S E R V I C E N O T E

SUPERSEDES: None

5071 Primary Frequency Standard

Serial Numbers: 3132A00101 / 3249A00700

Nylon Barrel Retrofit to Prevent A11 Damage

To Be Performed By: Agilent-Service Technicians or Customer

Parts Required:

Part No.Qty.Description05071-670041Nylon Barrel Kit

Tools Required:

T-10 TORX ~ Driver T-15 TORX ~ Driver Small mallet or hammer

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DATE: January 1996

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

SERVICE NOTE CLASSIFICATION:		
MODIFICATION RECOMMENDED		
ACTION CATEGORY:	☐ IMMEDIATELY ☐ ON SPECIFIED FAILURE ■ AGREEABLE TIME	STANDARDS: Labor 0.5 Hour
LOCATION CATEGORY:	■ CUSTOMER INSTALLABLE□ ON-SITE□ SERVICE CENTER	SERVICE RETURN USED RETURN INVENTORY: SCRAP PARTS: SCRAP SEE TEXT SEE TEXT
AVAILABILITY:	PRODUCT'S SUPPORT LIFE	AGILENT RESPONSIBLE UNTIL: January 1998
AUTHOR: DC	ENTITY: 0200	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

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Situation:

The process for electrically disconnecting the internal batteries is to insert a non-metallic, insulated tool (such as a toothpick) into an opening on the rear panel of the 5071A. This is marked as "BATTERY DISCONNECT". This allows the user to intentionally depress a momentary-contact switch on the A11 assembly and electrically disconnect the internal batteries from the instrument.

If a metallic tool is used, or any tool is inserted at an angle, it is possible to mechanically damage or even cause an electrical short to the A11 circuit assembly. This is most often found to be a burned CR1 diode, which is located near the switch.

To prevent this from occurring in the future, a kit has been set up to allow retrofitting up to 5 instruments with a special nylon barrel that acts as a guide for the tool.

Identification:

Instruments in the Serial Number range above should be checked for this. The inspection can be done without removing any covers.

- a. Open the rear battery access panel.
- b. Directly above this panel, and under the top cover lip is the "BATTERY DIS-CONNECT" opening.
- c. If the nylon barrel is already installed, a nylon ring or collar will be visible around the opening.

Procedure:

- 1. If a nylon barrel needs to be installed, request the kit (P/N 05071-67004) through any local Sales or Service facility. There is no charge for this kit. It contains all necessary instructions on how to insert the nylon barrel.
- 2. Be sure to connect the 5071A to AC mains for at least 16 hours and test the standby battery capacity. If the internal batteries cannot provide power to the 5071A for at least 45 minutes, refer to Service Note 5071A-05 for assistance in checking the A11 assembly for problems.