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PROTECTION AND TROPIC-PROOFING OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT

Note: This Issue 4, supersedes Pages 1-2, Issue 3, dated 1 Jul 55, Pages 3-17 Issue 2, dated 23 Mar 53 and Page 1001, Issue 1 dated 9 Sep 45.

1. Issue 3 of this regulation, dated 1st July 1955, is no longer valid. More up-to-date guidance is already available in the following documents:-

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| EMER Gen J 015 | Army equipment in tropical climates: counter-measures to minimize deterioration.                      |
| BSCP 1014      | Protection of electrical power equipment against climatic conditions (British Standards Institution). |

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2. The new range telecommunications and allied equipments are normally fully sealed and/or tropic-proofed during production. However, protective coatings etc. may suffer damage, or workshops may undertake the local manufacture of certain items which have to be tropic-proofed. In such instances, units seeking further advice on suitable treatment are invited to apply to the following address giving the fullest possible details of their requirements:-

Officer Commanding,  
Telecommunications Branch,  
Technical Group, REME,  
c/o SRDE,  
CHRISTCHURCH, Hants.

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