## 200 (TORQUAY) SQUADRON



# RADIO COMMUNICATIONS REFERENCE SHEET

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#### **Phonetic Alphabet**

<u>Letter</u>	<u>Phonetic</u>	Spoken as	<u>Letter</u>	<u>Phonetic</u>	Spoken as
Α	ALFA	<i>AL</i> FAH	N	NOVEMBER	NO <i>VEM</i> BER
В	BRAVO	<i>BRAH</i> VOH	0	OSCAR	OSS CAH
С	CHARLIE	CHAR LEE	Р	PAPA	PAH <i>PAH</i>
		or	Q	QUEBEC	KEY <i>BECK</i>
		SHAR LEE	R	ROMEO	ROW ME OH
D	DELTA	<i>DELL</i> TAH	S	SIERRA	SEE <i>AIR</i> RAH
E	ECHO	ECK OH	T	TANGO	TANG GO
F	FOXTROT	FOKS TROT	U	UNIFORM	YOU NEE FORM
G	GOLF	GOLF			or
Н	HOTEL	HOH <i>TELL</i>			OO NEE FORM
1	INDIA	<i>IN</i> DEE AH	V	VICTOR	<i>VIK</i> TAH
J	JULIETT	JEW LEE ETT	W	WHISKEY	WISS KEY
K	KILO	<i>KEY</i> LOH	Χ	X RAY	ECKS RAY
L	LIMA	LEE MAH	Υ	YANKEE	YANG KEY
M	MIKE	MIKE	Z	ZULU	Z00 L00

Note: Italicised syllables carry the accent.

## **Phonetic Numerals**

Number	Spoken as	<u>Number</u>	Spoken as
0	ZERO	5	FIFE
1	WUN	6	SIX
2	TOO	7	SEV-EN
3	TREE	8	AIT
4	FOW-ER	9	NIN-ER

Note: Decimal is spoken as DAY SEE MAL

#### **Phonetic Punctuation**

Punctuation Spoken as

Comma COMMA

Period FULL STOP or PERIOD

Parenthesis PEREN/UNPAREN or OPEN BRACKET/CLOSE BRACKET

Oblique Stroke SLANT

Quotation Marks QUOTE/UNQUOTE

Hyphen HYPHEN
Colon COLON
Semicolon SEMICOLON
Dash DASH

#### **Prowords**

<u>Proword</u> <u>Explanation</u>

ACKNOWLEDGE An instruction to the addressee that the message must be acknowledged.

BREAK I hereby indicate the separation of the text from other portions of the message.

CORRECT You are correct, or what you have transmitted is correct.

CORRECTION An error has been made in this transmission (or message indicated). The correct

version is...

DISREGARD THIS TRANSMISSION

This transmission is in error. Disregard it.

FIGURES Numerals or numbers follow.

GRID The portion following is a grid reference

I READ BACK The following is my response to your instructions to read back.

I SAY AGAIN I am repeating transmission or portion indicated.

I SPELL I shall spell the next word phonetically

MESSAGE A message which requires recording is about to follow.

MORE TO FOLLOW Transmitting station has additional traffic for the receiving station.

OUT This is the end of my transmission to you and no answer is required or expected.

OVER This is the end of my transmission to you and a response is necessary. Go ahead,

transmit.

READ BACK Repeat this entire transmission back to me exactly as received.

ROGER I have received your last transmission satisfactorily

SAY AGAIN Repeat all of your last transmission.

WAIT I must pause for a few seconds.

WAIT – OUT I must pause longer than a few seconds.

WILCO I have received your signal, understand it, and will comply.

WRONG Your last transmission was incorrect. The correct version is...