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TO: List of Attendees  
SUBJECT: FORUM Minutes for 16 October 1973

cc: RJ Chevalier  
CT Clingen  
RM Gross  
RA Roach

F&I  
~~Schwartz~~  
~~Chick~~  
~~Coakley~~

ATTENDEES: WJ Burner RE Hoffman ED Kleinow JR Steinberg  
RC Daley DA Kayden LJ Ryan

A. H6180 Hardware Installed

- the op-not-complete problem on CP-A appears to have been fixed via replacement of two boards which were sent from Phoenix over the weekend; this processor has now run for about 24 hours with no recurrence of the problem.
- CSM-Ø and CSM-5 are currently not on service. A poorly-seated USH board was apparently the problem on one of these modules.
- SCU-B/Mem-C had a failure over the weekend; Kleinow is working to bring-out and isolate the problem.
- SCU-C/Store-A's marginal Power Supply was replaced.
- Dev-IOM had a failure in the DIA; bad chip on JM board.
- Dev-355 came up with a power fault on Friday; FED replaced a resistor in the power supply.
- MPC500 had a bad memory chip replaced.
- on DSS190 select-lock problem, Kleinow needs more information from Noel Morris; Daley will pursue.
- BOS Console locked-up during system boot on Friday morning; Kleinow will investigate.
- getting read-write errors on tapes--most prevalent on MTH-C.

B. H6180 Hardware to be Installed

- new Power Supply for Bulk Store has arrived, is awaiting installation.
- two DSU190 Disk Drives arrived in Boston yesterday, can be installed anytime now that System 21.0 is operational.
- still missing 3 short cables needed for DCH190; also need 8 long cables not previously identified as missing.
- the new Bulk Store Controller will be cabled tomorrow.
- CP/Serial #07 is expected to arrive in Boston on Friday, October 19th; Gross to provide plan for installation of new CP and removal of old CP by noon tomorrow.
- expect to remove PRT300 from second floor next Tuesday morning, install PRT301.
- later next week, two DSU190's (see above) will be installed.
- Kleinow estimates about one hour for each 15 wires involved in DSS191 FCO's; Hoffman reported that implementation will probably happen by end of November, firm dates to be established after all 4 necessary FCO's have actually been received on-site.

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B. H6180 Hardware to be Installed (continued)

--the "Gumpertz Gismo" now housed in the Dev-355 is connected to the Service-IOM; Ken Pogran (MAC) is currently responsible for maintenance of this hardware. Hoffman to check status of Phoenix Engineering Design Review on this device; and Burner to contact Dave Clark to discuss the building of a "clean-up" board to be the prime ARPA interface--this new version of Rick's Rack will be mounted in the Service-IOM where it belongs.

C. Software

--System 21.0 has been installed; one minor problem ( a feature in the Salvager didn't work correctly) was found and fixed.  
--had a "good" week last week on Software with only two crashes due to S/W-suspected; Snyder is investigating both problems which appear to be in DN-355 software.  
--no restart on ARDS project; Daley will pursue with Clingen.  
--review of current bug-list shows bug #190 not assigned, bug #162 half-fixed, potential downgrade of priority for #129, and bug #125 will be re-initiated by Daley. Bug #104 is being fixed as part of the new signalling mechanism, has not recurred for the past four months.

  
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