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MEMORANDUM TO ALL ENGINEERS IN CHARGE, (ENFORCEMENT)

SUBJECT: ATKO Automatic telegraph keyers.

REFERENCE: Our ditto memorandum dated November 15, 1966

The ATKO keyers are now arriving at the various district offices. One point which was omitted from the instruction manual concerns the use of high impedance head sets instead of a loudspeaker. The instruction reads as follows:

"If high impedance headphones are used with the keyer, it may be necessary to connect a 1000 OHM resistor across the phone plug terminals in order to eliminate a back tone which otherwise may be present."

It may be desirable to construct a special phone plug with the resistor connected inside the case.

An additional ditto memorandum will be forwarded within a few weeks concerning the availability of code test tapes.

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