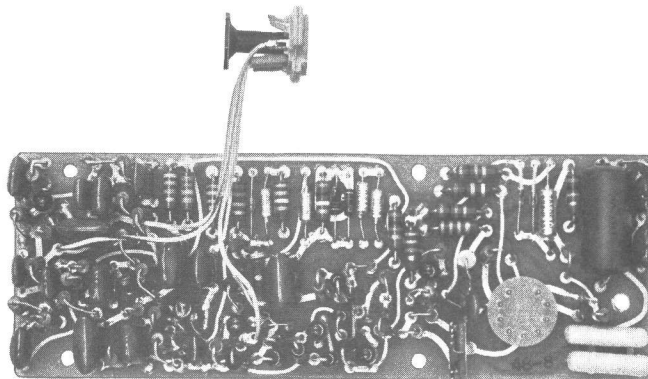


MAINTENANCE MANUAL

CHANNEL GUARD ENCODER/DECODER MODELS 4EK14B10 & 4EK14B11

CHANNEL GUARD DECODE ONLY (OPTION 8026)

TONE REJECT FILTER 19C317355 - G2



SPECIFICATIONS *

Used with 4EK14B10	MASTR [®] Progress Line Executive Series, Royal Executive Mobile and Station Combinations and MASTR Executive II Mobile and Station Combinations
4EK14B11	MASTR Progress Line Custom Executive Mobile Combinations
Tone Frequencies	71.9 to 203.5 Hertz
Encoder Distortion	Less than 3%
Decoder Response	±1.5 dB from 71.9 to 203.5 Hertz (100 Hz Ref.)
Power Requirements	10 VDC @ 50 Milliamperes
Number of Silicon transistors	8
Temperature Range	-30°C to +60°C (-22°F to 144°F)

These specifications are intended primarily for the use of the serviceman. Refer to the appropriate Specification Sheet for the complete specifications.

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WARNING

No one should be permitted to handle any portion of the equipment that is supplied with high voltage; or to connect any external apparatus to the units while the units are supplied with power. KEEP AWAY FROM LIVE CIRCUITS.

DESCRIPTION

General Electric Channel Guard Models 4EK14B10 and 4EK14B11 are fully transistorized Encoder/Decoder.

The encoder function provides coded tone modulation for the transmitter.

The decoder function is used with the receiver to eliminate all calls that are not tone coded for the Channel Guard frequency.

The tone frequencies are controlled by plug-in tone networks that are made with precision components for excellent stability and reliability. The Channel Guard board is located in the option area as shown in Figures 1 and 2.

Tone Reject Filter 19C317355G2 is available for use in a non-Channel Guard mobile or station receiving calls that are tone modulated.

INSTALLATION

To install Channel Guard board in the field, refer to the Installation Diagrams listed in the Table of Contents. In 25-50 MHz applications only, the transmitter exciter board has to be modified. When the Channel Guard is installed in MASTR Executive II radios, refer to the applicable Combination Manual.

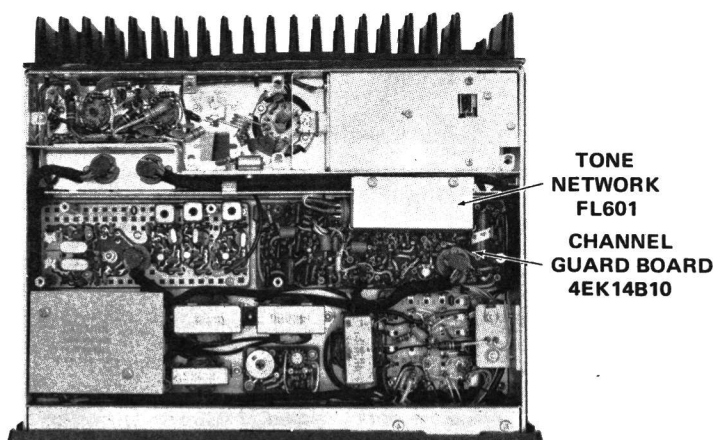


Figure 1 - Executive & Royal Executive

CIRCUIT ANALYSIS

References to symbol numbers mentioned in the following test are found on the Schematic Diagrams, Outline Diagrams and Parts Lists (see Table of Contents). A block diagram of the Channel Guard is shown in Figure 3.

Cable W603 (W604 for Royal) connects the supply voltage, encoder keying voltage and decoder functions for the Channel Guard board to the system terminal board (TB3). The encoder tone output is connected by a white-black shielded lead to the transmitter exciter board.

ENCODER

The encoder tone is provided by Q604 and Q605 which oscillate at a frequency determined by the tone network. Negative feedback, applied thru the tone network to the base of Q604, prevents any gain in the stage except at the operating frequency.

Keying the transmitter applies +10 Volts to the anode of feedback control diode CR605, causing it to conduct. When conducting, the diode shunts R635 which reduces the impedance of the positive feedback loop (R635, R633 and C617). This provides the necessary gain to the base of Q604 to permit oscillation, and the oscillator locks in on the Channel Guard frequency.

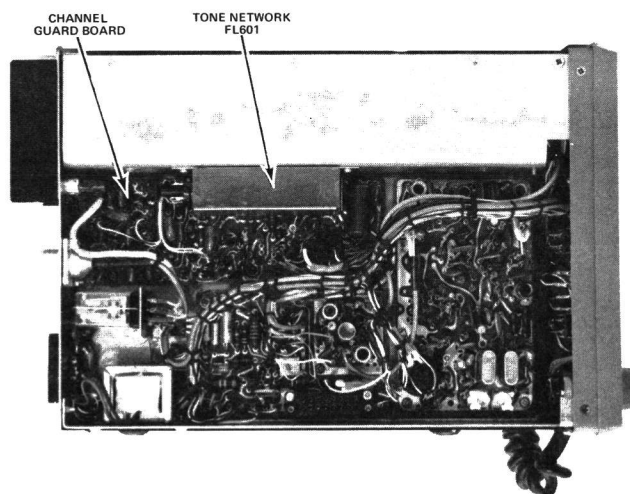


Figure 2 - Custom Executive

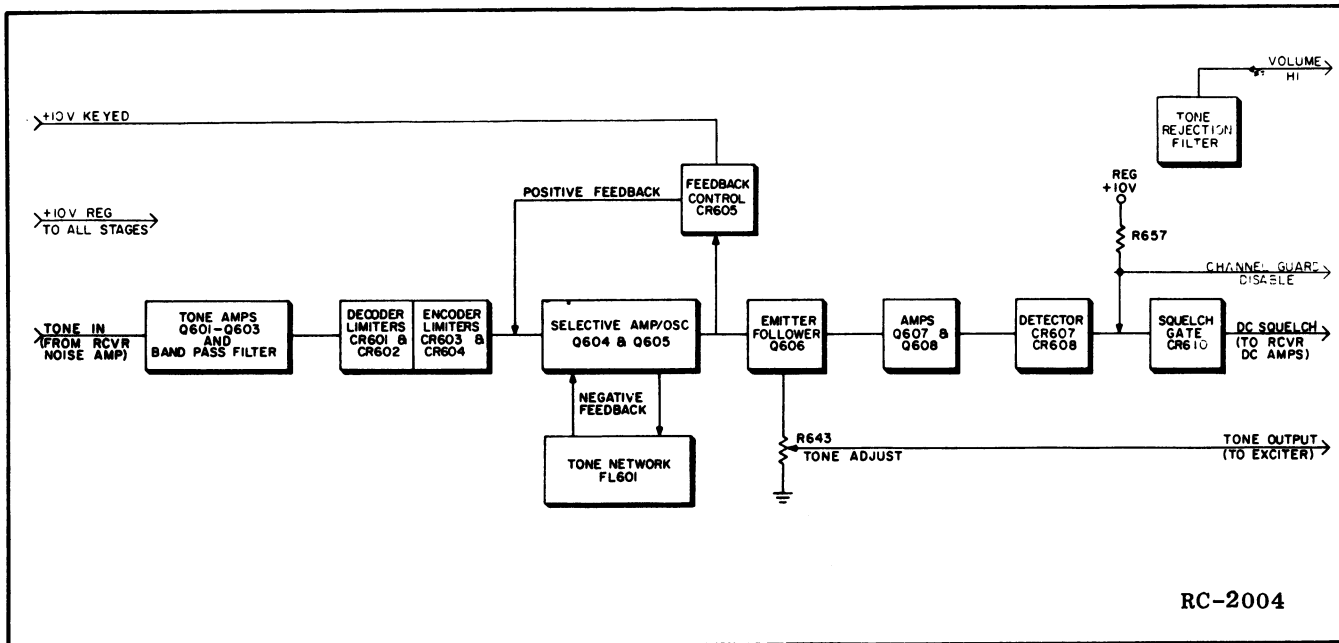


Figure 3 - Channel Guard Block Diagram

An extremely fast starting time for the encoder tone is provided by a starting network consisting of R641, C618, C619 and CR606. This network utilizes a positive pulse from the +10 Volts keying voltage to provide the positive feedback required to start oscillation.

Thermistor-resistor combination R663-RT604 provides temperature compensation for the oscillator output, and limiter diodes CR603 and CR604 keep the amplitude of the tone constant.

The oscillator output is fed to emitter-follower Q606, and then to TONE ADJUST potentiometer R643. This control is normally set for a ± 0.75 kHz deviation as outlined in the Transmitter Modulation Adjustment Procedure.

The encoder tone is applied to the modulator stage on the transmitter exciter board.

DECODER

The decoder function is designed to eliminate all calls that are not tone coded for the Channel Guard Frequency. As long as the MONITOR switch is not depressed, all signals are locked out except those from transmitters that are continuously tone coded for positive identification by the receiver. Pressing the MONITOR switch instantly disables the Channel Board and noise squelch circuits so that all calls on the channel can be heard.

Audio, tone and noise are taken from the collector of audio-noise amplifier Q316 in the receiver and is fed thru J601-4 to three tone amplifier and bandpass filter circuits. The filters remove the audio and high-frequency noise from the signal, and the tone amplifiers provide sufficient gain of all Channel Guard tones to insure clipping by limiter diodes CR601 and CR602. The clipping action eliminates variation in the squelch performance due to changes in tone deviation.

The signal is then applied to selective amplifiers Q604 and Q605, which amplify only the tone determined by the tone network.

The output of the selective amplifier is applied through emitter-follower Q606 to the high gain, broad-band tone amplifiers Q607 and Q608. The output of Q608 is rectified by detector diodes CR607 and CR608, and the resulting negative DC voltage controls the squelch gate. Q607 is normally biased for low gain. When the tone is detected by CR607 and CR608, feedback is provided through R655 to quickly change the bias on Q607 for full gain. This ensures a more positive "unsquelching" action.

Squelch gate diode CR610 is normally forward biased by a positive DC voltage (approximately 1.5 Volts) fed through R657. The forward bias causes CR610 to conduct, feeding a DC voltage to the base of noise amplifiers Q320 and Q321 in the receiver. This removes the bias on the receiver audio stages and holds them off.

When the proper tone is applied to the decoder, the negative DC voltage from the detector diodes CR607 & CR608 back-biases squelch gate diode CR610, and cuts off the positive bias to the DC amplifiers. However, the receiver noise squelch circuit continues to operate until a carrier quiets the receiver.

Pressing the MONITOR switch on the control unit grounds the base biasing circuit of the DC amplifiers and disables both the Channel Guard and noise squelch circuits. If the optional hookswitch is provided, removing the microphone from its hanger automatically disables Channel Guard while maintaining normal noise squelch operation.

A tone rejection filter connected in parallel with the VOLUME control bypasses the tone to ground, thereby attenuating the tone level reaching the audio circuits. The filter is composed of L601, C624, C626, C629, C630 and R659.

ADJUSTMENT

The decode function and the tone reject filter function requires no

adjustment. To adjust the tone level of the encode function, proceed as follows:

1. Connect a deviation monitor to the transmitter output.
2. Key the transmitter and adjust R643 on the Channel Guard board for ± 0.75 kHz deviation.

DECODE ONLY (MASTR EXECUTIVE II)

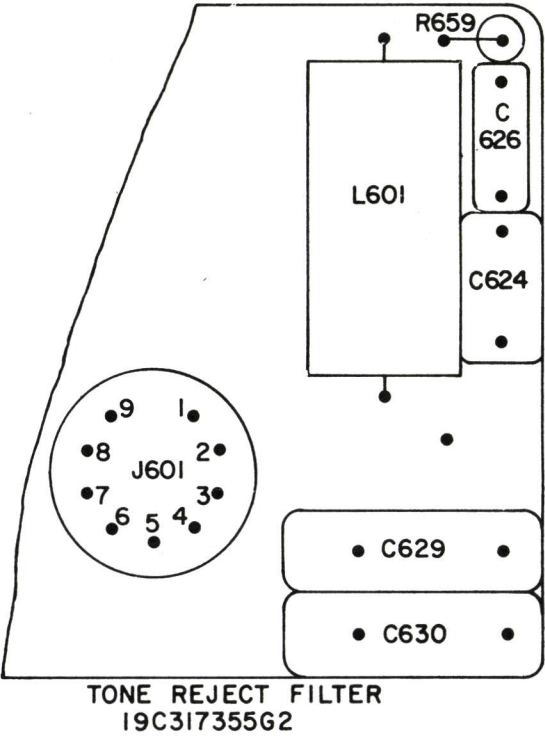
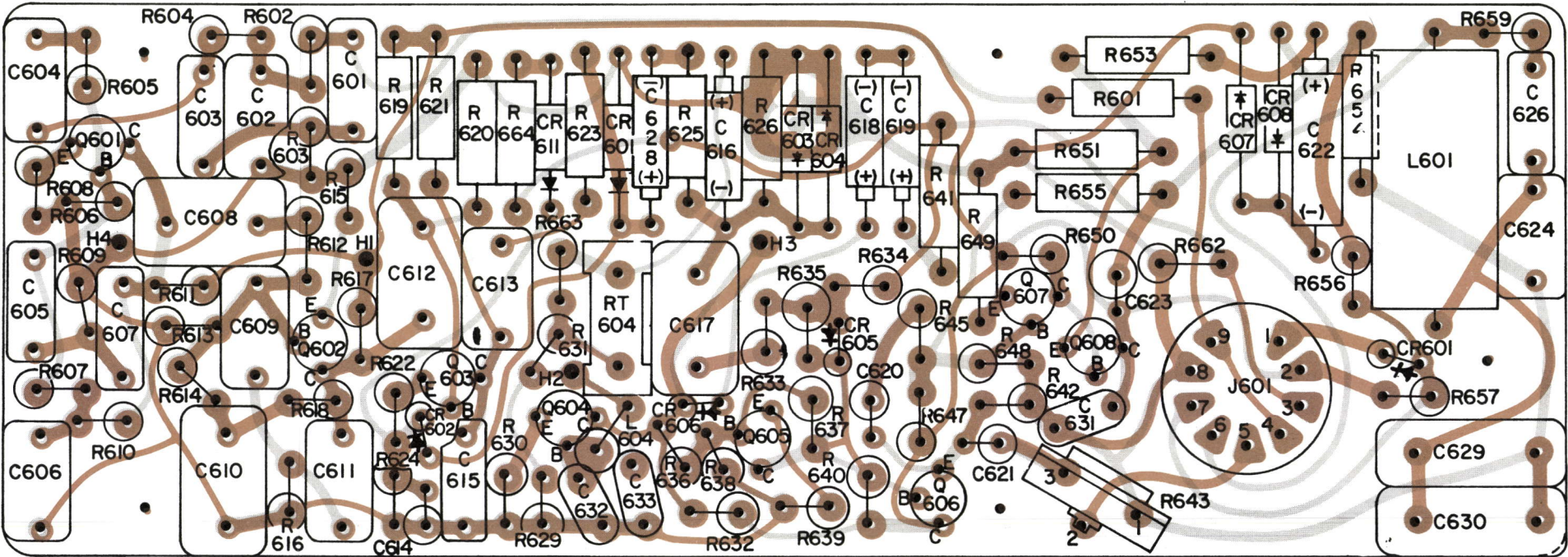
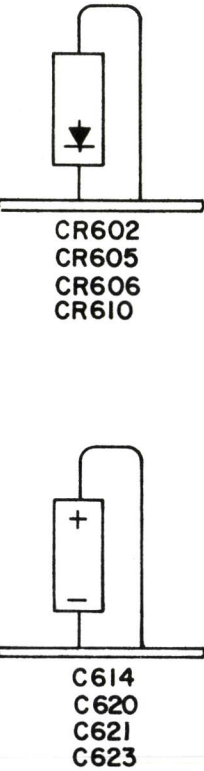
In MASTR Executive II Applications where the "decode only" function is desired, clip the W-BK wire connected to P907-6 between the connector body and sleeve.

INSTALLATION

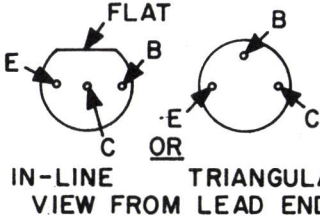
Installation instructions for MASTR Progress Line series and Royal Executive mobile and station combinations are contained in this manual. For MASTR Executive II applications, refer to the Applicable Combination Manual.

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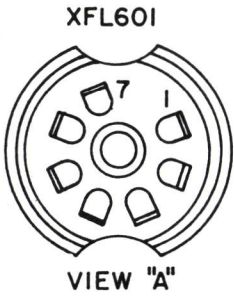
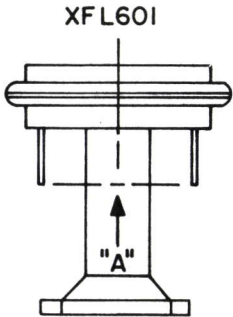




LEAD IDENTIFICATION
FOR Q601 - Q608



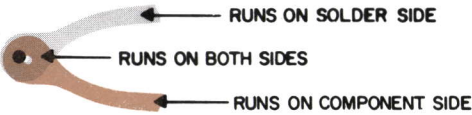
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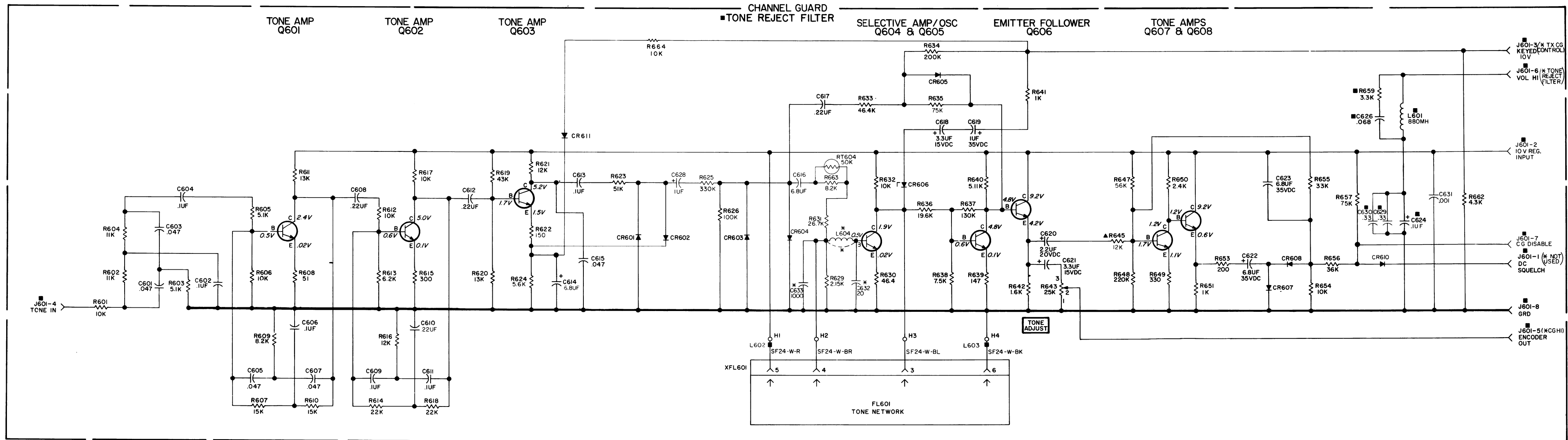


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OUTLINE DIAGRAM

CHANNEL GUARD ENCODER/DECODER
MODELS 4EK14B10 AND 4EK14B11





SEE APPLICABLE PRODUCTION CHANGE SHEETS IN INSTRUCTION BOOK SECTION DEALING WITH THIS UNIT, FOR DESCRIPTION OF CHANGES UNDER EACH REVISION LETTER

THIS ELEM DIAG APPLIES TO	
MODEL NO	REV LETTER
4EK14B10	C
4EK14B11	B

▲ VALUE OF R645 IS DETERMINED BY TEST (SEE TEST SPECS)
* REPLACE L604 WITH DA WIRE FOR 4EK14B10.
L604, C632, & C633 USED IN 4EK14B11 ONLY.

VOLTAGE READINGS
VOLTAGE READINGS ARE TYPICAL READINGS MEASURED FROM TRANSISTOR PIN TO GROUND WITH A 20,000 OHM-PER-VOLT METER, AND WITH NO TONE INPUT AND THE ENCODER NOT KEYS.

- COMPONENTS THAT ARE COMMON TO CHANNEL GUARD & TONE REJECT FILTER.
- * ALTERNATE FUNCTION WHEN USED WITH THE EXECUTIVE II RADIO

ALL RESISTORS ARE 1/2 WATT UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED AND RESISTOR VALUES IN OHMS UNLESS FOLLOWED BY K=1000 OHMS OR MEG=1,000,000 OHMS. CAPACITOR VALUES IN PICOFARADS (EQUAL TO MICROMICROFARADS) UNLESS FOLLOWED BY UF= MICROFARADS. INDUCTANCE VALUES IN MICROHENRYS UNLESS FOLLOWED BY MH= MILLIHENRYS OR H=HENRYS.

SCHEMATIC DIAGRAM

CHANNEL GUARD ENCODER/DECODER
MODELS 4EK14B10 AND 4EK14B11

PROCEDURE

1. Remove the four screws holding the transmitter exciter. Then remove connections from J101, J102 and J105 and remove the exciter board.
2. Modify the exciter board using appropriate kit (19A122624G1 thru G3) as instructed in Table 1. Component location is shown in Figure 1.

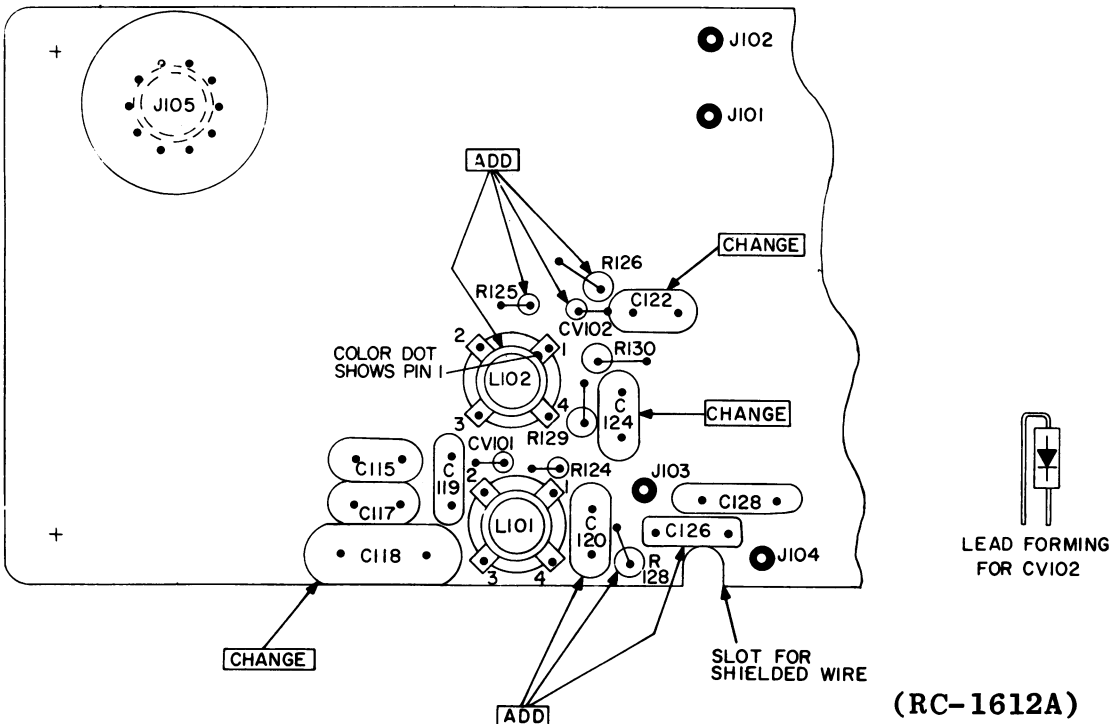


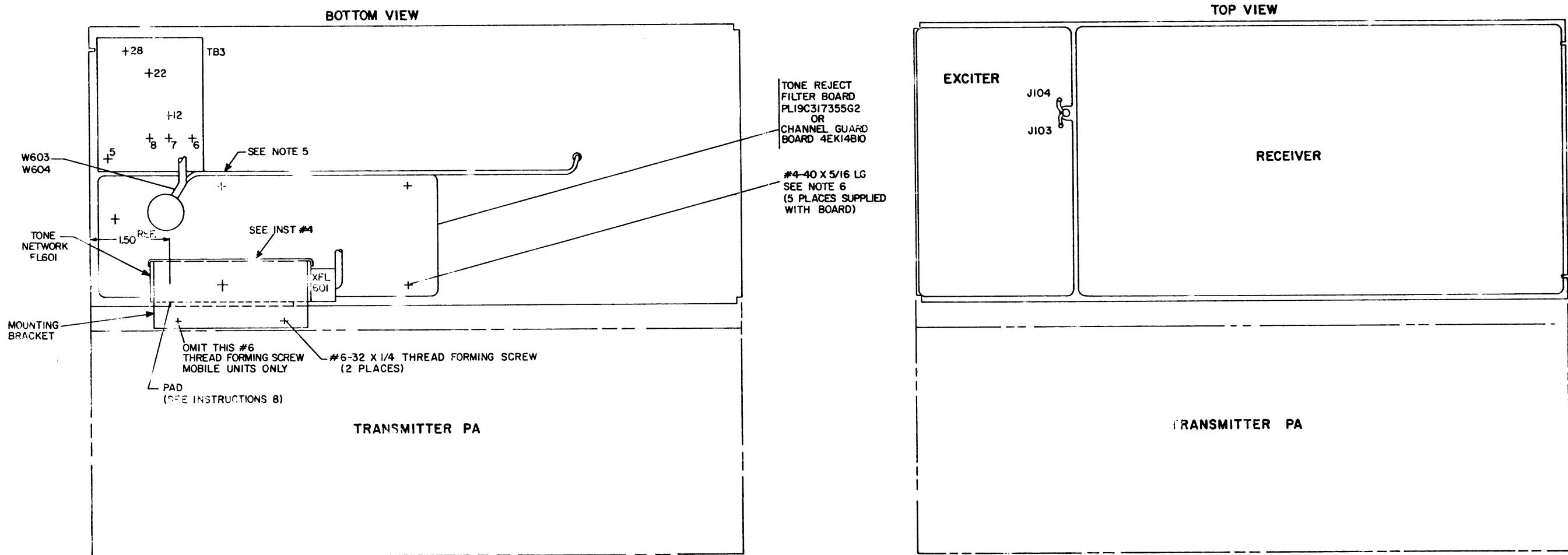
Figure 1 - Component Location (Exciter Board)

EXCITER MODEL NUMBER	MODIFICATION KIT NUMBER	ADD	REPLACE	CHANGE MODEL NUMBER	
				FROM	TO
4EG21A10 4EG21A12	19A122624-G1 Service Parts Kit #0035	C120 (470 pf, 100 VDCW) C126 (0.01 μ f, 40 VDCW) CV102 L102A R125 A (0.15 megohm, 1/4w) R126 (10,000 ohms, 1/2 w) R128 (15,000 ohms, 1/2 w)	C125 with C118 A (.0015 μ f, 100 VDCW); C121 with C122 A (220 pf, 500 VDCW); and C123 with C124 (150 pf, 100 VDCW)	4EG21A10 4EG21A12	4EG21A11 3EG21A13
4EG21B10 4EG21B12	19A122624-G2 Service Parts Kit #0036	C120 (470 pf, 100 VDCW) C126 (0.01 μ f, 40 VDCW) CV102 L102B R125 B (0.12 megohm, 1/4w) R126 (10,000 ohms, 1/2 w) R128 (15,000 ohms, 1/2 w)	C125 with C118 A (.0015 μ f, 100 VDCW); C121 with C122 A (220 pf, 500 VDCW); and C123 with C124 (150 pf, 100 VDCW)	4EG21B10 4EG21B12	4EG21B11 4EG21B13
4EG21C10 4EG21C12	19A122624-G3 Service Parts Kit #0037	C120 (470 pf, 100 VDCW) C126 (0.01 μ f, 40 VDCW) CV102 L102 C R125 C (0.1 megohm, 1/4w) R126 (10,000 ohms, 1/2 w) R128 (15,000 ohms, 1/2 w)	C125 with C118 A (.001 μ f, 100 VDCW); C121 with C122 B (180 pf, 500 VDCW); and C123 with C124 (150 pf, 100 VDCW)	4EG21C10 4EG21C12	4EG21C11 4EG21C13

Table 1 - Exciter Board Modification

INSTALLATION DIAGRAM

25—50 MHz TRANSMITTER EXCITER MOD.
19A122624G1, G2 & G3
MASTR PROGRESS LINE, EXECUTIVE
AND ROYAL EXECUTIVE MOBILE
AND STATION COMBINATIONS



INSTALLATION DIAGRAM

CHANNEL GUARD MODEL 4EK14B10
MASTR EXECUTIVE, EXECUTIVE AND
ROYAL EXECUTIVE MOBILE AND
STATION COMBINATIONS

1

CONNECTIONS CHART FOR MASTR PROGRESS LINE EXECUTIVE SERIES		
FROM	WIRE COLOR	TO
W603	G	STATION TB8-1 MOBILE TB3-17
W603	BR	TB3-23
W603	W-O-R	TB3-6
W603 CENTER CONDUCTOR	W-BL	TB3-7
W603-SHIELD OF ABOVE		TB3-8
W603	BK	TB3-22
W603 CENTER CONDUCTOR	W-BK	EXCITER-J103
W603-SHIELD OF ABOVE		EXCITER-J104
W603	V	TB3-5
W603	W-R-G	TB3-12

1. MOUNT CHANNEL GUARD BOARD OR TONE REJECT FILTER BOARD AS SHOWN USING #4 HARDWARE.
2. ADD CABLE (W603) FROM CHANNEL GUARD BOARD OR TONE REJECT FILTER BOARD TO TB3 AND EXCITER BOARD AND MAKE CONNECTIONS PER CHART. EXCITER BOARD MUST BE REMOVED TO FEED SHIELDED WIRE THRU HOLE IN CHASSIS AND SLOT IN BOARD. (W604 FOR SOLID STATE)
3. ASSEMBLE TONE NETWORK INTO MOUNTING BRACKET, PLUG SOCKET (XFL601) FROM CHANNEL GUARD BOARD INTO TONE NETWORK & MOUNT AS SHOWN WITH TWO #6 THREAD FORMING SCREWS.
4. TONE NETWORK TO BE ORIENTED SO MARKING APPEARS ON THIS SURFACE.
5. WHEN DECODE ONLY OPTION OR TONE REJECT FILTER BOARD IS PRESENT, CUT OFF AND DISCARD SHIELDED WIRE WHICH NORMALLY GOES TO EXCITER BOARD. (FOR PT. 3 ONLY)
6. STAKE MTG. HARDWARE IN CHANNEL GUARD BOARD OR TONE REJECT FILTER BOARD PER CPD PROCESS P7C-EA123.
7. ASM. PAD (A403259IP28) ON CHASSIS AS SHOWN & APPROX. 30 DOWN FROM MOUNTING SUPPORT OF TONE NETWORK.

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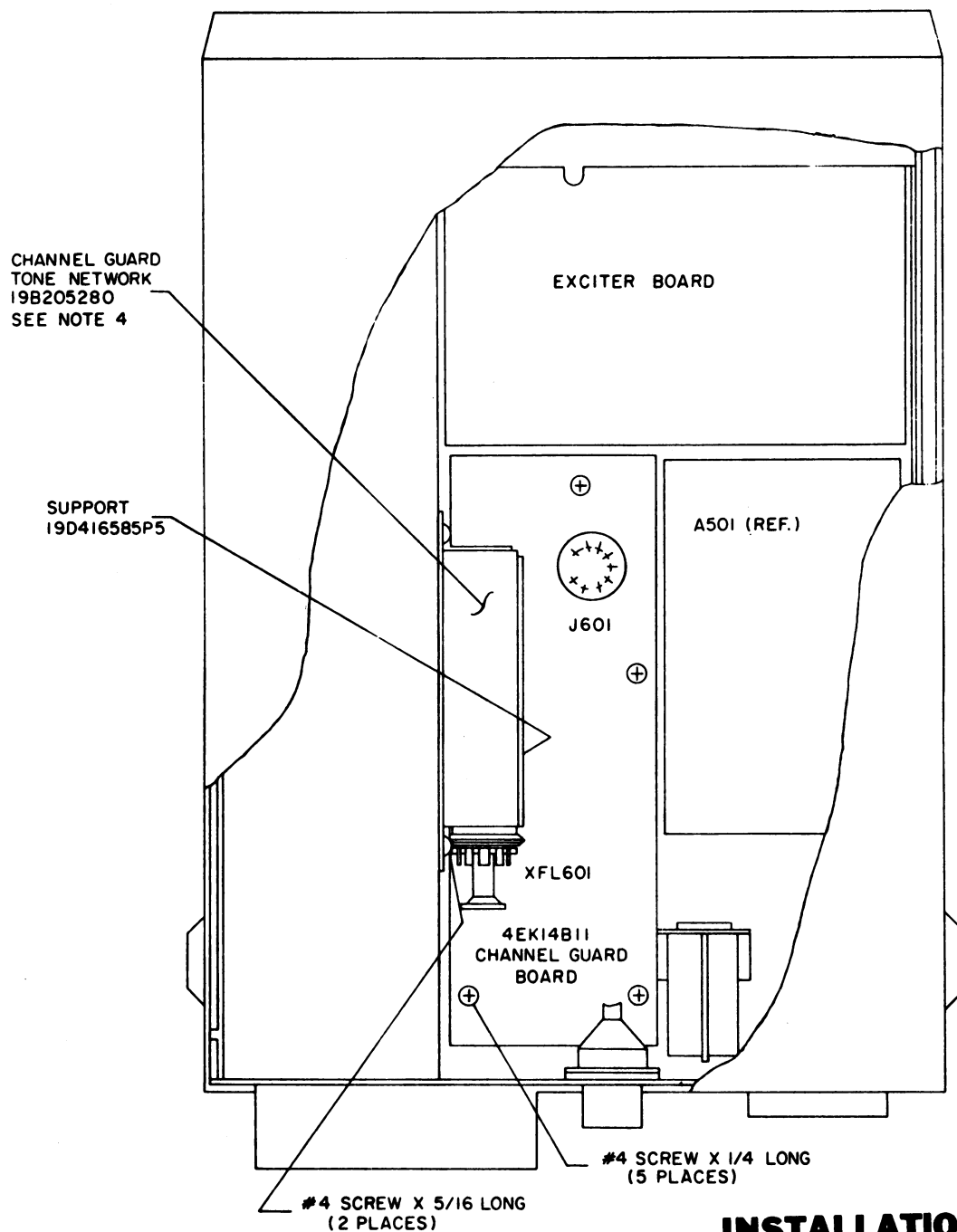
CONNECTION CHART FOR MASTR PROGRESS LINE ROYAL EXECUTIVE		
FROM	WIRE COLOR	TO
W604	W-G-O	TB3-27
W604	BR	TB3-41
W604	W-O-R	TB3-26
W604 CENTER CONDUCTOR	W-BL	TB3-37
SHIELD OF ABOVE		TB3-44
W604 CENTER CONDUCTOR	W-BK	EXCITER-J103
SHIELD OF ABOVE		EXCITER-J104
W604	R	TB3-5
W604	G	TB3-29

3

SEE NOTE 5

NOTES:

1. MOUNT CHANNEL GUARD BOARD ON CHASSIS AS SHOWN.
2. CUT SPOT TIE HOLDING P601 TO HARNESS & PLUG INTO J601.
3. ASSEMBLE TONE NETWORK INTO MOUNTING BRACKET, PLUG SOCKET (XFL601) FROM CHANNEL GUARD BOARD INTO TONE NETWORK & MOUNT AS SHOWN.
4. TONE NETWORK TO BE ORIENTED SO MARKING APPEARS ON THIS SURFACE.

**INSTALLATION DIAGRAM**

CHANNEL GUARD MODEL 4EK14B11

Issue 1