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MODEL: ATARI 810 Disk Drive

DATE: June 6, 1983

SUBJECT:

Incorrect 12 Voltage Regulator

DESCRIPTION:

All 810 Disk Drives manufactured during 1982 work week 51, should be checked for the proper 12V Regulator on the Power Supply PCB.

PROBLEM:

Some 0.5 amp Regulators became mixed-in with the 1.0 amp Regulators during production. The Regulator's specification calls for a 1.0 amp.

SOLUTION:

When performing repairs on the 810, visually inspect the voltage regulator. Make certain that it does not bear the number 78M12. If a 78M12 is found, replace it with a 7812 (Atari Part Number - C014712).

TROUBLESHOOTING:

This change does not effect the troubleshooting procedures outlined in the Atari 810 Disk Drive Field Service Manual (FD100003).

DIFFICULTY REPORTING:

If you have questions or need further assistance, call the Atari Techline Specialist:

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