



7720PLUS

SYNTHESIZED SUBSCRIBER RADIO

INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

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Note to the Installer: Please read these Installation Instructions all the way through and become completely familiar with them before attempting to install a 7720PLUS subscriber radio. Note to pubs: change p/n and rev date

SYSTEM FEATURES & OPERATION

Introduction

The 7720PLUS self-contained synthesized subscriber radio is the subscriber end of a Long Range Radio alarm reporting system. As a communications link, by analogy to a telephone-based system, the 7720PLUS is comparable to a digital communicator connected by telephone line to a central monitoring station.

Synthesized Frequency Selection

The 7720PLUS can be programmed to operate on any authorized radio frequency. It is not necessary to stock a separate radio for each frequency the installer supports.

Wireless Reporting

All alarm and status messages are transmitted to the master station network via radio signals, which means faster and more secure reporting.

Integrated Electronics

The entire radio link equipment, except for the AC power supply unit, including interface, transmitter, battery and antenna, is housed in a single package, requiring only alarm inputs from a compatible alarm panel.

Selection of Input Interfaces

The 7720PLUS can monitor alarm inputs from the Ademco ECP interface, discrete 4 zone contact closures or their electrical equivalent

NOTE: ECP features are compatible only with 685 software revision 4.7 and higher, and 685-5 software revision 8.1 and higher.

Compatibility

The 7720PLUS is compatible with existing installations using ADEMCO equipment or other control panels. The 7720PLUS can be used in conjunction with digital communicators on the same system, both acting as backup to one another (use an ADEMCO 659-EN Line Monitor connected to a zone input to report a line cut to backup a digital dialer), while connecting the radio fault output to a zone on the dialer.

Built-in LED Indicators

Three LEDs are used to indicate message transmissions, and radio faults. A blinking yellow LED indicates normal operation. (See LED Table Page 4).

Built-in Tamper Protection

For added protection, built-in cover tamper switches will trigger an alarm whenever the chassis cover is removed, thus protecting against unauthorized access to the 7720PLUS. The tamper zone number must be entered during programming to enable tamper reporting. A radio configured for ECP will automatically report the tamper status to the control panel, as well as to the Central Station

Antenna Included

The 7720PLUS can use either the supplied omni-directional wire antenna, or can use a 7825 outdoor antenna, 7625 omni-directional antenna, 7625-3DB antenna (if additional gain is required), a 7674, a 7674-13 YAGI antenna (if a directional antenna is required), by using the optional 7720ANT connector kit. For wall mounting, an optional 7825DP can be used. The supplied antenna mounts directly to the 7720PLUS. The antennas (other than the wire and the dipole) can be mounted remotely, if desired, using the following pre-assembled coaxial cable, available from ADEMCO: 5ft

coax (P/N 7626-5), 12ft coax (P/N 7626-12), 25ft coax (P/N 7626-25HC), and 50ft coax (P/N 7626-50HC).

Programmable Features

The 7720PLUS utilizes EEPROM (Electrically Erasable ROM) technology, which allows the 7720PLUS to be programmed with a 7720P Programming Tool. The programming options include radio frequency channel number (1 to 14), Telco channel assignments for fault input, inverted trigger inputs, delayed reporting channels (1-127 seconds delay, if selected), open/close/restore reporting channels, etc.

Self-Diagnosing Transmitter

Malfunctions of the transmitter, including antenna fault, radio transmitter fault, loss of external power, and low internal DC voltage can be displayed on the 7720P programming tool or reported on the ECP interface, as well as being transmitted to the master station, if the fault does not prevent such transmission. Faults can also trigger contact closures on a Form "C" relay to indicate radio faults.

Power Supply

The 7720PLUS is powered by an AC wall transformer, part number (TBD), which provides 12 volts AC to the radio on pins 1 and 2 of the terminal block. An internal rechargeable battery provides power to the radio in the event of AC power outage. This battery is charged from the AC power supply during normal operation of the radio.

Low Battery Monitoring

The 7720PLUS will notify the central station of a low battery condition whenever the battery voltage drops below 9.93V (+/- 2%). Low battery restore messages are reported "" when the battery voltage reaches 10.03V (+/-2.5%). A radio configured for ECP will report the battery status to the control panel as well as to the central station.

Low Battery Shutdown

In the absence of AC power, if battery voltage drops below 9.45 volts, the 7720PLUS will automatically shutdown and ALL LEDs WILL BE OFF. However, so long as there is AC power, in the normal range of 102 to 138 VAC at the wall outlet, the radio will operate properly, regardless of the condition of the battery.

General Operation

The 7720PLUS receives alarm and restore signals from the alarm control panel and converts these signals to radio messages which are transmitted to the master station network, which in turn relays the messages to the central station. The 7720PLUS can monitor 4 traditional zone inputs or an ECP signal line from an appropriate control panel. The first two zones may be configured by the use of a jumper, to activate on either 0 volts or 4.5-14.2VDC; zones 3 and 4 are hard-wired to activate on 4.5-14.2VDC. Zones 1-4 can also be programmed to invert the sense of their input signals. (Zones normally are activated when the signal goes to a positive voltage. Inverting the zone trigger means that the zone will be activated when the signal goes to ground. The pull-up voltage for zones 1 and 2 can be supplied by changing a jumper, if desired; pull-up voltage for any of the zones can be supplied from the radio thru external resistors, or from an alarm panel.)

Upon detecting an alarm or restoral, the 7720PLUS will transmit the messages to the master station network. The transmissions will repeat for approximately 6 minutes (total of 60 messages) to ensure that the alarm or other report will be received by the central monitoring station.

The 7720PLUS periodically transmits supervisory status messages to the AlarmNet network. Radio faults that are indicated during transmissions may prevent communication; to prevent this, the fault output (available in zone mode only) can be programmed to also indicate radio faults (programming

the fault output is explained later in this chapter). If no messages are received during the supervisory window, the network will generate a communication failure signal to the central station.

Available in zone mode only is a contact closure used to locally indicate a radio fault. This can be either normally open or normally closed. In addition it can be selected to be “fail-safe” by programming the fault output to be inverted (i.e. the relay is powered unless there is a fault). The fault output is between TB1-11 and TB1-12, which float with reference to the rest of the circuit.

Also available in zone mode only is the ability for the 7720PLUS to provide status information via its serial port, thus allowing radio status to be displayed on command, using either a 7720P Programming Tool or a computer terminal. Refer to the TESTING THE 7720PLUS section for information regarding the “S” command and status messages.

LED Indications

LED	State	Meaning
GREEN	Flash	With YELLOW solid = Message transmission
YELLOW	Solid Rapid Flash (10 per second) Slow Flash (1/second) Slower Flash (1 per 3 seconds)	Transmission cycle ON Test or FAST message Normal operation Normal, but low battery condition detected.
RED	Solid Pattern	Radio Fault detected. See flash patterns table below.
YELLOW and RED	Flashing in unison	Loss of communications between the radio and the control panel. (ECP mode only)
All illuminated	Consecutive Slow Unison (2 per second)	Power On/Reset sequence. Repeated twice before entering normal mode. Press [ENTER] during cycle to enter Program Mode. Radio is not properly programmed. Will continue until [ENTER] is pressed to enter programming mode. (IF in ECP mode, radio must be rebooted before entering program mode)

Radio Fault LED Flash Patterns

#	Flash	Reason
1	S-L-L-L	Internal radio fault
5	S-L-L-S	Low power or high VSWR.
CRC	S-S-L-S	RAM/EEPROM corruptions
S=Short flash (150mS); L=Long flash (600mS) #=Fault code number. See "S" command in the TESTING THE 7720PLUS section for additional status information.		

Low Battery Detection & Restoral

Low Battery Detection

The radio tests the condition of the battery periodically. If the radio finds that the battery is low, a low battery warning message will be transmitted. When the battery voltage restores, the radio will transmit a battery restore message.

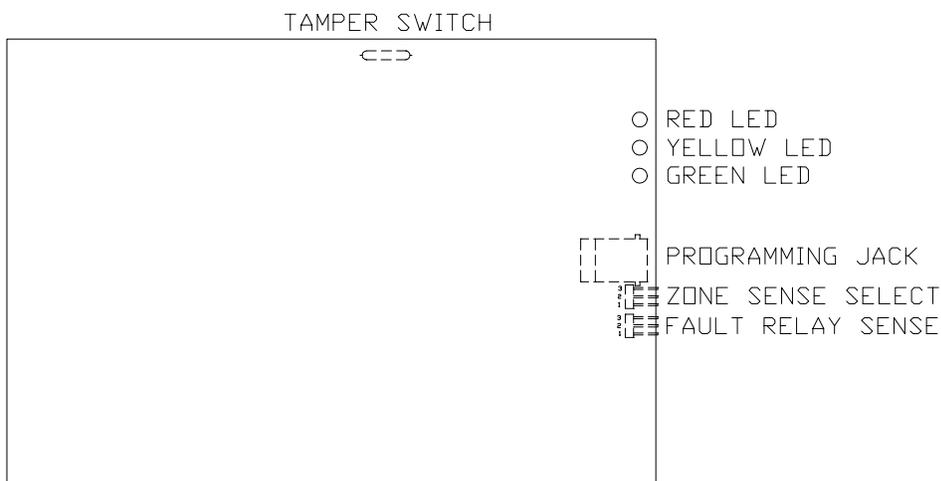
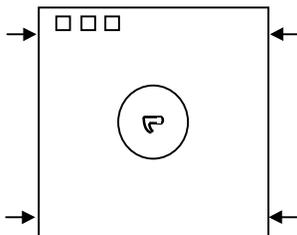
Battery Charging Mode

The battery is under continuous float charge whenever the AC power is connected and sufficient.

SETTING THE JUMPER OPTIONS (Set Before Installing)

Removing The Cover

Remove the 7720PLUS's cover by inserting a screwdriver into the 4 removal points at the bottom of the unit and gently releasing the locking tabs from the cover slots as shown.



ZONE SENSE SETUP: JUMPER 1 AND 2 TO HAVE CIRCUIT ENERGIZE ON GROUND; JUMPER 2 AND 3 TO HAVE CIRCUIT ENERGIZE ON POSITIVE POTENTIAL. (ZONES 1 AND 2 ONLY)
FAULT RELAY SENSE SETUP: JUMPER 1 AND 2 FOR A CLOSED CIRCUIT WHEN THE RELAY IS DE-ENERGIZED. JUMPER 2 AND 3 FOR A CLOSED CIRCUIT WHEN THE RELAY IS DE-ENERGIZED.

(J2) Zone Inputs Activate on High or Low

If using zone input connections, set the J2 jumper so that zone 1 & 2 inputs are activated either with a ground or with a positive voltage, whichever is required.

If the trigger level is set for positive voltage, +4.5 to +14.2 volts must be applied to zones 1 & 2 to trigger an alarm. If the zone is connected to a normally high voltage trigger (i.e. goes low on alarm), invert this zone when programming (questions 13 and 14).

If ground is selected, zones 1 & 2 are internally pulled up to 5 volts through a 10k ohm resistor. This voltage should normally be pulled down (closed contact to ground) and released for alarm (opening the contact). If a normally open contact is being used, invert this zone when programming (questions 13 and 14).

(J3) Fault Output Select

Refer to the diagram on the following page when setting jumpers.

The radio fault output relay may be programmed for either FAIL-SAFE mode (relay always energized) or LOW CURRENT mode (relay normally de-energized) by selecting Yes or No to programming question 27: FLT REL ON (Y/N). In addition, the relay can be set for either N.O. or N.C. operation (in either fail-safe or low current modes) using the J1 jumper. When fail-safe mode is selected, the relay will change states (and trigger a dialer, if connected) in the event of power loss. Note that fail-safe mode increases the standby current by about 10mA, which results in lower battery backup time (about 15%) in the event of power loss. Set the J1 jumper to position A or position B, as follows:

Prog. Ques. 26	J1 Jumper Setting (relay N.O. or N.C.)	
Fault Relay ON (energized)	Pos. B	Pos. A
NO	N.C.	N.O.
YES	N.O.	N.C.

Trigger voltage outputs: A current-limited source of approximately 12 volts DC is available at pin 3 of the terminal block, for external contacts, etc., that require a pullup voltage.

NOTE: Use color-coded wires for the power connections; it is recommended that the positive connection be red and the negative connection be black.

Wiring At The Control Panel

Connect the negative wire to the system negative point, which is also the negative line from the battery.

Run the alarm wires to the transmitter location.

Wiring For ECP Communication with a Control Panel

Only certain panels support ECP data communication at this time. Check the Installation Instructions of your panel to see if Long Range Radio is supported.

ECP data connections are the Data In and Data Out terminals that the keypads and other peripheral devices (RF Receiver, VIP module, etc.) use for communication with the panel. To wire the radio for ECP communication, do the following:

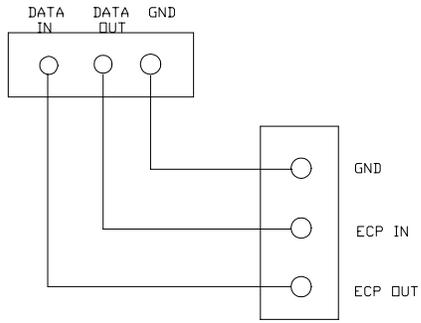
Connect TB1-4 (Ground) of the 7720PLUS to the ground of the panel.

Connect TB1-5 (ECP DATA IN) of the 7720PLUS to “data out to consoles” connection on the panel.

Connect TB1-6 (ECP DATA OUT) of the 7720PLUS to “data in from consoles” connection on the panel.

Note: add ground wire to drawing below. (See page 10a)

ALARM CONTROL

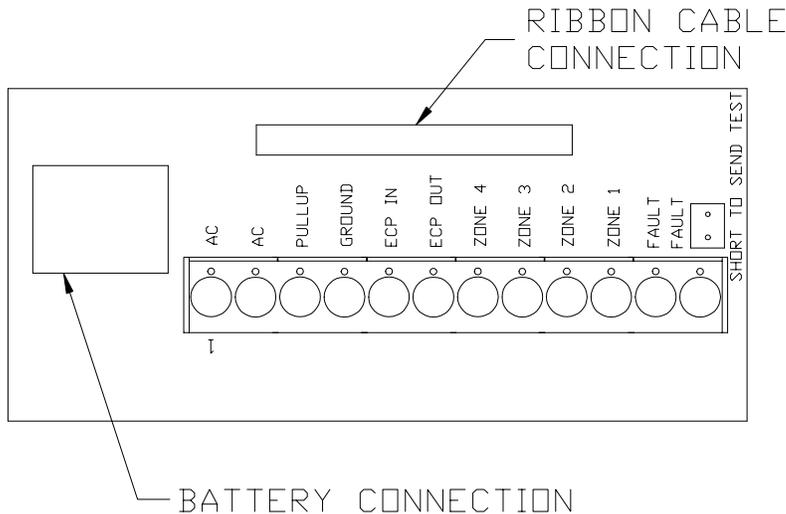


Recommended Wiring At The 7720PLUS

The alarm and power wires can be brought into the transmitter through the base, or through the cover. If they are to be brought through the cover, cut out the optional wire entry port. Connect the AC power wires from the transformer to TB 1-1 and TB 1-2, respectively. Install the battery into the battery holder, but do not plug in the battery cable yet.

Maximum Wire Run Lengths

Gauge	Distance
18	300 feet
20	200 feet
22	125 feet



—7720PLUS wiring connection TERMINALS—

Mounting

Determine the best antenna location for strong radio communication with the Master Station network using the 7715DFFAST Tool (see pages 21 - 23). Mount the 7720PLUS to a horizontal or vertical surface, depending on the antenna used. Be sure to allow access to the programming port when mounting. The 7720PLUS is intended to be mounted to a horizontal surface, preferably on a ceiling, or in an attic location on top of a joist when using the supplied wire antenna. If using the 7720ANT antenna kit, the 7720PLUS can be mounted to a vertical surface such as a wall or beam.

Powering Up

After all wiring is complete and the unit is mounted, plug the **battery cable** of the 7720PLUS into the connector next to the terminal block, then **apply power** to the radio. The radio will rapidly flash each LED consecutively for a total time of about 2.5 seconds. During this time, the user can configure the radio to operate in zone mode (four zone inputs) or in ECP mode, where alarm input is received from the control panel via the ECP interface. See “Choosing Mode” in the Programming Section.

PROGRAMMING THE 7720PLUS

Using A 7720P Programming Tool

The 7720P Programming Tool is powered by the 7720PLUS, and connects to the telephone connector on the 7720PLUS PC Board. Please note the the 7720P is not functional when the radio is running in ECP mode; it is functional only during power-up of an ECP radio.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Some of the older 7720P tools (those shipped prior to mid-1998) will not function if the line voltage is too low. These can be modified using instructions supplied on request, or they may be returned to Ademco for factory modification. All 7720 P tools currently shipping will work without difficulty.

Each key of the 7720P has two possible functions, a normal function and a SHIFT function. To perform a normal key function, simply press the desired key. To perform a SHIFT key function, press SHIFT key, then press desired function key.

7720P Normal & Shift Key (shift LED lit) Functions

Key	Normal Key Function	SHIFT Key Function
BS/ESC	[BS]: Press to delete entry Also, can reset EEPROM defaults*	[ESC]: Press to quit program mode.
↓ / ↑	[↓]: Scroll down programming	[↑]: Scroll up programming
N/Y answer	[N]: Press for "NO" answer.	[Y]: Press SHIFT-Y for "YES"
SHIFT	Press before pressing a SHIFT key function. Will light SHIFT LED. LED goes out once a key is pressed. Press again for each SHIFT function desired.	
1/A number	[1]: For entering the number 1	[A]: Used for entering C.S. ID
2/B number	[2]: For entering the number 2	[B]: Used for entering C.S. ID
3/C number	[3]: For entering the number 3	[C]: Used for entering C.S. ID
4/D number	[4]: For entering the number 4	[D]: Used for entering C.S. ID
5/E number	[5]: For entering the number 5	[E]: Used for entering C.S. ID
6/F	[6]: For entering the number 6	[F]: Used for C.S. ID & FAST mode
7/S status	[7]: For entering the number 7	[S]: Press to display diagnostic
8/T	[8]: For entering the number 8	[T]: Press to send TEST messages
9/X	[9]: For entering the number 9	[X]: Press to reset the 7720PLUS (Zone mode only)
★/SPACE	[★]: Not used with 7720PLUS	[SPACE]: Not used with 7720PLUS
0	[0]: For entering the number 0	No SHIFT function
#/ENTER	[#/ENTER]: Press to accept entries	No SHIFT function

- Active only when the "REVIEW?" prompt is displayed.

CHOOSING MODE: ECP OR ZONE

Using the 7720P, the user can enter the configuration set-up by pressing the enter key while the individual LEDs rapidly flash sequentially. This will cause the radio to display the following prompt on the 7720P display:

ECP Radio[Y/N]

The radio will wait 10 seconds for a response. If the radio receives *no* response or something *other* than a “Y” or an “N”, the radio will use the configuration stored in EEPROM. The default configuration is Zone mode. **If the configuration has changed, the EEPROM MUST be reprogrammed.**

If the new configuration is ECP mode, and the panel used is not capable of programming the radio, the 7720P can be used during the power-up sequence (See ECP Mode Unique Programming section, page 18). If the new configuration is zone mode, the 7720PLUS signon will appear immediately and programming may begin. If the 7720PLUS has been programmed for the given configuration, the LEDs will flash according to their functions. If the 7720PLUS has not been programmed, regardless of configuration, the LEDs will flash in unison indefinitely.

Zone Mode Unique Programming

After connecting the 7720P cable, power up the 7720PLUS (plug in the battery connector and apply power to the control panel). The following will be displayed:

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4.xx = current software revision level

Programming is accomplished by answering displayed questions. Most questions require only a [Y]es or [N]o response, while others require a numerical response (ID numbers, etc.). Press ENTER to accept each response and proceed to the next question. A “?” indicates an invalid entry. The current value is displayed on the second line in parenthesis (). To accept the current entry, simply press the ENTER key. Use the UP/DOWN arrow keys to scroll through the programming questions without changing any values.

Enter programming mode by pressing [ENTER] during the initial power up period (while LEDs are flashing consecutively).

Pressing SHIFT-X will reset the 7720PLUS to its initial power up phase if it has already entered program mode. The 7720PLUS reads its EEPROM to determine its pre-programmed parameters. A CRC of the EEPROM locations is also read. If the computed CRC does not match the one read from EEPROM or if the programming parameters are invalid, the 7720P LCD displays “NO PROG”. While the three LEDs flashes in unison, press ENTER to begin programming.

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Password Protection

If desired, the programming options can be password protected.

NOTE: If using a terminal to program passwords, use only those characters available on the 7720P. This allows later access using a 7720P Programming Tool (A, B, C, D, E, F, S, T, X).

Once a password is assigned, the following prompt appears upon entering programming mode:

ENTER PASSWORD:	
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See EXITING PROGRAM MODE paragraph later in this section for assigning and changing passwords.

SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION

- Question 1 Enter the 4-digit customer account number, 0001-9999.
- Question 2 Enter Y for Odd flag (bit value 1), N for even system flag (bit value 0).
- Question 3 Status reporting is always enabled. Enter the desired interval as follows:
Y = Short form: every 15 minutes (6-hour window for COM-FAIL report)
N = Short form: every hour (standard 24 hour reporting for COM-FAIL)

AlarmNet SYSTEM USERS (Private system users skip to #6)

- Question 4 Enter Y if an AlarmNet installation. Enter N for Private System users (skip to option #6).
- Question 5 Enter the primary central station's system ID number, 1-7F. Not applicable for Private System users.

PRIVATE SYSTEM USERS (AlarmNet users skip to #8).

- Question 6 Enter the Private System routing code, 0-7. Not applicable for AlarmNet users.
- Question 7 Enter the Private System channel number, 1-F. Not applicable for AlarmNet users.
- Question 8 Enter the AlarmNet channel number, 1-14.

PULSE/DELAY ZONE SELECTION

By configuring a zone as a pulsed zone, it is possible to use the output of a panel bell/siren driver to activate the radio directly when the signal from this driver is a pulsed output for fire and a continuous output for Burglary. To implement a Fire/Burg. detection at the radio, connect the driver output directly to two zones on the 7720PLUS. Program the Fire zone as a pulsed zone and the Burglary Zone as a delayed Zone (this is to prevent this zone from reporting an alarm when the pulsed signals are detected). The number of pulses and the length of delay will be dependent on the particular panel or siren driver being used and is therefore a programmable feature.

Note: Zones programmed for pulse cannot be designated as open/close or Telco zones; an invalid entry message will occur, since the pulse zone takes priority over open/close and Telco programmed zones.

UL Note: The control unit total delay shall not exceed 14 seconds in UL Listed applications if "yes"; 0.30 seconds if "no".

- Question 9a Press Y if zone 1 is connected to a pulsed bell output. Question 9c will appear. If N is pressed, the following appears.
- Question 9b Enter the reporting delay from 1-127 seconds for zone 1. Enter 00 for no reporting delay.
- Question 9c If Pulsed Zone is answered Y, the next question will be Pulse Cnt? Input the number of pulses required to place the zone in alarm. Default is (03).
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- Question 10a Press Y if zone 2 is connected to a pulsed bell output. Question 10c will appear. If N is pressed, the following appears.
- Question 10b Enter the reporting delay from 1-127 seconds for zone 2. Enter 00 for no reporting delay.
- Question 10c If Pulsed Zone is answered Y, the next question will be Pulse Cnt? Input the number of pulses required to place the zone in alarm. Default is (03).
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- Question 11a Press Y if zone 3 is connected to a pulsed bell output. Question 11c will appear. If N is pressed, the following appears.
- Question 11b Enter the reporting delay from 1-127 seconds for zone 3. Enter 00 for no reporting delay.
- Question 11c If Pulsed Zone is answered Y, the next question will be Pulse Cnt? Input the number of pulses required to place the zone in alarm. Default is (03).
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- Question 12a Press Y if zone 4 is connected to a pulsed bell output. Question 12c will appear. If N is pressed, the following appears.
- Question 12b Enter the reporting delay from 1-127 seconds for zone 4. Enter 00 for no reporting delay.
- Question 12c If Pulsed Zone is answered Y, the next question will be Pulse Cnt? Input the number of pulses required to place the zone in alarm. Default is (03).

INVERTED ZONE SELECTION

Zones 1-4 and the test zone can be programmed for inverted input signals.

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| Question 13 | Invert Z1 (Y/N) | Press Y to invert the input signal for zone 1. Press N for normal input signal. |
| Question 14 | Invert Z2 (Y/N) | Press Y to invert the input signal for zone 2. Press N for normal input signal. |
| Question 15 | Invert Z3 (Y/N) | Press Y to invert the input signal for zone 3. Press N for normal input signal. |
| Question 16 | Invert Z4 (Y/N) | Press Y to invert the input signal for zone 4. Press N for normal input signal. |
| Question 17 | Invert Test (Y/N) | Press Y to invert the input signal for the test zone. Press N for normal input signal |

RESTORAL REPORTING ZONE SELECTION

Restoral reporting can be enabled, disabled or delayed. The delay option delays Restoral reporting for about 1.5 minutes after the actual restore condition, which helps ensure that alarm messages reach the central station before the restore message. Note that if restores are enabled for a delayed zone, the restore condition must exist for at least 2.5 seconds (this is intended to prevent swinger conditions). If any of the zones have been programmed for pulse operation, then, following the Restoral question, the 7720P will display "REST ON CHG (Y/N)". This feature is used for zones connected to the bell output of a panel, and when enabled (Y) will report the zone in restoral when the pulse train stops and a steady state level, either high or low, is left on the zone input or when the steady state level starts pulsing. If this feature is not enabled (N), the zone will only restore on a steady state low logic level.

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| Question 18 | Rest. Z1 (Y/N/D) | Press Y to enable restoral reporting for zone 1. Press N to disable restoral reporting. Press D for delayed reporting. |
| Question 18a | Rest. On CHG (Y/N) | Press Y if restore is to be sent when the type of signal changes, i.e., when pulsing state changes to a steady state level (high or low) or when a steady state changes to a pulsing state. Restore normally occurs when the opposite steady state occurs, e.g., when a steady state high goes low. |
| Question 19 | Rest. Z2 (Y/N/D) | Press Y to enable restoral reporting for zone 2. Press N to disable restoral reporting. Press D for delayed reporting. |
| Question 19a | Rest. On CHG (Y/N) | Press Y if restore is to be sent when the type of signal changes, i.e., when pulsing state changes to a steady state level (high or low) or when a steady state changes to a pulsing state. Restore normally occurs when the opposite steady state occurs, e.g., when a steady state high goes low. |
| Question 20 | Rest. Z3 (Y/N/D) | Press Y to enable restoral reporting for zone 3. Press N to disable restoral reporting. Press D for delayed reporting. |
| Question 20a | Rest. On CHG (Y/N) | Press Y if restore is to be sent when the type of signal changes, i.e., when pulsing state changes to a steady state level (high or low) or |

when a steady state changes to a pulsing state. Restore normally occurs when the opposite steady state occurs, e.g., when a steady state high goes low.

Question 21

Rest. Z4 (Y/N/D)

Press Y to enable restoral reporting for zone 4. Press N to disable restoral reporting. Press D for delayed reporting.

Question 21a

Rest. On CHG (Y/N)

Press Y if restore is to be sent when the type of signal changes, i.e., when pulsing state changes to a steady state level (high or low) or when a steady state changes to a pulsing state. Restore normally occurs when the opposite steady state occurs, e.g., when a steady state high goes low.

OPEN/CLOSE, TELCO & TAMPER ZONE SELECTION

- Question 22 Enter the open/close reporting zone number, 1-4. A [0] entry disables open/close reporting. If the zone selected was programmed to be a pulse zone, (see Questions 8-11), this zone number selection is invalid and will be tagged as an error.
- Question 23 Enter the physical Telco line fault zone, 1-4. A [0] entry disables Telco detection. **If this zone is the same as the open/close zone, this selection will automatically be set to "0" and Telco detection will be disabled.** If the zone selected was programmed to a pulse zone (see Questions 8-11) this zone number selection is invalid and will be tagged as an error.
- Question 24 Enter tamper zone, 5-8. A [0] entry disables tamper detection. If tamper is enabled, delayed restores will be automatically generated.
- Question 25 Press Y for 135 second interval antenna test. Press N if no antenna test is desired.
- Question 26 If AC LOSS RPT is answered yes (Y), the radio will report the loss of AC voltage within a 10 to 40 minute window, from its detection. If this feature is disabled (N), this message will be suppressed. **NOTE:** In either case, low battery messages will be sent as detected.
- Question 27 Press Y if fail-safe mode is desired. In this mode, the fault relay is normally energized and will de-energize in the event of a radio fault. Note that fail-safe mode draws slightly more standby current. See the SETTING THE JUMPERS section for setting the relay output.
- Question 28 Press Y if radio fault line is to be latched high upon detection of transmission error. Press N if a momentary closure upon detection of transmission error is desired.

REDUNDANT CENTRAL STATION REPORTING

- Question 29 Press Y if redundant reporting to a second central station is desired. Press N if not desired (skip to end).
- Question 30 Press Y to enable reporting to second central station for zone 1. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 31 Press Y to enable reporting to second central station for zone 2. Enter N to disable reporting.

- Question 32 Press Y to enable reporting to second central station for zone 3. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 33 Press Y to enable reporting to second central station for zone 4. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 34 Press Y to enable test reporting to second central station. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 35 Press Y to enable tamper reporting to second central station. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 36 Press Y to enable reporting of system report to second central station. Enter N to disable reporting.
- Question 37 Enter the 4-digit customer account number for the second central station, 0001-9999.
- Question 38 Enter the second central station's system ID number, 01-7F. This ID number must be different from the one programmed in question 5 (the Primary CS ID).

EXITING PROGRAM MODE, SETTING DEFAULTS & ASSIGNING PASSWORDS

When the last question is answered, all entries are validated by the system. If no errors are found, the following is displayed:

REVIEW?

To review the programming options (to ensure that the correct responses have been made), press Y. The programming questions will be displayed again, starting with question 1. Use the UP/DOWN arrow keys to scroll through the program fields without changing any of the values. If a value requires change, simply type in the correct value. When the last field is displayed, the REVIEW? question again appears.

If errors are found during the validation routine (values are out of range or there is a conflict of parameters), the REVIEW? question is replaced by the following:

ERRORS FOUND
HIT ANY KEY

Upon hitting any key, the first invalid entry is displayed. Correct the entry then press ENTER to display the next invalid entry. When the last invalid entry is corrected, the system again performs a validation routine. If no errors are found, the REVIEW? question is displayed.

To display all program entries (not only invalid entries) press the up arrow key. The previous question appears. Use the down arrow key to display subsequent programming entries.

Setting Factory Defaults: The programming options can be globally reset to their factory default values by pressing ESC at the REVIEW? prompt. A confirmation prompt will appear. Press Y to reset, or press N to return to the REVIEW? prompt. If Y is pressed, all programmed values will be reset to their original factory settings.

To exit program mode & assign passwords, press N in response to the REVIEW? question. If no password has been assigned, the following appears:

ENTER PASSWORD?
[Y/N]

Passwords can be used to split the programming questions into two menus. See PASSWORD PROTECTION paragraph earlier in this section. If a password is desired, press Y. The following prompts appear. Press N if no passwords are desired.

ENTER PASSWORD:

Enter the desired password (up to 4 digits max).

Verify Password

Re-enter the password for confirmation.

NOTE: If using a terminal to program passwords, use only those characters available on the 7720P, to allow later access using a 7720P (A, B, C, D, E, F, S, T, X).

If a password has already been assigned for the current programming menu, the ENTER PASSWORD? prompt is replaced by the following:

CHG PASSWORD?
[Y/N]

Press Y or N, depending on whether you want to change the password for the **current** programming menu. If [Y]es, you will be prompted to enter the new password twice (as confirmation). To clear an existing password, answer “Y” to the “change password” prompt, but press only the ENTER key when prompted for the new password and its confirmation.

When the password question(s) have been answered, the system exits program mode and returns to normal mode. The Programming Tool can then be disconnected, or can be used to trigger test messages. Refer to the TESTING THE 7720PLUS section.

NOTE: Older programming tools {shipped prior to mid-1998 and not modified) cannot be used to send a test message; they will cause a reset condition. Use the test message posts on the radio to send a test message without using the 7720P.

ECP MODE UNIQUE PROGRAMMING

If ECP mode has been selected and the control panel being used does not support programming mode (e.g. VIA30+), the 7720P can be used to program the radio. To enter programming mode, the <ENTER> key of the 7720P must be pressed during the sequential flashing of the LEDs. The following sign-on message will be displayed for one second:

7720ECP xxx
(c)Pittway 1999

xxx = current software revision level

All displayed questions *must* be answered. The subsequent question will *not* be displayed until the current question is answered. Unlike the case of the Zone mode, pressing <ESC> will not bring the list of programming questions to the end, if any question has been left unanswered.

- Question 1 Enter the Device Address of the radio. For VIA 30+, VISTA 10 and VISTA 20 families, this must be 3. For other control panels, see the panel's installation instructions.
- Question 2 Enter the 4-digit customer account number, 0001-9999.
This account number will appear in the messages generated by the radio. Messages generated by the panel will contain the subscriber ID number programmed in the panel.
- Question 3 Enter Y for Odd flag (bit value 1), N for even system flag (bit value 0).
- Question 4 Status reporting is always enabled. Enter the desired interval as follows:
Y = Short form: every 15 minutes (6-hour window for COM-FAIL report)
N = Short form: every hour (standard 24 hour reporting for COM-FAIL)
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- Question 5 Enter the primary central station's system ID number, 1-7F
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- Question 6 Enter the AlarmNet channel number, 1-14
- Question 7 Press Y for 135 second interval antenna test. Press N if no antenna test is desired.
- Question 8 If AC LOSS RPT is answered yes (Y), the radio will report the loss of AC voltage within a 10 to 40 minute window, from its detection. If this feature is disabled (N), this message will be suppressed. **NOTE:** In either case, low battery messages will be sent as detected.
- Question 9 If Y is selected, the Radio ID number will replace the panel Subscriber ID in panel-generated messages.
- If N is selected, the radio will send panel-generated messages with the panel Subscriber ID number.
- Question 10 This **must** be programmed with a value, even if it is the same as the primary central station. The control panel has the option to send a selected message to the second central station.
- Question 11 Press "Y" to review the programming options and to ensure that the correct responses have been made. Parameters can be changed during review. Press "N" to end programming session.

ANTENNA MOUNTING

Selecting A Location

If **Non UL installation**, an antenna location which has reliable communications with at least one base station with an uplink signal strength reading of “3” or greater may be used .

NOTE: Place a check mark [✓] in the “Single Site Supervision” box on the Subscriber Contract.

For UL Grade “A” or Grade “B” installations, find an antenna location which has reliable communication to at least two AlarmNet Base Stations with a minimum uplink signal strength reading of “3”.

After determining the type of installation required (UL, Non UL) find an antenna location within the premises. Locations can be found by utilizing the test mode of the 7720PLUS (see TESTING THE 7720PLUS section), the 7715 FAST Tool or the 7920 series transceiver.

- Notes On Antenna Mounting**
1. Optimum RF performance can usually be found at the highest point within a building, with the fewest number of walls between the radio and the outside of the premises.
 2. Avoid mounting the antenna near other electronic devices. The following table provides minimum distances. Highest RF energy is in the direct, horizontal line of the antenna. Therefore, vertical separation (moving electronic devices either higher or lower on wall) provides a higher level of isolation from the radio.

<u>Equipment</u>	<u>Distance</u>
Short range receiver	20 ft.
PIR	10 ft.
Control panel	25 ft.
FM radio or TV ant.	25 ft.
other devices	10 ft. minimum

The diagram below displays the 7720PLUS mounting options and the appropriate antenna hardware to be used in each of these situations.

Outdoor Antenna Mounting

The 7720PLUS must always be mounted indoors. If the only suitable antenna location found is outside of the protected building, mount the 7720PLUS close to this location on the **inside** of the building and connect an external (outdoor) antenna to the radio. Carefully follow all instructions included in these optional parts to insure integrity of the weather-proof seals on all outside connections. The following antenna kits can be utilized for remote or outdoor mounting.

<u>Antenna</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Note</u>
7720 ANT	Adapter for the Remote Antenna	
7625-3dB	3dB Gain Antenna	omnidirectional
7825	Outdoor Antenna with bracket	omnidirectional
7670F	Remote Antenna bracket	
7674	6dB Gain Direct	directional

Indoor Antenna Mounting

If the location found allows indoor mounting of the antenna, then the antenna selected depends on the mounting surface of the 7720PLUS. If it is possible to mount the 7720PLUS on a ceiling or on an attic joist, you can use the included wire antenna, which provides excellent performance (see **Standard Wire Antenna Mounting**). If the only mounting surface available is a wall, you can use the 7825DP (see **Wall Mounting**).

Standard Wire Antenna Mounting (omnidirectional)

1. Mount the 7720PLUS Subscriber Radio on the ceiling or on an attic joist.
2. Replace the 7720PLUS cover.
3. Push the antenna into the antenna receptacle until it bottoms out.
4. The antenna should be vertical and straight.
5. Rotate the antenna until it snaps into the locked position. **DO NOT BEND THE ANTENNA!**

Wall Mounting using the 7825DP (strongest signal is perpendicular to the wall)

1. Mount the radio to a wall or other vertical surface. Make sure the 3 LEDs are in the upper right hand corner.
2. Replace radio's cover.
3. Follow the Installation Instructions included with the 7825DP for mounting to the 7720PLUS Subscriber Radio.

Wall Mounting with the 7625-3dB Gain and the 7720ANT Adapter.

1. Mount the 7720PLUS Subscriber Radio.
2. Replace the radio's cover.
3. Remove the plastic insert from the cover by rotating it 45° counter-clockwise.
4. Replace with the insert provided with the antenna kit.
5. Mount the 7720ANT vertically pointing either up or down, not to the side.
6. Mount the 7625-3DB Gain directly on to the 7720ANT.
7. Mount the plastic bracket (supplied) to the wall 3 inches from the top of the antenna.

Remote Antenna Mounting

1. Mount the 7720PLUS Subscriber Radio.
2. Replace the radio's cover.
3. Mount the 7720ANT directly on to the 7720PLUS radio.
4. Mount antenna outdoors in the location determined earlier in this section.
5. Mount the ADEMCO antenna cables.

NOTES:

1. Use only ADEMCO Cables P/N 7626-5 (5'), 7626-12 (12'), 7626-25HC (25') or 7626-50HC (50').
2. Do not attempt to make the antenna cables yourself, and **do not under any condition try to splice them!**

For detailed instructions on installing the above antenna kits, please read the enclosed Installation Instructions.

Powering Up

After all wiring is complete and the unit is mounted, plug the **battery cable** of the 7720PLUS into the connector next to the terminal block.

Apply power to the radio.

The LEDs will flash consecutively for a brief time to allow entry into programming mode. If the 7720PLUS has been programmed, the LEDs will begin to flash according to their functions. If the 7720PLUS has not been programmed, the LEDs will flash in unison indefinitely.

POST INSTALLATION CHECKLIST

Post Installation Checklist is intended for installers who want to get the 7720PLUS up and running quickly.

To take full advantage of the many installation features of the 7720PLUS, we strongly suggest you take a few moments and read the programming section.

Power-Up	Always connect the battery first.
Weather Proofing	All outside antennas and cable connections must be weatherproofed.
Antenna Positioning	Make sure the 7625 antenna is vertically mounted. If installing the 7625 or 7674 antenna outside, use the 7670 Antenna Bracket and follow the installation instructions enclosed.

TESTING THE 7720PLUS

Radio Transmission Test

The 7720PLUS is capable of sending a test message, which can be received by the central station to confirm the radio's communication link to the central station.

For AlarmNet users, the test message will cause the master station network to send a "Field Triggered Diagnostic Message" to the Central Station. This message provides network information as well as signal strength and frequency characteristics of the transmitted messages. Refer to the AlarmNet User's Guide for detailed information concerning these messages. The test message can be transmitted in any of three ways. Please note that methods 2 and 3 are available in Zone mode **ONLY**. Check control panel Installation Instructions if LRR Test Mode feature is supported.

1) The TEST INPUT of the 7720PLUS can be triggered by shorting the two pins of the test connector together using a screwdriver, dime, etc., This will initiate a 90 second cycle (total of 60 messages) of test message transmissions. Note that once this cycle has been initiated by a voltage trigger, it can be turned off by using the **T** command described in (2). Otherwise, the messages will not stop until the end of the cycle.

2) A 7720P Programming Tool can be used, if the radio is operating in zone mode. To begin the cycle of test message transmissions, press SHIFT-8 (**T** command). This is a toggle function. To end the transmissions before the end of the cycle, simply enter the command again. See the NOTE on page 25.

3) A computer terminal can be used, if connected to the programming connector of the 7720PLUS. To begin a cycle of test message transmissions, press "T." This is a toggle function. To end the transmissions before the end of the cycle, simply enter the command again.

System Test

Trigger an alarm by any convenient means and observe the LED indicators on the radio. The yellow LED should light solidly, followed by the green LED flashing every 1-3 seconds at first, then slowing during the 6 minute cycle. This indicates that an alarm message has been received at the radio (yellow), and the transmitter has been activated (green). The red LED should not light.

If the radio is configured for zone mode and the zone is programmed for restore, restore the circuit. The yellow LED should light solidly, and the green LED should flash again, indicating transmission of the restore message. The central station receiver should display alarm/restore messages for each triggered alarm/restore performed.

If at any time the red LED lights, a radio fault has been detected. This could be caused by a faulty antenna connection, or might be caused by low internal battery voltage, or a failure in the radio's power circuits (see LED FLASH PATTERNS on page 4).

If the radio is in Zone mode, the 7720PLUS can display diagnostic data (**S** command) related to the status of these conditions. See Status Command section.

If the radio is in ECP mode, the status is displayed on the control panel's remote keypad in the lower right-hand corner. This display is in the form of a four-digit numeric output (usually preceded by "Long Rnge Fail"). Please see description of codes in **ECP Status Codes** section.

Replace the cover (if it was removed) and perform a control panel system test.

Status Display Interpretation for "S" Command. (Available in Zone mode ONLY) The status of the 7720PLUS can be viewed on either a 7720P Programming Tool or an appropriate terminal when either device is connected to the serial port of the 7720PLUS. The status display includes zone input status, test terminal status, tamper status, battery condition, charging voltage status and radio fault status. The 2-line display takes the following form:

1234 TeTmBaAcFlt

5555 5 5 + + 0

1234 The numbers 1-4 represent the four zone inputs, and follow Ademco High Speed Format codes:

- 1 New Event
- 2 New Opening
- 3 Restore
- 4 New Closing
- 5 Normal
- 6 Previously Reported Event
- @ Telco New Event
- P Telco Previously Reported
- p Telco Restore

Te Test terminal input codes:

- 1 Test message transmission in progress, triggered by either physical test point or "T" command.
- 5 Normal (no test message in progress).
- 6 Transmission of test message completed, but physical test point still triggered.
- P Transmission of test message pending completion of higher priority message transmission .

Tm Tamper status follows High Speed Format codes above.

Ba Represents battery condition:

- + Battery voltage acceptable
- Battery voltage below 10.03V ±2%
 - V Battery voltage going low has not yet been detected low for four consecutive transmissions
 - ^ Battery restoring, but not yet reported as restored

Ac Represents charging voltage:

- + AC voltage OK
- AC voltage bad & reported
 - V AC voltage bad, not reported (reporting window not expired)
 - ^ AC voltage restored, not reported as restored

Flt Represents Radio Faults.

- 0 Normal
- 1 Internal radio fault*
- 5 Radio Fault (Bad VSWR or low RF output (check antenna, connections and cable) **CRC** Ram/EEPROM corruption. Reset the radio and if necessary reprogram. If this fault recurs, return radio for service.

Code 1 requires factory service

Code 5 may require factory service if troubleshooting of power supply and antenna connections does not correct problem.

ECP Status Codes

When the 7720PLUS radio is set up in ECP mode, it sends to the control panel the status of its battery, the incoming AC voltage, the tamper and any RF failures. The status is displayed on the control panel's remote keypad in the form of a four-digit numeric usually preceded by the label "Long Range Fail". These codes will not clear from the remote keypad until a code-off sequence is entered and the fault condition has cleared. The status codes are broken out as follows:

Status Code Explanation

0000	Panel lost communication with the 7720PLUS radio
0400	7720PLUS Power On/Reset
3000	7720PLUS lost AC power input
0880	7720PLUS tamper detected (cover removed from radio)
0060	7720PLUS Battery is Low

(The following codes will never be combined; each is mutually exclusive)

0001	7720PLUS has internal radio fault and cannot transmit*
0005	7720PLUS Radio Fault (BadVSWR or low RF output. Check antenna, connections and cable)
0006	7720PLUS EEPROM and/or RAM is corrupt (internal CRC is bad)*
0007	7720PLUS had not been programmed

Codes 1 & 6 require factory service.

Last Detected Fault “E” Command

(Available in Zone mode ONLY)

The last detected radio fault and the last reported radio fault can be viewed by pressing “E” on a 7720P Programming Tool or an appropriate terminal when either device is connected to the serial port of the 7720PLUS.

The message is a 2-line display where the top line identifies the last fault that the 7720PLUS detected and the second line identifies the last fault that the 7720PLUS actually reported to the monitoring network. The **last detected fault** represents a fault that occurred on at least one transmission, but did not necessarily trip the fault relay. The **last reported fault** is a fault that was present for a number of transmissions (typically at least 4 consecutive transmissions) and which tripped the fault relay. The possible fault numbers are described in the “S” command paragraph above. If the detected fault does not match the reported fault value, and the transmission cycle has finished, it indicates that the fault was not present long enough for the radio to report the condition.

These values are stored in EEPROM and will be retained even when the 7720PLUS is powered down. To erase the numbers from memory, press ESC (shift BS) as the next keystroke after pressing “E”. The fault value is also erased automatically upon exiting program mode.

NOTE: Since the execution of this command requires access to the RJ11 connector, the antenna and cover must be removed. By doing so, the radio will detect an RF fault as well as a tamper. To prevent this fault from overwriting a previous fault, the radio does not write the last reported fault to EEPROM if a tamper is detected.

Unique Contact ID Messages Generated in ECP Mode

The following is a list of messages generated by the 7720PLUS when it is in ECP mode. These messages are in Contact ID format.

Message Transmitted by 7720PLUS	Message Displayed on 685	Description of Alarm
333008xx*	R330 C8xx*	Restore of any RF faults reported to the panel. (Restore of System Peripheral Trouble).
134208xx* 334208xx*	E342 C8xx* R342 C8xx*	ECP AC Loss ECP AC Restore
133808xx* 333808xx*	E338 C8xx* R338 C8xx*	ECP Low Battery ECP Low Battery Restore
133908xx*	E339 C8xx*	ECP Power On/Reset
134108xx* 334108xx*	E341 C8xx* R341 C8xx*	ECP Tamper ECP Tamper Restore
13550000 33550000	E355 C000 R355 C000	Radio Lost Communication with the Control Panel Radio Re-established communication with the Control Panel

Note: “xx” is the Device Address programmed in the 7720PLUS radio. (see ECP Unique Programming section).

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Probable Cause	Solution
No signals received	AC power not available and battery dead.	Verify that wall outlet is live and voltage is between 102 and 138 VAC.
	Wall power pack defective.	Verify approximately 12 volts AC across terminal block positions 1 and 2. Replace power pack.
	Antenna Location	See page 21-23 for selecting Antenna locations.
	Programming (Subscriber #, Central Station ID #, or O/E)	Verify and correct programming entry.
	Radio Fault	If you have a 7720P, see page 26 If you don't have a 7720P, see page 4 (LED FLASHING).
	Low Battery and AC not connected.	Apply AC voltage to radio for approximately 2 hours to charge battery. If this fails, replace battery.
	Environment	If temperature exceeds -30°C to 60°C, radio may not perform correctly. Mount radio in temperate area.
		Relocate the 7720PLUS by using the Remote Antenna Kit.
Central Station is not receiving Alarms.	No connection to ground	Connect common ground from trigger output of panel to TB 1 Pin 4.
	Incorrect trigger input.	Verify type of input. Application of +4.5 to 12 volts (Non-Inverted). Absence of +4.5 to 12 volts (Inverted).
	Incorrect Jumper settings.	See Setting the Jumper Options: J2 Zone Sense Input

SPECIAL NOTES FOR U.L. INSTALLATIONS

The 7720PLUS Subscriber Unit can be used in systems Listed by Underwriter's Laboratories for Grade A and Grade B Central Station Mercantile Burglary. The following additional requirements must be observed for the installation of subscriber remote equipment in such systems:

1. Installation must be in accordance with the National Electrical Code, UL611 and UL681.
2. The 7720PLUS is intended to be connected to dry contact and voltage trigger outputs of a Listed compatible control unit.
3. The 7720PLUS must be programmed as follows:
 - a) This product is not Listed for Fire Alarm Service. Therefore, zones should not be programmed as pulsed (programming questions 9a, 10a, 11a, 12a).
 - b) Delayed reporting should be programmed as 00 (programming questions 9b, 10b, 11b, 12b).
 - c) Restoral reporting must not be disabled (programming questions 18, 19, 20, 21).
 - d) The Telco channel must be enabled. Do not enter 0 (programming question 23).
 - e) A tamper zone must be enabled (programming question 24). The tamper switch shall be enabled and mapped to a 7720PLUS zone. (Tamper is automatically configured in ECP configured radios.)
 - f) The High Security Antenna Test option must be programmed as YES (programming question 25). The default is once every 135 seconds.
 - g) AC Loss Reporting must be programmed as YES (programming question 26).
 - h) The Fault Relay On option must be programmed as YES (programming question 27).
 - i) The Fault Relay Latched option must be programmed as YES (programming question 28).
4. **FOR GRADE A CENTRAL STATION INSTALLATIONS:** A UL Listed communicator must monitor the radio fault output (terminals 11 & 12) of the 7720PLUS. A No. 659EN Telco Line Monitor's output should be connected to an input zone of the 7720PLUS unit. The 659EN shall be inside the control enclosure. Premises openings and closings should be sent via the communicator. The fault relay (question 26) shall be programmed as fail-safe (fault relay ON) and jumper J1 shall be set in "A" position (normally closed). In addition, the installation must meet the requirements defined for GRADE B CENTRAL STATION INSTALLATIONS defined below.
5. **FOR GRADE B CENTRAL STATION INSTALLATIONS:** All wiring between the 7720PLUS and the Listed control panel must be enclosed in rigid conduit (outside walls) or flexible conduit (inside walls or above ceilings). The control unit shall be a Listed Grade A Local Burglar Alarm Unit/Police Connect Unit.
6. **FOR POLICE STATION CONNECTED INSTALLATIONS:** Same requirements as for GRADE A CENTRAL STATION INSTALLATIONS defined above, except that the control panel must be Listed for GRADE A POLICE CONNECT, and premises openings and closings do not need to be sent via the communicator.
7. All wiring not run in conduit shall be contained within the same room as the 7720PLUS.

Specifications

Dimensions:	8.5" x 9.5" x 1.7".
Power:	120 volt AC $\pm 15\%$ to wall power pack; wall power pack provides unregulated AC voltage of approximately 12 volts to radio.
Power required:	40 VA, peak, during rf transmission.
Battery:	Ademco 7720BT, 12VDC, 800 mAH
Fuse:	Internal self-resetting solid state fuse, 3 Amp rating. Fault Relay Output: 30V, 1A
Trigger Voltage Outputs:	12 VDC, nominal.
Input triggering levels:	Zones 1 & 2: selectable 0 volts or 4.5 to 14.2 volts into 10k ohms Zones 3 and 4: 4.5 to 12 volts into 10k ohms
RF power output:	5 watts nominal
Frequency band:	928.0125 MHz to 928.3375 MHz, 25 KHz channels
Frequency selection:	Programmable at installation to any one of 14 available channels.
Frequency accuracy:	± 2.5 PPM.
Operating temp:	-30 to +60 deg. Celsius.
Storage temp:	-40 to +70 deg. Celsius.

Humidity: 90% relative humidity, non-condensing
Altitude: to 10,000 ft. operating, to 40,000 storage.
Antenna: Integral 5/8 wave whip.
Optional external Type N connector

“FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

(FCC) STATEMENT”

This equipment has been tested to FCC requirements and has been found acceptable for use. The FCC requires the following statement for your information:

This equipment generates and uses radio frequency energy and if not installed and used properly, that is, in strict accordance with the manufacturer’s instructions, may cause interference to radio and television reception. It has been type tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B computing device in accordance with the specifications in Part 15 of FCC Rules, which are designed to provide reasonable protection against such interference in a residential installation. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equipment off and on, the user is encouraged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the following measures:

- If using an indoor antenna, have a quality outdoor antenna installed.
- Reorient the receiving antenna until interference is reduced or eliminated.
- Move the receiver away from the transmitter.
- Move the antenna leads away from any wire runs to the transmitter.
- Plug the transmitter into a different outlet so that it and the receiver are on different branch circuits.

If necessary, the user should consult the dealer or an experienced radio/television technician for additional suggestions.

The user or installer may find the following booklet prepared by the Federal Communications Commission helpful:

“Interference Handbook”

This booklet is available from the U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, DC 20402. Stock No.

The user shall not make any changes or modifications to the equipment unless authorized by the Installation Instructions or User’s Manual. Unauthorized changes or modifications could void the user’s authority to operate the equipment.

TO THE INSTALLER

Regular maintenance and inspection (at least annually) by the installer and frequent testing by the user are vital to continuous satisfactory operation of any alarm system.

The installer should assume the responsibility of developing and offering a regular maintenance program to the user as well as acquainting the user with the proper operation and limitations of the alarm system and its component parts. Recommendations must be included for a specific program of frequent testing (at least weekly) to insure the system’s proper operation at all times.

THE LIMITATIONS OF THIS RADIO COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM

While this 900 MHz Long Range Radio communications system is part of an advanced and sophisticated security system, it does not offer guaranteed protection against burglary or fire, nor does it guarantee communication of burglary or fire warning signals to a central station. Any alarm system, or any communications system, whether commercial or residential, is subject to compromise, or failure to warn, for a variety of reasons. Examples of some of these reasons are:

- Intruders may gain access through unprotected openings or have technical sophistication to bypass an alarm sensor, and then disconnect an alarm communicating radio transmitter.
- Signals sent by 900 MHz radio transmitters may be blocked by metal, mountains, hills, foliage and other natural and man made obstructions before they are received by a master receiving station or sent to a central station. Even a path previously verified as acceptable may periodically change its characteristics.
- Long-range radio communication transmitters will not work without power. Radio transmitters require a battery to work properly in the absence of A.C. power. A weak or dead battery, or improperly installed batteries may prevent these devices from functioning properly if A.C. power is disrupted for any reason.

- Radio communication systems are subject to external interference, natural or man-made, intentional or coincidental, that may keep a signal or group of signals from being successfully received by a master receiving station or a central station. In addition, one-way radio communication devices receive no acknowledgment from a master receiving station that their signals are being successfully received. Signals transmitted may clash with those transmitted from other systems. While statistical estimates predict successful operation, if the guidelines in the system manuals are followed, the operation of this system is still probabilistic in nature and may be subject to random signal failures.
- Radio communication devices may change their characteristics over time. Such parameters as frequency, modulation and power should be properly monitored periodically, with required adjustments made by qualified personnel.
- Radio communication devices must be installed by qualified personnel. Improper installation or selection of a transmitter's location may cause intermittent or unreliable performance.

Any electronic or mechanical device can fail. The most common cause of an alarm system or a radio communications system not functioning properly when an intrusion or fire occurs is inadequate maintenance, maintenance that is intended to find such failures as soon as possible. This alarm and communication system should be tested weekly to be sure all sensors and transmitters are working properly.

Installing an alarm system may make one eligible for lower insurance rates, but an alarm system is not a substitute for adequate insurance. Homeowners, property owners, business owners and renters should continue to insure their property and lives.

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