S E R V I C E N O T E

SUPERSEDES: NONE

HP85420E RF Filter Section HP85460A RF Filter Section HP8542E EMI Receiver System HP8546A EMI Receiver System

Serial Numbers: 0000A00000 / 9999Z99999

RF Overload Improvement Kit

Duplicate Service Notes: 85420E-05

To Be Performed By: Agilent-Qualified Personnel

History / Situation:

In early 1996, the 85420E/85460A Input 2, RF Overload level was raised from -5dBm to -2dBm in order to improve CISPR Pulse Test Performance. This resulted in the use of larger RF Overload DAC values across the Input 2 frequency range. In some cases, it is necessary to change the value of R205 on the A1A1 Interconnection Board (85460-60001) in order to increase the op-amp output voltage that corresponds to the DAC value of 255. This effectively will reduce the DAC values used over the full frequency range of the RF Filter Section.

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DATE: December 1999

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

| SERVICE NOTE CLASSIFICATION: | | |
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| MODIFICATION RECOMMENDED | | |
| ACTION CATEGORY: | ☐ IMMEDIATELY ■ ON SPECIFIED FAILURE □ AGREEABLE TIME | STANDARDS: LABOR 2.0 Hours |
| LOCATION CATEGORY: | ☐ CUSTOMER INSTALLABLE☐ ON-SITE☐ SERVICE CENTER | SERVICE ☐ RETURN USED ☐ RETURN PARTS: ■ SCRAP☐ SEE TEXT ☐ SEE TEXT |
| AVAILABILITY: | PRODUCT'S SUPPORT LIFE | AGILENT RESPONSIBLE UNTIL: January 2002 |
| AUTHOR: JMS | ENTITY: 5340 | ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: |

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If the 85420E/85460A fails the "RF Overload Calibration, Input 2" Alignment at or around 750 MHz, more than likely, the DAC values have become "railed". It will be necessary to install the "RF Overload Improvement Kit" in order to properly adjust the RF Overload DAC values.

Solution / Action:

If it is determined that the "RF Overload Improvement Kit" needs to be installed, the following part number corresponds to the kit and should be ordered:

Kit Part Number

RF Overload Improvement Kit 85460-60029

Because R205 is the feedback resisitor for an operational amplifier that is used to set a DAC value for BOTH Input 1 and Input 2, it is EXTREMELY IMPORTANT to run the necessary Alignment and Performance Tests once this kit is installed. This consists of the following:

Alignment (** AT LEAST Revision A.00.02 **)

RF Overload Calibration, Input 1 RF Overload Calibration, Input 2

Performance Tests (** AT LEAST Revision A.00.04)

RF Overload Power, Input 1 RF Overload Power, INput 2