

**BELL SYSTEM PRACTICES**  
**Teletypewriter and Manual**  
**Telegraph Station and P.B.X.**  
**Installation and Maintenance**

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## **TELETYPEWRITER—26 TYPE**

### **LUBRICATION**

#### **1. GENERAL**

1.01 This addendum supplements Section P40.601, Issue 3, outlining the requirements and procedures for lubricating 26 type teletypewriters.

1.02 It is issued to revise the information on the motor bearing lubrication.

#### **2. REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES**

2.01 Motor bearings shall be lubricated as specified below instead of as specified in paragraph 4.01 of Section P40.601, Issue 3.

Motor bearings—Depress ball oiler with nozzle of grease gun and lubricate bearing with one stroke of plunger, after which run motor a few minutes to work out excess grease. After motor has come to rest wipe off excess grease.

Note: This procedure applies when using KS-8319 grease guns or KS-7461 guns which have had their stroke modified so that they deliver approximately a 1/2" strip of grease per stroke of the plunger. When using an unmodified KS-7461 grease gun, the travel of the plunger should be limited to 1/4" for 1-1/2" diameter (old style) guns and 1/2" for 2-1/2" diameter guns.

**Caution: Lubrication intervals, specified in other instructions, should be closely adhered to as too much grease causes starting switch troubles on synchronous motors, commutator troubles and false grounding on DC motors and AC series motors.**

Note: Replacement bearings should be packed with grease before installation and then be lubricated as above.

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