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1. Safety

The following general safety precautions must be observed during all phases of operation, service and repair of this equipment. Failure to comply with these precautions or with specific warnings elsewhere in this manual violates safety standards of design, manufacture and intended use of the equipment. Sea Tel Inc (dba Cobham SATCOM) assumes no liability for the customer's failure to comply with these requirements.

Service

Access to the interior of the Out Door Unit (ODU), is allowed for inspection of components by a technician/engineer. Maintenance of the ODU should only be performed by technicians/engineers who are authorized by Cobham SATCOM. Only authorized Partners who have received factory training on this equipment will be able to file a claim for warranty reimbursement. Failure to comply with standard practices, which include but are not limited to modification of the terminal away from factory documented assemblies may also void the warranty period.

Do not service or adjust alone

Do not attempt internal service or adjustments unless another person, capable of rendering first aid resuscitation, is present.

Personal Protection Equipment (PPE):

Hard hat, safety glasses and steel toe work boots are required.

To avoid injuries, it is important to be aware of the risks present when handling and testing an antenna from inside the dome. There is a risk of the antenna injuring the operator, as the antenna moves, so the operator must be aware of the position of the antenna at all times while inside the radome.

Grounding, cables and connections

To minimize shock hazard and to protect against lightning, the equipment chassis and cabinet must be connected to an electrical ground. The ODU equipment must be grounded to a known good earth ground. For further grounding information refer to the Installation chapter of this manual.

Do not extend the cables beyond the lengths specified for the equipment. The cables between the ODU and the Baseband Equipment Rack must comply with the specified data concerning cable losses etc.

Power supply

AC Power to the ADE is provided by a separate, breaker, power source.

Do not operate in an explosive atmosphere

Do not operate the equipment in the presence of flammable gases or fumes. Operation of any electrical equipment in such an environment constitutes a definite safety hazard.

Keep away from live circuits

Operating personnel must not remove equipment covers. Component replacement and internal adjustment must be made by qualified maintenance personnel. Do not replace components with the power cable connected. Under certain conditions, dangerous voltages may exist even with the power cable removed. To avoid injuries, always disconnect power and discharge circuits before touching them.

SAFETY: INTERNAL BATTERY

The main PCB inside the TICU contains a lithium battery. These batteries should last for many years but if replacement is required, use caution. These batteries are only to be replaced by a technician authorized by Cobham SATCOM to perform such service.



CAUTION - RISK OF EXPLOSION IF BATTERY IS REPLACED BY AN INCORRECT TYPE.
DISPOSE OF USED BATTERIES ACCORDING TO THE INSTRUCTIONS.

Failure to comply with the rules above will void the warranty!

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2. FCC Statements

In addition to the FCC Part 15 Subpart B and ICES-003 Issue 6 (Jan 2016) declaration in the front of this manual, the following additional FCC statements apply to this Tracker 6000 antenna:

2.1. As per 47 CFR §15.105

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area is likely to cause harmful interference in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at his own expense.

Please refer to the Declaration of Maximum Safe RF Exposure Power Levels for Sea Tel Antennas in the front of this manual, and all other cautions & warnings throughout this manual.

2.2. As per 47 CFR §15.19

This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

1. This device may not cause harmful interference, and
2. This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

Please refer to the site survey & installation chapters of this manual.

2.3. As per 47 CFR §15.21

The user's manual or instruction manual for an intentional or unintentional radiator shall caution the user that changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment. In cases where the manual is provided only in a form other than paper, such as on a computer disk or over the Internet, the information required by this section may be included in the manual in that alternative form, provided the user can reasonably be expected to have the capability to access information in that form.

Operational description, which is a brief description of the circuit functions of the device along with a statement describing how the device operates.

Please refer to the site survey & installation chapters of this manual for ground system and antenna information pertaining to this equipment.

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