

PDS-REM

Profanity Delay System Remote

For use with the 5100-AVD

Operations Manual



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Introduction

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- Overview
- Wiring Diagram

A Word of Thanks

Congratulations on choosing Cal Media Engineering's **PDS-REM Profanity Delay System Remote** for the 5100-AVD Dual Channel Audio-Video Broadcast Delay and Profanity Elimination System.

Should you have a question pertaining to the installation or operation of your PDS-REM, please contact us at the numbers listed on the back cover of this manual, or through our web site at www.calmedia.com.

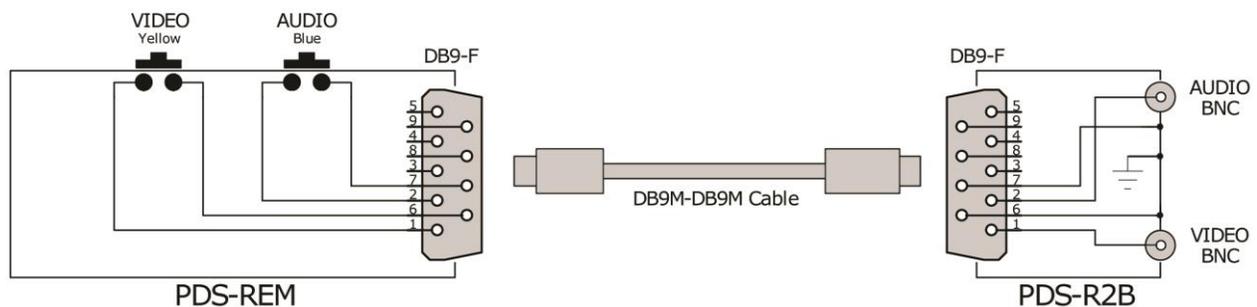
Overview

The PDS-REM is a desktop remote control panel designed exclusively for use with the 5100-AVD openGear™ card. This simple remote provides a two button interface using high quality industrial push switches for use as the Video and Audio “Panic” buttons to censor unwanted material from a broadcast.

The Video and Audio push buttons are connected to the 5100-AVD's GPI ports via a standard DB9 cable and BNC adapter (included). Pressing either the Video or Audio button will activate the corresponding GPI switch in the 5100-AVD, and censor the content by switching to the programmed “safe” source. The switch will continue to censor content as long as the push button is held down.

See the 5100-AVD Operations Manual for details on configuring the GPI switches, reaction time, and “safe” sources.

Wiring Diagram



Installation and Setup

In This Chapter

This chapter contains the following sections:

- Unpacking
- Installation

Unpacking

Unpack each **PDS-REM Profanity Delay System Remote** you received from the shipping container, and check the contents to ensure that the following items are included.

- (1) PDS-REM Desktop Remote Control Panel
- (1) PDS-R2B DB9 to BNC Adapter
- (1) DB9 Male-to-Male cable

If any items are missing or damaged, contact your sales representative or Cal Media Engineering directly.

Installation

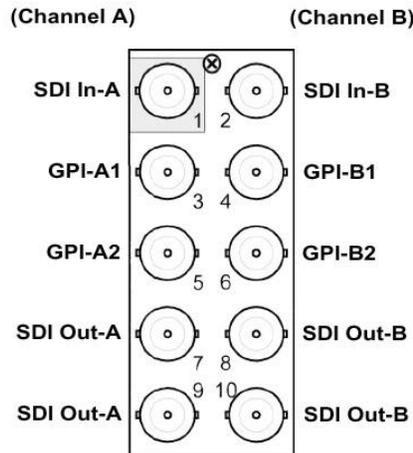
Connect one end of the DB9 cable to the back of the Remote Control Panel.

Connect the other end of the DB9 cable to the PDS-R2B Adapter.

Connect a BNC cable from the Adapter BNC labeled “GPI Video” to the GPI-A1 BNC connector on the 5100-AVD rear module (see rear module drawing below).

Connect a BNC cable from the Adapter BNC labeled “GPI Audio” to the GPI-A2 BNC connector on the 5100-AVD rear module (see rear module drawing below).

If installing two Remote Control Panels for Dual Channel or Two Operator modes, connect the second set of BNC cables to the GPI-B1 and GPI-B2 BNC connectors.



5100-AVD Cable Connections for the Rear Module

Operation

Remote Control Panel

The PDS-REM Remote Control Panel allows for simple operation of the 5100-AVD Profanity Elimination System. Once the 5100-AVD is setup properly, the yellow “VIDEO” push button will censor any unwanted video content by replacing it with a “safe” source. The blue “AUDIO” push button will likewise censor any unwanted audio content by replacing it with a “safe” source.

Recommended 5100-AVD Setup

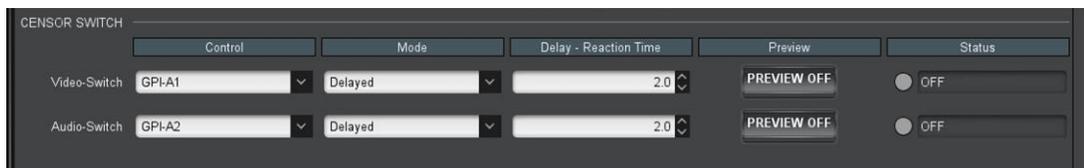
The recommended setup for profanity elimination is to use “**Delayed**” mode with **Reaction Time**.

In this mode, the operator monitors the input source (non-delayed). When an incident occurs the operator immediately presses down the VIDEO and/or AUDIO button and continues holding it down until the incident has passed. Because the operator will not recognize the incident until after it has occurred, a **Reaction Time** is selected to compensate. If an adequate **Reaction Time** is selected, the delayed main program output will switch away to some other “safe” material before the offending incident occurs and will switch back to the main program after the incident is over.

See 5100-AVD operation manual for more information.

Setting up the GPI switches

The *Control* tab menu on the 5100-AVD DashBoard™ interface includes the controls necessary to setup for profanity elimination.



Switch Control

The *Control* drop-down box assigns the GPI port to externally control the Video and Audio Switches.

Select **GPI-A1** for **Video Switch** (the port that the remote’s “Video” cable is connected to).

Select **GPI-A2** for **Audio Switch** (the port that the remote’s “Audio” cable is connected to).

Switch Mode

The *Mode* drop-down control should be set to “Delayed” for both Video and Audio Switches.

Switch Delay-Reaction Time

The *Delay-Reaction Time* control is used to advance the start time of the switch activation. This feature is used to compensate for human response time in recognizing an objectionable incident. The Reaction Time has a range of 0 to 6 seconds in 0.1 second steps.

This control is typically set to a range of 2 - 3 seconds, but should be tailored to the operator. The value should be set a little longer than the time it takes the operator to recognize that something objectionable has occurred and press the button.

Be aware that setting a large value might unnecessarily remove too much valid program material ahead of the objectionable incident.

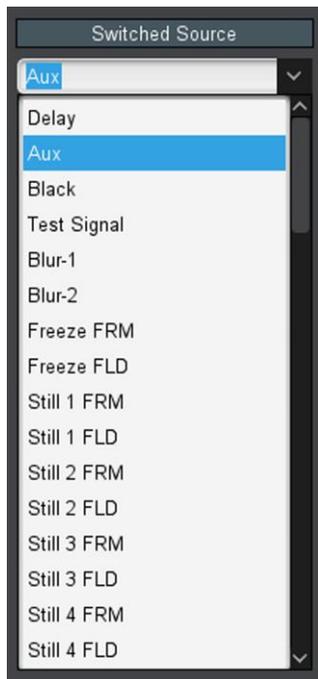
Setting up “Safe” Sources

Video Switched Source

This section of the *Control* menu contains controls for configuring the Video Output.



Use the Video Output *Switched Source* control to select a “safe” source for when the Video button is pressed (ON).



- Delay = Delayed Video input.
- Aux = Aux Video input. (not available in *Dual Channel Delay* mode)
- Black = Black Video (0 IRE).
- Test Signal = **Video Test Signal** generator (see *Stills & TSG* menu).
- Blur-1 = Blur Filter (normal).
- Blur-2 = Blur Filter (high).
- Freeze FRM = Full Frame Freeze of output video while the switch is active.
- Freeze FLD = Field mode Freeze of output video while the switch is active.
- Still # FRM = Display Full Frame Still image (see *Stills & TSG* menu).
- Still # FLD = Display Field mode Still image (see *Stills & TSG* menu).

Audio Switched Source and Switched Level

This section of the *Control* menu contains controls for configuring the Audio Output.



Use the Audio Output *Switched Source* and *Switched Gain* controls to select “safe” sources for all audio channels when the Audio button is pressed (ON).

Full Audio Mapping is possible with the *Switched Source* control. Any source may be selected for any output channel, including one source feeding multiple output channels. Silence (mute) and four internal tone generators are also available as sources.

Example: Aux Emb 5 signal can be output on Emb Ch 1, and Emb Ch2.

The **Reset All – Switched Source** control will quickly assign all 16 channels to the selected source.

Source 1:1 – This will assign all Source channel#s to their corresponding output channel#s.
Source Ch1 to Output Emb Ch1,, Source Ch16 to Output Emb Ch16.

The level of each switched channel may be adjusted –40 to +20 dB with the *Switched Gain* control.

The **Reset All – Switched Gain** reset button will adjust all audio channels to 0dB (default).

Specifications

Pushbutton Switch Lifetime

Mechanical Durability	5,000,000 cycles
Electrical Lifespan	250,000 cycles

Control Panel

Dimension L,W,H	7 inches, 5 inches, 2.5 inches
Overall Height	3.3 inches
Cable Connector	DB9-Female

Adapter

Dimension L,W,H	2.65 inches, 2.61 inches, 1.10 inches
Overall Length	3.2 inches
Cable Connector	DB9-Female
GPI Outputs	2 BNCs

Cable

Type	DB9 Male to Male shielded
Maximum length	1000 feet

Specifications subject to change without notice.

5 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

California Media Engineering Inc. warrants that this product (PDS-REM) is free from defects in material or workmanship for a period of five (5) years from the date of original purchase. In the event this product becomes defective through normal usage, California Media Engineering Inc. agrees to repair or at its option replace the defective product without charge.

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Repair Policy

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If required, a Return Material Authorization number (RMA) will be issued to you, as well as specific shipping instructions. Do not return any product before obtaining a RMA number. Any shipping costs incurred are the customer's responsibility. If available, a temporary replacement card may be provided at a nominal charge.

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