# T10000RT SERIES POOL/SPA EQUIPMENT CONTROLS

## INSTALLATION OPERATION & SERVICE MANUAL

# **CONTROL PANEL WITH TIME SWITCH FOR INDOOR/OUTDOOR USE** Suitable for Pool Equipment Control and for Direct Connection of Underwater Lights

# ELECTRICAL RATINGS: See inside Enclosure Door

# **DANGER! TO AVOID RISK OF INJURY:**

...do not permit children to operate the Control Unit or use the Pool/Spa unless they are closely supervised at all times. ...test GROUND FAULT protection regularly. If it fails to reset, DO NOT USE THE POOL or SPA!

Contact a qualified service technician.

...always disconnect electricity before servicing this control or the equipment connected to it.

**READ, FOLLOW AND SAVE THIS INSTRUCTION MANUAL** 

# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Many of today's energy efficient pools and spas utilize the advantages of a single electrical panel, containing all the necessary controls for the safe, efficient and automatic operation of the pool/spa equipment. In addition, this Panel can also be used to control any outdoor equipment, sign or pump within its rated capacity.

The Transformers supplied in these panels are specifically designed to supply 12 volts to underwater pool/spa lights. A grounded shield between the primary and secondary winding assures safe operation and the builtin circuit protection will disconnect power to the transformer in case of overload. These transformers are suitable for direct connection to underwater Pool and Spa lights.

The all-weather enclosure contains a heavyduty, industrial grade Time Switch. Also, it has provisions to install switches inside as well as a switch or GFCI receptacle on the outside. The Time Switch can also accommodate an optional heater control (fireman) switch.

The Control is designed to operate any pump, within its rated capacity. However, if protection to prevent dry start is required by the pump manufacturer, it must be provided in addition to this Control. Contact pump manufacturer if not sure and/or for more details.



Transformer	Input	Secondary Output		
Rating	60 Hz.	Lamp Watts*	Volts	
100W 300W	120V. 1 Amp Max. 120V. 3 Amp Max.	100 Max. 300 Max.	12, 13 or 14 12, 13 or 14	

\* Any combination of bulbs, any tap.

## **IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS**

When installing and operating this Product and other associated equipment, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

- 1. Read and follow all instructions.
- 2. This Control Panel must be installed by a qualified electrician, according to the National Electrical Code (including article 680) or Canadian electrical Code (including section 68) and, local code requirements. For Canadian installations, transformer supply circuit must be protected by a ground fault circuit interrupter.
- 3. Install this control not less than 5 feet (3 meters in Canada) from inside edge of pool. USE COPPER CONDUCTORS ONLY.
- 4. Do not exceed the maximum ratings of individual components, wiring devices, and current carrying capacity of conductors.
- 5. For Control grounding, bonding, installing and the wiring of underwater lights, refer to Article 680 of the National Electrical Code or Article 68 of the Canadian Electrical Code.
- 6. The Control should not operate any equipment which would cause bodily injury or property damage should it be activated unexpectedly.
- 7. Do not connect two or more transformers in parallel or use with dimmers.
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## INSTALLATION

- 1. Remove the four #10 hex head screws from the **back** of the enclosure and attach mounting brackets to enclosure.
- Select the proper location for the Control Panel and hang enclosure on a flat vertical surface or other support, using hardware suitable for the purpose.
- **3.** Prepare the necessary conduit runs, terminate them at both ends and pull in the conductors as specified by the installation layout. \*If this control is to be used for direct connection to under-water lights, a Nonmetallic Hub Kit shall be used. Order 156PA13713A for a 1/2" Kit, 156PA13714A for a 3/4" Kit or 156PA13715A for a 1" Kit.
- 4. Refer to Figure 1 below; note that this enclosure contains one Time Switch. To wire the panel, follow the wiring diagram located inside the enclosure door. Make sure that



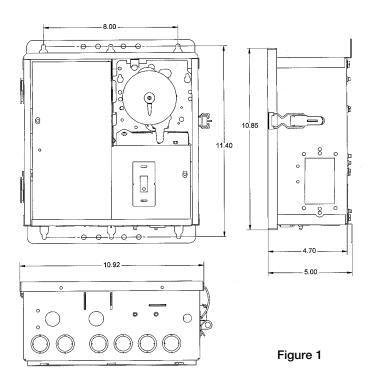
connections to time switch terminals are tight (25 lb.-in. minimum) and insulation clears the pressure plate - see illustration.

- **5.** If required by the heater manufacturer, install fireman switch kit 156T4042A (not furnished) on Time Switch Plate and make the fireman switch connections. Use at least #18 AWG wiring with insulation rated 300 Volt or higher. Place heater ON/OFF switch on heater to **ON** (see Figure 2 on page 3). Some heaters may require a special connecting harness, contact heater manufacturer for details.
- 6. To install an additional wiring device inside the enclosure, first remove rectangular knock-out in dead front. Next, remove hex head screws in back of enclosure and install stand-offs\* in place of screws. Attach wiring device to stand-offs.

\*Stand-offs are not furnished. Order 21T156A for a set of four (4) stand-offs and mounting hardware.

- **7.** If external bonding is required, install a bonding lug at bottom of enclosure and bond installation according to code requirements.
- 8. Testing of the installation is optional and recommended only if pump is securely in place and will not be damaged by this test:
  - a. Turn the manual lever of the Time Switch to OFF.
  - **b.** Turn ON power at breaker panel.
  - **c.** Move the manual lever of Time Switch to the right (ON). Pump should start and run on full speed. In case of unsatisfactory results, turn OFF power, check your wiring, refer to Troubleshooting on Page 3.

- **9.** The enclosure must be grounded as required by NEC, Article 680 and any applicable local codes. For Canadian installations, the transformer supply circuit must be protected by a ground fault circuit interrupter.
- **10.** If this enclosure is used for direct connection of underwater lights, refer to 1999 NEC 680-21(b), 2002 NEC 680-24(b) or CEC 68-060, 062 and 066 for further details.
- **11.** Use the tables at the top of page 3 as a guide to determine the correct secondary wire size.
- **12.** Connect power supply to voltage tap (lead) on primary side of transformer as noted in table. Make sure that all unused transformer taps are separately insulated.
- **CLEARS PRESSURE PLATE 13.** Check voltage at lamp terminals after installation. It should be  $12\pm 0.3$  volts.
  - **14.** Install front panel over wiring compartment. The control is now ready for programming, see OPERATION section on Page 3.



Transformer Cable - Voltage Selection Chart						
Length of Cable	100 W Transformer					
10 ft	13 V	12 V	12 V	12 V	12 V	12 V
25 ft	13 V	13 V	12 V	12 V	12 V	12 V
50 ft	14 V	13 V	13 V	12 V	12 V	12 V
75 ft		14 V	13 V	13 V	12 V	12 V
100 ft			13 V	13 V	13 V	12 V
125 ft			14 V	13 V	13 V	12 V
150 ft			14 V	13 V	13 V	13 V
175 ft			14 V	14 V	13 V	13 V
200 ft				14 V	13 V	13 V
250 ft				14 V	13 V	13 V
Wire Gauge (AWG)	#16*	#14	#12	#10	#8	#6

\* Minimum Gauge Cable

\*\*Blank fields indicate conditions not suited for wiring

Transformer Cable - Voltage Selection Chart				
Length of Cable	300 W Transformer			
10 ft	12 V	12 V	12 V	12 V
25 ft	13 V	13 V	12 V	12 V
50 ft	13 V	13 V	13 V	13 V
75 ft		14 V	13 V	13 V
100 ft		14 V	14 V	13 V
125 ft			14 V	13 V
150 ft			14 V	14 V
175 ft				14 V
200 ft				14 V
250 ft				14 V
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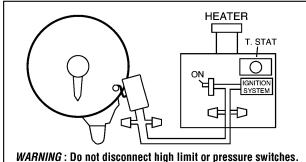
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## **OPERATION**

TO SET FILTER PUMP TIME SWITCH, follow instructions on the right. The length of the daily filtration/ heating cycle depends on many variables such as size, shape, geographic location of the pool, water chemistry, type of pool equipment, usage and season of year. If not sure, contact your local pool service professional for advice.

THE FIREMAN SWITCH (Heater Protection Mechanism), if required, is factory set and shuts OFF the heater 20 minutes before the Time Switch turns OFF the filter pump. The Fireman Switch requires no setting or service.

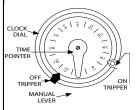


### **SYMPTOM**

- 1. Time Switch time but dia
- 2. Time Switch at ON or OF
- 3. Dial stops a turns OFF.
- 4. Load is ON dial is turnir
- 5. Dead clock motor gears

	Fig	ure 2		
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#### TIME SWITCH OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS



1. TO SET "ON" AND "OFF" TIMES: Hold TRIPPERS against edge of CLOCK-DIAL, pointing to time (AM or PM) when ON and OFF operations are desired. Tighten tripper screws firmly.

#### 2. TO SET TIME-OF-DAY:

Pull CLOCK-DIAL outward. Turn in either direction and align the exact time-of-day on the CLOCK-DIAL (the time now, when switch is being put into operation) to the pointer.

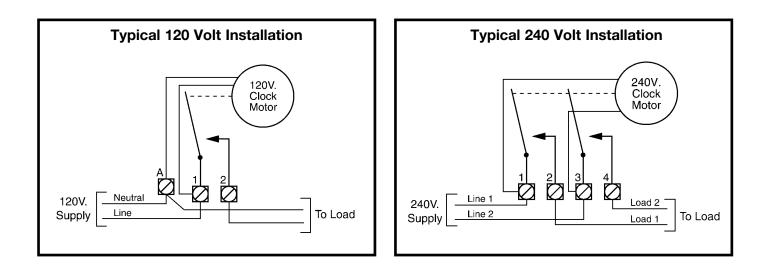
• TO OPERATE SWITCH MANUALLY: Move MANUAL LEVER below CLOCK-DIAL left or right as indicated by arrows. This will not affect the next operation.

• FOR MORE THAN ONE DAILY ON-OFF OPERATION: Place additional tripper pairs on CLOCK-DIAL (order 156T1978A).

• IN CASE OF POWER FAILURE: Reset CLOCK-DIAL to proper time of day. See step 2 above.

	TROUBLESHOUTING	
1	CAUSE(S)	CORRECTIVE ACTION
ch will not keep ial is turning.	1a. Frequent power outages 1b. Wrong voltage/cycle 1c. Loose clock motor connections	Reset dial Change clock motor Check connections
ch Dial stops DFF tripper.	2a. Loose tripper 2b. Bent dial 2c. Defective motor	Check/change tripper Check/change mechanism Change clock motor
after switch	3a. LINE leads are connected to LOAD terminals	Reverse LINE and LOAD con- nections
N at all times - ing.	4a. Welded contacts 4b. Two ON trippers and no OFF tripper on dial	Change mechanism Change tripper
	4c. Defective mechanism	Change mechanism
motor. (Clock 5a. Defective clock motor		Change clock motor
rs do not rotate).	(open coil due to lightning or surge) 5b. Loose clock motor connections 5c. Wrong voltage	Check connections Change clock motor
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## WIRING DIAGRAM



- **NOTES:** 1. Grounding connections are not shown but must be provided. Refer to the National Electrical Code for details.
  - 2. Diagrams above are only two of the many variations this Panel can accommodate.

#### LIMITED WARRANTY

Warranty service is available by either (a) returning the product to the dealer from whom the unit was purchased or (b) completing a warranty claim online at www.intermatic.com. This warranty is made by: Intermatic Incorporated, 1950 Innovation Way, Suite 300, Libertyville, IL 60048.

For additional product or warranty information go to: http://www.Intermatic.com or call 815-675-7000.

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