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Dear Sir:		
Per recent request of your techn posal for the fabrication of fint the same as the prototype now in	nical monitor, we are submitting our pro- fteen (15) TEM units. These units will be n your possession.	
We propose to perform this work As shown in attached cost estimathe the amount of \$31,440.42.	on a cost-plus-fixed-fee, one year contract ate sheet, we expect to incur expenses in	
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#### COST ESTIMATE

#### 15 TEM DEVICES

Purchase parts and material	<b></b>	•••	2
Project Engineering Labor,	700 hours		2
Technician Labor 600 hours			
Model Makers, 2000 hours			
Assembly-Test Labor, 1000	ours		
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#### PROPOSAL

#### TIME EVENT MARKER

Work Statement: Fabricate and test fifteen prototype units based on designs of initial prototype unit, using techniques developed during manufacture, assembly and test of this unit.

Operational Sequence: A signal from an external source operates a stepping switch which moves through 24 contact positions, presenting at the output a serial binary coded signal representing the time in minutes since the device was started. The stepping switch is driven by a transistorized multivibrator circuit operating a solenoid driven ratchet. The binary code is picked up by the stepping switch from three calendar discs which are solenoid operated, and receive their time base from a watch. A detailed description of operation is given in Appendix I.

Specification:

Running Time: 60 Day Calendar Run 1440 TEM readouts.

Power Source: External battery supply of 5.5 to 6.5 volts. Manually wound mainspring.

Negative 6 volts - minimum duration 40 Initiation of Readout:

milliseconds and maximum duration 2 seconds.

Excitation for readout: 1000 cycles A.C., 6 volts peak to peak, or 6 volts D.C. (These are recommended, but other frequencies and voltages can be used).

Operating Storage Environment -40° +70°c -30° +70°C Temperature 100% R.H. 4 hours 100% R.H. Humidity

Reports:

Bi-monthly reports will be written covering the progress of the work. A final report summarizing the work, relating conclusions and recommendations will also be written. Five copies of each report will be submitted.

Operating instructions: Fifteen sets of operating instructions will be submitted.

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#### Work Schedule:

We propose to build the test sixteen prototype units and to furnish a final engineering report, within nine months of the date of the contract.

We plan to build the first model in three months, but there will be considerable fabrication of parts for the fifteen units during this same period so that the effort will be divided over the nine months period, and not concentrated during the last six months.

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