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sound barriers**

**Consolidated
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**SLATE
Splice Locator
and Tape Eraser**

Cuemaster SLATE Splice Locator and Tape Eraser

Consolidated Electronic Industries is the leading manufacturer of professional magnetic recording equipment in Australia.

The company supplies radio and television stations, recording studios, theatres, government departments, public utilities and service organisations with a superior range of products. These include: cartridge tape recorders; transportable and studio model reel to reel recorders; automated broadcasting systems; splice locators and tape erasers; broadcast logging systems; variable message repeaters; automatic verbal announcing systems; facsimile recording equipment; servo mechanisms; industrial control systems; video monitors; computers; and components.

As well as being a major supplier to the Australian market, the company also exports, to Europe, the United States of America, Africa, South East Asia and the Pacific Region.

Consolidated Electronic Industries has long been an innovator in broadcasting equipment technology. The company maintains its dominant position in the market because of its size and flexibility. It is large enough to provide a growing inventory of specialised products, yet flexible enough to respond quickly and positively to the changing needs and exacting demands of this dynamic industry.

The Cuemaster Splice Locator and Tape Eraser is an indispensable aid in the production of cartridge format program material by ensuring that program material always commences immediately after the splice. A superior tape eraser is in-built.

SLATE is designed in the modular style of the Cuemaster 910 and 990 Series Cartridge Record and Replay machines and can be used on its own or combined with the 910 and 990 Series machines to form a complete cartridge preparation system.

The capstan drive DC servo motor and the precision milled 12 mm aluminium deck ensure long life performance. SLATE is quiet too, because of the specially designed erase coil and air-damped solenoid.

Though SLATE is a self-contained unit, many components are compatible with those in the 910 and 990 Series machines, allowing for a standardised and less costly spares inventory.

SLATE has many excellent operational features which save time and allow other activities to be undertaken while cartridges are automatically being prepared for recording.

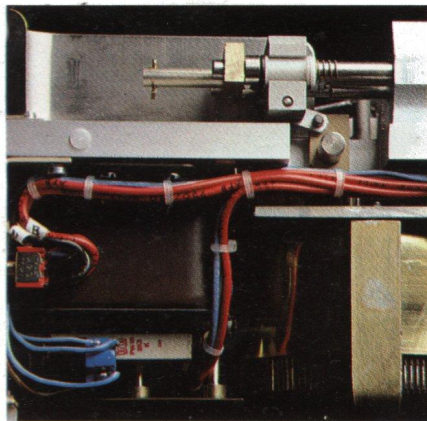
The Splice Locator and Tape Eraser functions can be operated separately or sequentially.

The unique SLATE electronic sensing device stops the tape with the splice just past the record head. It will sense thicknesses down to 0.05 mm, allowing a wide variety of splicing tapes to be used.

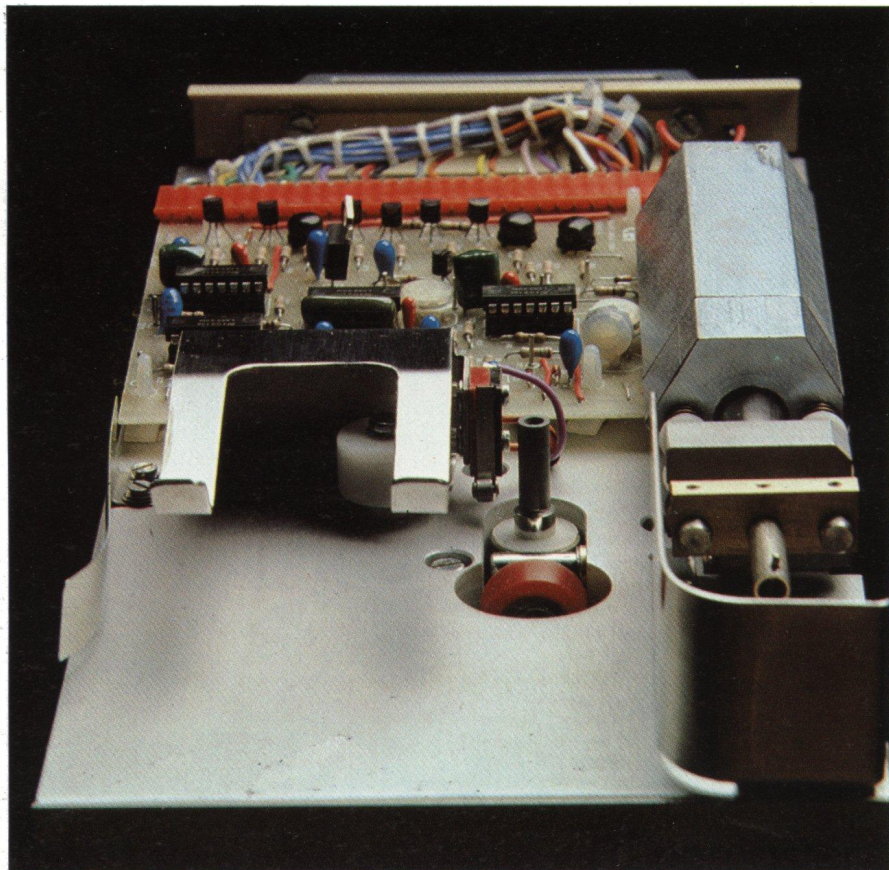
SLATE works fast, with an erasure cycle of only 20 seconds and a splice location speed of 38 cm/s.

Illuminated push-buttons and status indicators minimise operator error and provide greater production efficiency.

The Cuemaster Splice Locator and Tape Eraser offers many unique features and unrivalled technical performance. Consolidated Electronic Industries is, indeed, 'breaking the sound barriers'.



12 mm deck plate and Erase coil



Operates without heads



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