FINDER UNITS

SIGNAL MONITOR - cont'd

Sweep Width Turn fully counterclockwise.

Center Frea Turn until the line on the screen reaches

maximum height.

Sweep Width Turn fully clockwise and then one-fourth

turn counterclockwise.

SM Gain Turn clockwise until a baseline of small

noise and static signals appear on the

screen.

Sweep Reverse Set to DOWN for 12-30 MHz 20-80 MHz

and 250-500 MHz. Set to UP for .5-12 MHz

and 80-250 MHz

The noise and static pipe should move Tune (RCVR)

> from left to right when the Receiver is tuned clockwise. They should move from right to left when the Receiver is tuned counterclockwise. If not. reverse the position of the Sweep

Reverse switch.

(During sustained operations, if your controls will not function properly on any unit, the first step is to conduct the battery test again on that unit to ensure the battery has not discharged below the minimum voltage level required to power the unit.)

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