

TERMINALS

MARKING CABLE TERMINALS

NOTES CONCERNING THIS ADDENDUM

This addendum has been issued to provide advance instructions regarding the newly adopted method of marking outside cross-connecting and building terminals.

The following should be marked "See Addendum" and treated as indicated.

Paragraph	1.02	- Replaced
Paragraph	1.02(a)	- Added
Paragraph	1.03(c)	- Replaced
Paragraph	1.05	- Replaced
Paragraph	2.01(a)(1)	- Replaced
Paragraph	2.01(a)(2)	- Replaced
Paragraph	2.01(a)(3)	- Supplemented
Paragraph	2.01(a)(5)	- Replaced
Paragraph	2.01(b)(1)	- Replaced
Paragraph	2.01(b)(2)	- Supplemented
Paragraph	2.02(c)(1)	- Supplemented
Paragraph	2.02(d)	- Supplemented
Paragraph	2.02(f)(1)	- Supplemented

1. GENERAL

1.02 Cable terminal markings, in general, shall be applied by means of marking tape or rubber stamps, although the use of stencils are covered as alternative methods under certain conditions.

1.02(a) Lug number marking of terminals by means of a pre-printed contact sticking tape has been approved for use in this area. Various designs of tape will be supplied for specific

terminal types and will cover the most common varieties. When the marking tape becomes available, the Catalogue of Supplies will contain listings for the various terminal types.

1.03(c) Where marking is done in the field, either marking tape, band stamps or individual numeral, letter and designation stamps may be employed. When using a band stamp, move the bands of the stamp as close together as practicable.

1.05 Existing cross-connecting or building terminals, now stenciled with pair numbers on feeder or aerial pairs, should be remarked when:

(a) Routine or other maintenance work operations change the present feeder count.

(b) Other work operations are to be performed at the location of such terminals.

(c) Available manpower permits the detailing of such remarking operations.

At that time, the terminal should be remarked in accordance with other paragraphs of this section covering the particular type of terminal. Coordinate the restenciling operation with the appropriate assignment group and they should be properly notified when the change is completed on the particular terminal involved.

2. CABLE TERMINALS EQUIPPED WITH FANNING STRIPS

2.01(a)(1) The lug numbers should be marked for both the feeder and aerial pairs except in terminals installed in house cable systems, where the pair count should be marked.

2.01(a)(2) Stencil the first, last, and all lug or pair numbers ending in 5 and 0 unless appropriate marking tape is available. In most cases marking tape will list all lug numbers.

2.01(a)(3) Add words "as appropriate" after words pair numbers.

2.01(a)(4) Change illustration to reflect a continuous lug sequence throughout terminal.

2.01(a)(5) In BD 606 cable terminals, three lug numbers should be marked in the stencil spaces on the left stencil strips and two markings placed in the stencil spaces on the right stencil strips that are provided for each side of the terminal. The method as outlined in previous paragraphs should be followed unless

appropriate marking tape is available. (Marking tape will be supplied for horizontal sequence terminals only) Care should be taken to follow the original direction of marking when re-marking existing BD 606 terminals.

2. 01(b)(1) In building terminals place cable designation FDR (feeder Cable) or HSE (house cable) at the top of the fanning strip above the first lug or pair of the cable. If space is not sufficient, cable designation should be placed in the first stencil space and mark the second lug or pair number.

2. 01(b)(2) Delete the words "aerial or" from the sentence to make it read, "and the house cable count begins."

2. 02(c)(1) Add "or marking tape if available."

2. 02(d) Add "or marking tape if available."

2. 02(f)(1) Change illustration to reflect a continuous lug sequence starting from left to right through both terminal chambers. Delete FDR and AER cable designations.