

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY SUPPLY BULLETIN

CAUTION NOTICE FOR ANTENNA BASES, TOWERS,
AND OTHER MAST STRUCTURES

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- 1. Purpose.** This bulletin authorizes issuance of the identification plate described below to bring to the attention of all operating or maintenance personnel the requirement that the installation of all masts and antenna structures is to be a safe distance from power lines.

<i>Federal stock No</i>	<i>Quantity</i>	<i>Description</i>
9905-511-8751	1	Plate: identification aluminum white letters on red background inscribed "caution" - "This equipment shall not be installed closer than twice its height from power lines."

- 2. Information.** a. The caution plate described above can be requisitioned from the Defense General Supply Center, Richmond, Va. This item is a Stock Fund Item and has a unit cost of 25 cents. Requisitions submitted should reflect a fund citation. The caution plate will be requisitioned by the using organization through channels prior to installation of all masts and antenna systems.

b. No special tools are required for installation.

- 3. Instructions.** a. Attach the caution plate to the base member of all antenna bases, towers, or other mast structures so that it is readily visible from the ground. This plate may be attached by the most suitable means for the type of structure on hand. Figure 1 shows several methods of attaching the plate to various structures.

b. The caution plate is to remain on the equipment at all times and is not to be painted or defaced in any manner that will destroy its legibility.

- 4. Procedure.** The caution plate will be applied by organizational maintenance personnel to equipment in the hands of using organizations not having trained maintenance personnel of the specified category will request instructions from higher category of maintenance facilities through command or established channels. Signal field maintenance facilities will apply the caution plate when equipment is received for repair or modification, and if possible to do so concurrently without delay.

a. Application of the caution plate will not be made to depot stock or prior to issue.
b. Refer to TB SIG 291 before erection of any tower.

- 5. Queries.** Any queries concerning the contents of this bulletin should be directed to the Commanding General, United States Army Electronics Command, ATTN: AMSEL-MRNICPS, 225 South Eighteenth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 19103.