**AUDIO-SIGNAL RESTORATION UNIT** 

After consultation with Mr. Joseph Gorin about his article, "Audio-Signal Restoration Unit" (Radio-Electronics, April 1981), I would like to alert those who are building the unit from their own parts stock (as opposed to the prepackaged kits): The unit will not work when 4739 preamplifier IC's are substituted for the 739 units required. Many retailers are shipping 4739 IC's from Exar or Raytheon when 739's are requested. Fairchild is the only manufacturer making the 739 at the present time. Using the 4739 will elicit correct operation of the noise-filter part of the circuit-but only silence from the expander! ALAN J. FRIDLUND.

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