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SURVEY METER CALIBRATION

METER NAME 600 Com MODEL NO. 6 S/N 63424

CALIBRATION DATE 6/1/90 CALIBRATION DUE 9/1/90

CALIBRATION INTERVAL - not more than 3 months

CALIBRATION PROCEDURE** - in accordance with Tech/ops 773 and
MQCL RMP-1 section 8.0

Cs^{137} SOURCE TRACEABLE TO NIST (.049r/hr at 1 meter 08-24-83)

TYPE OF SOURCE - Cs^{137} SERIAL NO. - 136 ACTIVITY 128 μ

RANGE	CALIBRATION POINT	METER READING
X 100	800	<u>780</u>
X 100	200	<u>200</u>
X 10	80	<u>80</u>
X 10	20	<u>20</u>
X 1	8	<u>8</u>
X 1	2	<u>2</u>

date 6/1/90

[Signature]
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**Procedure in accordance with Mil-I-45208a, Mil-Std-45662
(6/80), and MQCL MC-1.