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### Equipment Modification.

## Changes to KDD-SCS Supplied UJ Splicing Equipment

On behalf of KDD Submarine Cable Systems, the Universal Jointing Consortium wishes to announce changes to two of the fibre splicing equipments supplied by them.

The first change concerns the Sumitomo T35SE fusion splicer, which has a new torsionless jig. The new TJ-2 jig attaches to the top of the machine as before, but the design has been improved to help hold the fibres more securely.

Full instructions are supplied with the new UJ fibre splicing machines supplied from September 2000. The serial numbers SCS00-S001(4789P3) onwards are affected.

The second change concerns the video graphic printer, supplied in the fibre splicing tool kit.

The model has changed from UP-880 to UP-885. It is smaller and slightly lighter, and has a small increase in power consumption. Apart from this, the unit operates in the same manner and uses the same printer paper.

As with the new video graphic printer, instructions are provided with the equipment and serial numbers SCS00-T001 onwards are affected.

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