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SUPERGROUP CARRIER SUPPLY

MODULATOR TRANSISTOR PERFORMANCE TEST

In the L1860A multiplex terminals, the carrier frequencies (Fig. 1) for supergroups D25 through D28 are derived from the 1040-kHz output of the 80-kHz harmonic generator and the carrier frequencies of supergroups 15, 16, 17, and 18, respectively. In the D25, D26, and D28 modulators, two transistors in a balanced switching arrangement mix signals. The D27 modulator is different in that mixing is accomplished by a balanced diode modulator feeding a one-transistor amplifier. The output of each modulator is fed to individual distribution modules, selected by one half section of a supergroup carrier supply filter, amplified, refiltered by the second half section of the carrier filter, and reamplified by the power amplifier for connection to the supergroup distribution buses. A lamp associated with each distribution module provides an output failure indication when lighted.

The working conditions of the transistors in the supergroup carrier supply modulators are determined on an in-service basis by checking the emitter current. The voltage drop across a resistor in the emitter circuit is measured.

This section is reissued to change the volt-ohm-milliammeter negative (-) lead connection to reduce the possibility of a service interruption during test. Arrows are used to indicate significant changes. Equipment Test Lists are not affected.

APPARATUS:

Volt-Ohm-Milliammeter (VOM) KS-14510 or suitable dc voltmeter with a sensitivity of at least 20,000 ohms per volt.

STEP	PROCEDURE
1	Remove the front-panel cable duct coverplate adjacent to the left side of supergroup carrier supply unit J68857C to expose terminal board TB40.
2	Set the VOM selector switch to the 3 DC VOLTS position.
3	\bullet Make patch (1) in Fig. 2 on the supergroup carrier supply distribution module associated with the carrier supply modulator to be tested.
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STEP	PROCEDURE
	Note: Connect test lead to the VOM first and then connect test lead to the appropriate COM 2 test point.
4	Refer to Table A and determine the proper terminal for the carrier supply modulator to be tested.
	Caution: Shorting of the terminal board lugs in the following step will cause a service interruption.
5	Make patch (2) in Fig. 2 at terminal board TB40.
	Note: Observe meter polarity when connecting the VOM test leads.
6	Measure the dc voltage of the carrier supply modulator under test.
	Requirement: Between +0.5 and +2.0 Vdc
7	Proceed to Step 10 if the requirement is met. Otherwise, perform the following steps, as necessary, to meet the requirement.
8	Make tests on associated supergroups 15, 16, 17, and 18 as prescribed in Section 356-270-503.
9	Perform trouble location procedures in accordance with Section 356-270-505.
10	Remove patches (1) and (2) in Fig. 2.
11	Repeat Steps 3 through 10 for each carrier supply modulator to be tested.
12	Replace the front-panel cable duct coverplate removed in Step 1.

VOM TEST LEAD CONNECTION		
SUPERGROUP CARRIER SUPPLY MODULATOR	TB40 TERMINAL POSITIVE (+)	
D25	11	
D26	10	
D27	9	
D28	8	

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Fig. 2— Measurements at Supergroup Carrier Supply J68857C4

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