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Frequency response	200 Hz — 6000 Hz
Loudspeaker impedance	8 ohms
Input impedance (MIC.)	1.5 kohm
Record system	D.C. bias, 2 track, monaural
Erase system	D.C. erase
Tape speed	4.75 cm/sec.
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Rewind time (for C60 cassette)	within 95 sec.
Auto stop	mechanical auto. stop

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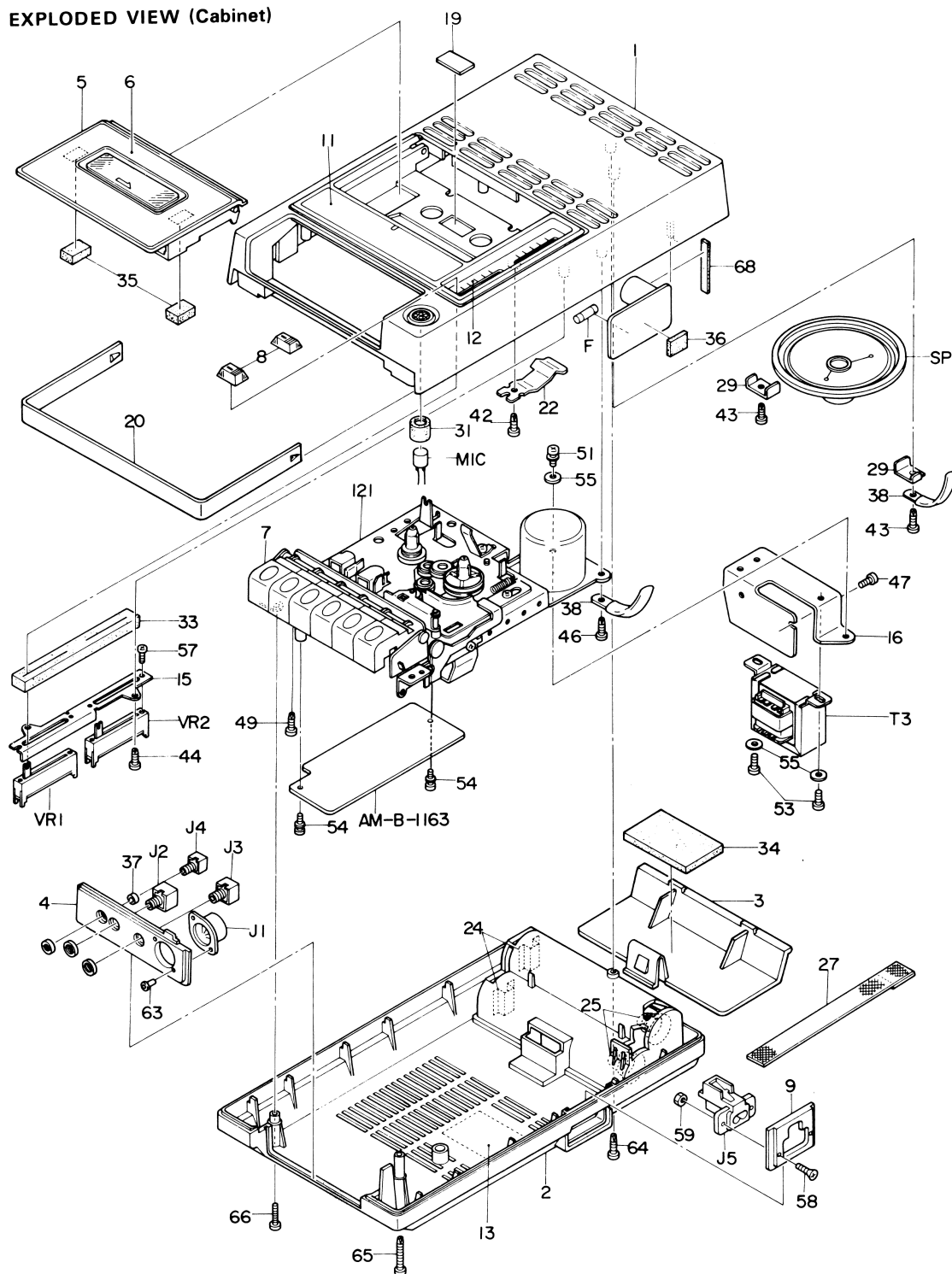
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# EXPLODED VIEW (Cabinet)



## CABINET ASSEMBLY

Ref. No.	Description	Code Number	Ref. No.	Description	Code Number
1	Cabinet front	4802 443 37008	11	Metcal — function strip	4802 454 27044
2	Cabinet rear	4802 443 57007	12	Metcal — volume and tone controls	4802 454 27045
3	Battery Compartment lid	4802 443 67039	19	Reflector (orange)	4802 462 77111
4	Mounting Plate (jack sockets)	4802 454 27042	20	Handle	4802 498 57012
5	Cassette Holder	4802 443 67041	22	Cassette Holder Spring	4802 492 67195
7	Push Button (6x)	4802 410 27057	24	Battery Terminal (+ ve), 2x	4802 256 67018
8	Slider Control Knob (2x)	4802 411 67043	25	Battery Spring (- ve), 2x	4802 256 67024
9	Mounting Plate (mains socket)	4802 454 27043	29	Speaker Retainer, 2x	4802 403 57136
				Fuseholder	4802 492 67004



## ELECTRICAL PARTS LISTS

### CAPACITORS

C	Description	V.W.	Code Number
1	0.47 mF aluminium	10	4802 124 47014
2	33 mF electro	10	4802 124 47013
3	3 n3 mylar	10	4802 121 47153
4	0.47 mF aluminium	10	4802 124 47014
5	1n5 mylar	50	4802 121 47148
6	56 p ceramic	50	4822 122 31074
7	1mF electro	16	4802 124 47037
8	4.7 mF electro	16	4802 124 47034
9	10n mylar	50	4802 121 47158
10	4.7 mF electro	16	4802 124 47034
11	330 mF electro	10	4802 124 47011
12	1 mF electro	16	4802 124 47037
13	100 mF electro	10	4802 124 47002
	10 n mylar	50	4802 121 47158
16	33 mF electro	10	4802 124 47013
17	390 p ceramic	50	4822 122 30091
18	6n8 mylar	50	4802 121 47156
19	33 mF electro	10	4802 124 47013
20	0.22 mF aluminium	10	(subst.) 4802 124 47014
21	2200 mF electro	10	4802 124 47007

### RESISTORS

All resistors are standard value, 0.25 or 0.5 watt, carbon film types, except where shown below.

VR1	Slider potentiometer,	20K/B (Volume)	4802 105 17058
VR2	Slider potentiometer,	20K/D (Tone)	4802 105 17059

### INDUCTORS

T	Description	Code Number
1	Input transformer	4802 142 47031
2	Output transformer	4802 140 67034
3	Mains transformer, 240V.	4802 145 27011
	Loudspeaker (77 mm dia. 8 ohm)	4822 240 30096

### SEMI-CONDUCTORS

D	Description	Code Number
1	Diode HV-80	4802 130 37041
2-5	Diode OA636/1000 (10D1)	4802 130 37022
<b>Q</b>		
1	Transistor 2SC1312G	4802 130 47176
2,3	Transistor BC547 (2SC7 11G)	4822 130 40965
4,5	Transistor BC337 (2SC1209D)	4822 130 40855
6	Transistor BC547 (2SC7 11G)	4822 130 40965
VS	Varistor IN914 (VD - 1123)	5322 130 30009

### MISCELLANEOUS

Cct. Ident.	Description	Code Number
J1	5 pole DIN socket, with switch	4822 267 40162
J2,J3	Jack socket, 3.5 mm (Mic. & earphone)	4822 267 30232
J4	Jack socket, 2.5 mm (Remote)	4802 267 37011
J5	A.C. socket (2 pin)	4802 265 27008
	Cover for J5	4802 462 77156
MIC	Condenser microphone	4802 242 37031
S1	Slide switch, 6 way change-over	4802 277 67013
F	Fuse, 1 amp.	4822 253 20018
	Mains lead	4802 321 17025
	Earphone	4802 242 47005



## ELECTRICAL ADJUSTMENT

### Record Bias Adjustment

This unit uses a DC bias system and the bias current is set to about  $70\mu\text{A}$ . If the distortion factor exceeds 10%, the bias current must be increased according to the procedures below.

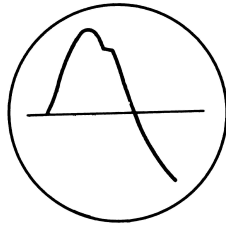
### Adjustment

The bias current is determined by the value of R7 and the +B voltage applied thereto. Refer to the circuit diagram.

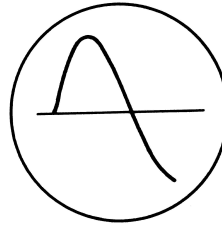
Example:  $I_{\text{bias}} = +B/R7 = 4.6\text{V}/68\text{K}\Omega \approx 68\mu\text{A}$

\* Head resistance is disregarded.

Accordingly, the bias current is increased as the value of R7 is decreased, and vice versa. In practical cases, R7 should be changed to  $56\text{K}\Omega$  to increase the bias current to  $82\mu\text{A}$ . If the bias current is too high, the result is a loss of high frequency response. The distortion can be checked by recording and playing a sine wave signal.



Insufficient bias current



Normal bias current

## MECHANICAL ADJUSTMENT

### 1. Head Azimuth Adjustment

With V.T.V.M. connected to EAR OUT, play a standard tape (10kHz, -10dB). Turn the head azimuth adjusting screw for a maximum reading on V.T.V.M. After the adjustment, secure the screw with a locking paint.

### 2. Tape Head Demagnetization

The tape head may be magnetized if a magnetized tool is brought close to it or the tape deck is used for an extended period of time. When the head is magnetized, the result is a loss of high frequency or an increase of noise in tape. Magnetized tape head should be demagnetized by using a head demagnetizer.

### 3. Pinch Roller Pressure

400 ~ 650 g

Read the value indicated on a tension gauge at the point where revolution of the pinch roller comes to half with the gauge pressed onto it.

### 4. Take-up Torque

40 ~ 75 g-cm

Measure on the take-up reel platform operating in play. If less than 40 g-cm, check to see if it is caused by slippage between the reel platform and the play idler.

- (1) If found to be slipping, wipe and clean the rubber portion of the take-up reel platform and the pulley of the drive roller assembly, using alcohol.
- (2) If the reel platform itself is the cause of the slippage replace the reel Base Unit.

### 5. Rewind Torque

Better than 70 g-cm

Measure the torque on the supply reel platform operating in REW. If less than 40 g-cm, clean the supply reel platform, REW idler assembly, REW pulley assembly, drive belt and flywheel with alcohol.

### 6. F.F. Torque

Better than 70 g-cm

Measure the torque on the take-up reel platform operating in F. FWD. If less than 40 g-cm, check to see if it is caused by slippage between the reel platform and the play idler. If found to be slipping, clean the rubber portion of the take-up reel platform, the flywheel and the F.F. idler with alcohol.

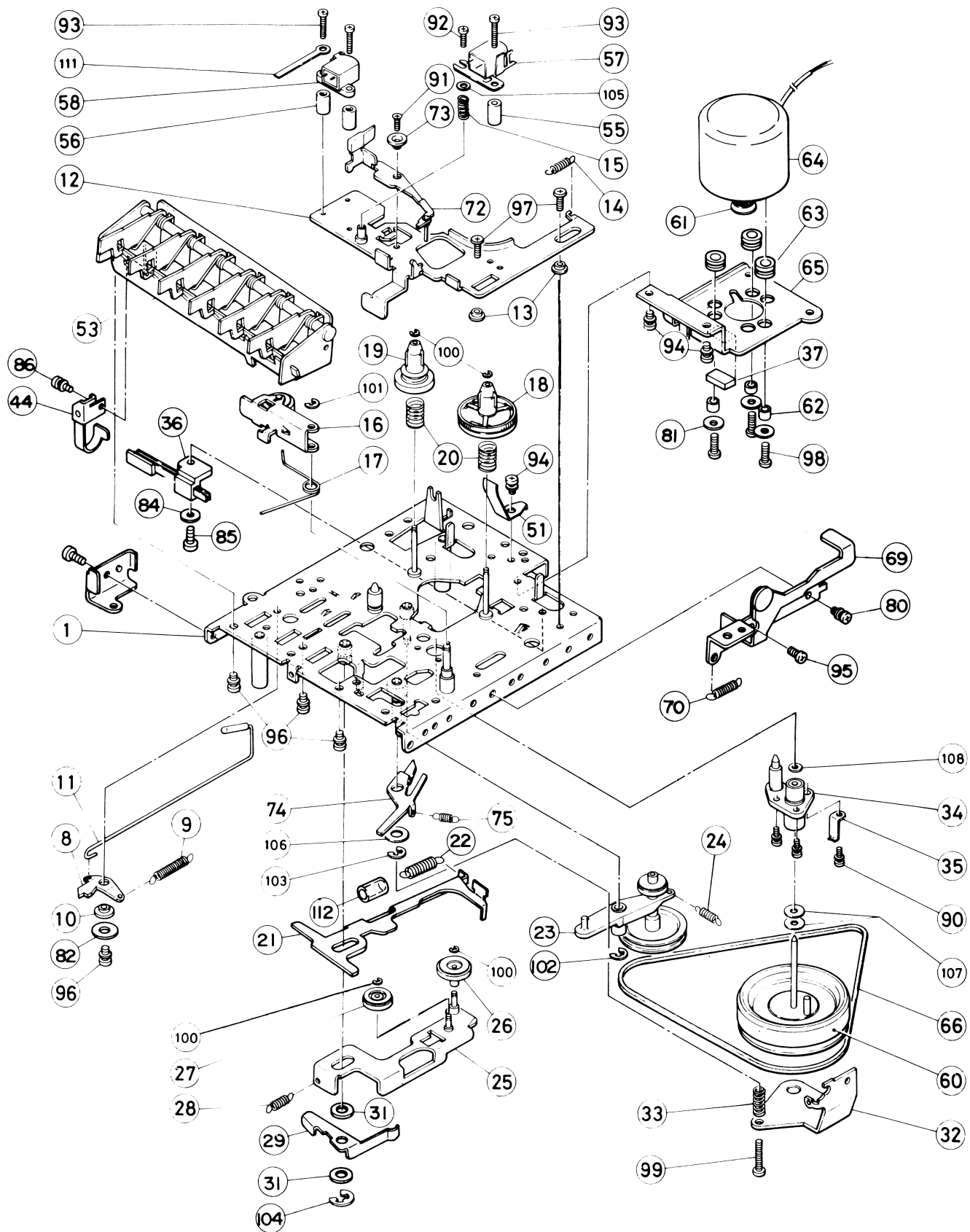


**CASSETTE MECHANISM**

<b>Ref. No.</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Code Number</b>
121	Complete mechanism	4802 691 27017
8	Record safety lever	4802 403 57126
9	Spring, for above	4802 492 37176
10	Record safety lever bushing	4802 403 57127
11	Record safety lever spoke	4802 403 57128
12	Sub-chassis assembly	4802 464 57022
13	Collar, 2x	4802 532 17073
14	Spring, tension	4802 492 37177
15	Spring, compression (record/playback head mtg).	4802 492 37132
16	Pinch roller assembly	4802 403 47012
17	Spring, for above	4802 492 47016
18	Turntable	4802 528 17067
19	REW turntable	4802 528 17068
20	Compression spring, 2x	4802 492 37134
21	Plate	4802 403 57129
22	Spring, tension	4802 492 37178
23	Take-up idler assembly	4802 528 27029
24	Spring, for above	4802 492 37179
25	Fast-formed idler arm assembly	4802 403 27026
26	Take-up idler wheel	4802 528 87071
27	Fast-formed idler wheel	4802 528 87072
28	Spring, tension	4802 492 37181
29	Rewind lever	4802 403 37038
31	Nylon washer, 2x	4802 532 57091
32	Flywheel mounting bracket	4802 403 57131
33	Thrust spring	4802 492 37132
34	Flywheel bearing block	4802 520 17017
35	Earthing plate	4802 403 57132
36	Leaf switch	4802 278 97035
37	Shock absorber (motor mounting)	4802 466 47007
40	Bracket (chassis mounting)	4802 403 57133
44	Record push-plate	4802 403 37039
51	Cassette holder spring	4802 492 67172
53	Push button switch assembly	4802 278 17013
55	Spacer (record/playback head mounting)	4802 532 27056
56	Spacer (erase head mounting), 2x	4802 532 27051
57	Record/playback head	4802 249 17021
58	Erase head	4802 249 47021
60	Flywheel	4802 528 67023
61	Motor pulley	4802 528 87073
62	Spacer, motor mounting, 3x	4802 532 17085
63	Grommet, motor mounting, 3x	4802 325 87011
64	Motor	4802 361 27036
65	Motor mounting bracket	4802 403 57134
66	Drive belt	4802 358 37007
69	Eject lever assembly	4802 403 57135
70	Spring, for above	4802 492 37182
72	Auto-stop lever assembly	4802 403 17022
73	Bushing	4802 532 57079
74	Auto lever	4802 403 57084
75	Spring, for above	4802 492 37187
92	Screw, M2x6 (Rec./playback head adj.)	4822 502 10745
100	E-ring, 1.2 mm. dia.	4822 530 70119
101	E-ring, 1.9 mm. dia.	4822 530 70122
102	E-ring, 2.3 mm. dia.	4822 530 70043
103	E-ring, 3.0 mm. dia.	4822 530 70123
104	E-ring, 4.0 mm. dia.	4822 530 70124
107	Washer (with oil groove)	4802 532 57083



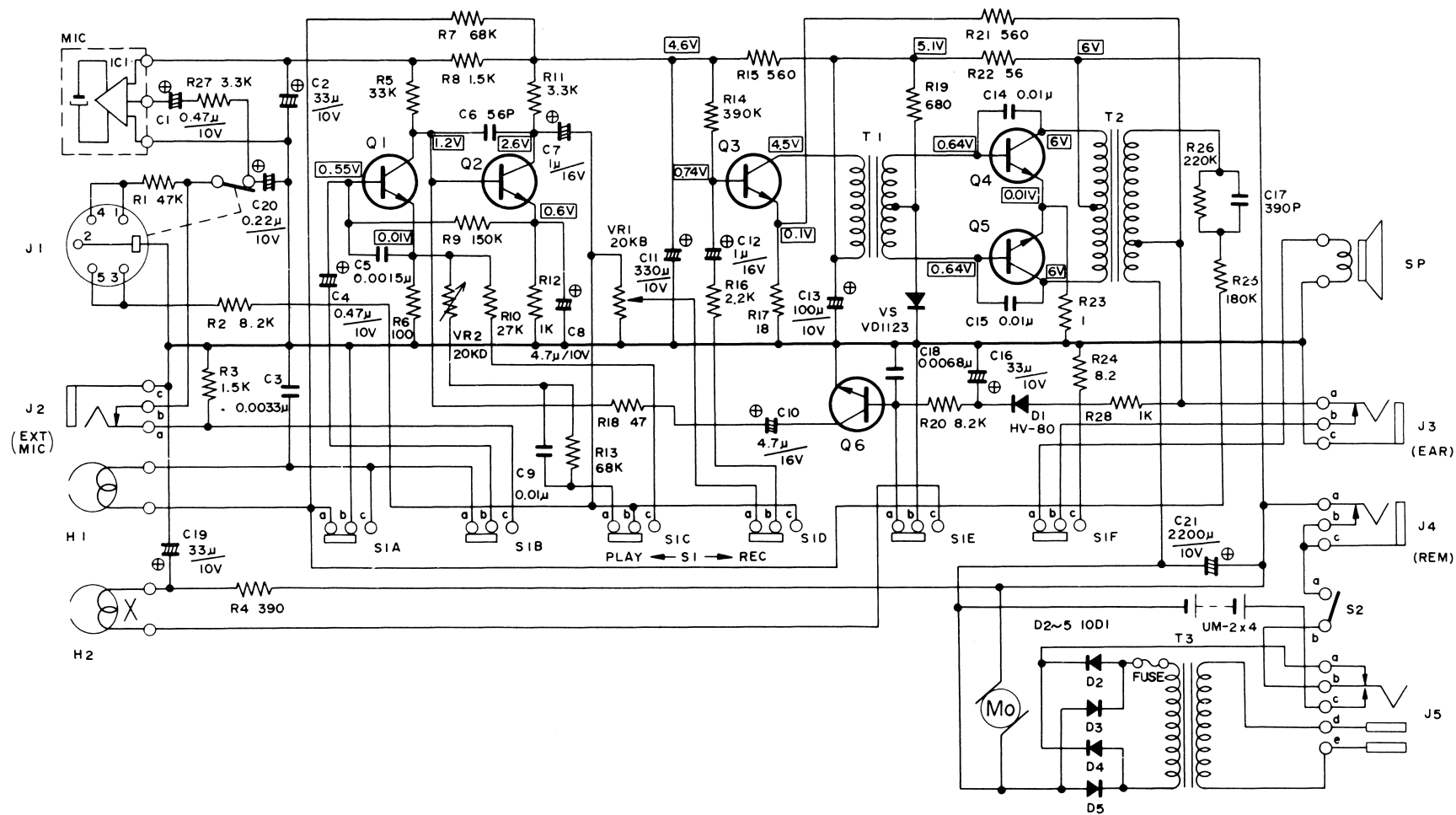
# EXPLODED VIEW (Mechanism)



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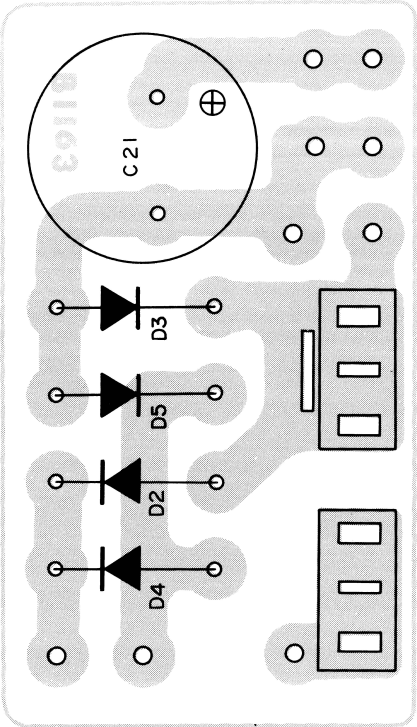
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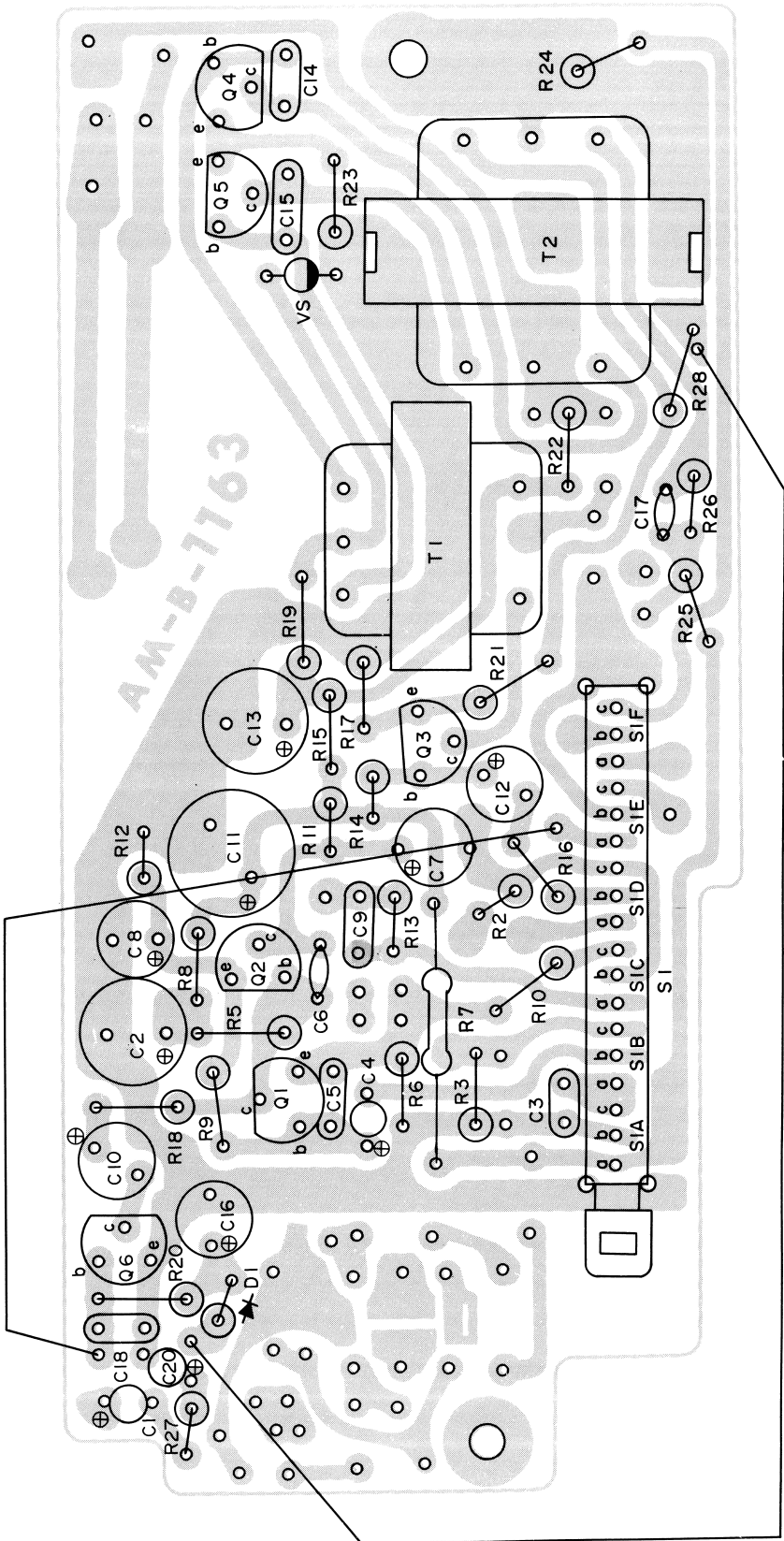


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Power Supply



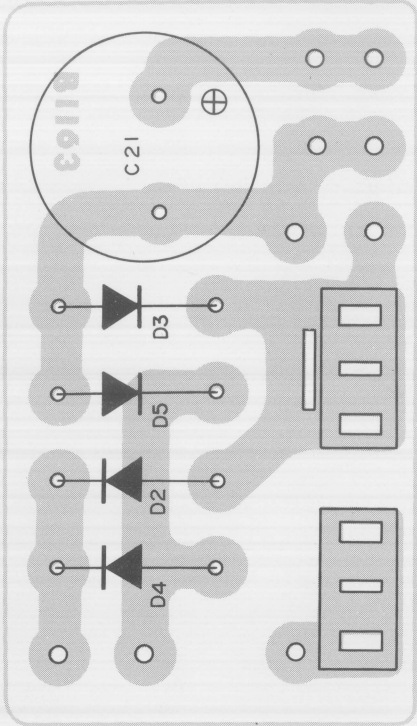
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