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Subject: USCAR-17 Revision 5 Letter #5

Changes have been made to USCAR-17 as described below. Comments and questions can be sent to EWCAP@uscar.org.

Situation:

Step 7 of 4.2.1.2 Procedure requires to measure SWR and IL per procedure 4.2.2.2, Steps 4, 6 and 7. Step 7 of procedure 4.2.2.2 per USCAR17 Rev 6 is to "Completely un-mate and mate each sample a total of 10 times and leave them mated."

Per a previous version (USCAR17 Rev 4) it's clear that this is not intended. In that version, Step 7 determines the start gate and stop gate of the CUT and the 10 mate and un-mate cycles are in Step 8. (Revisions 5 and 6 requires doing 10 mates but Rev. 4 does not.)

Resolution:

Change Step 7 of 4.2.1.2 to not include repeating Step 7.

and

7.1 Measure SWR and IL per Procedure 4.4.2.2, Steps 4, 6, 8.7. Sections of this test apply to all RF connector types refer to 4.4.2 for application specifics.