## Aquatrac Instruments

### **Application Note**

#### **Restoring NT Networks**

#### **OBJECTIVE**

When the Master controller is replaced on a network of controllers with the **NT** option, the network must be restored at the Master and at each Slave controller.

This application note details the **NT** removal and re-installation sequence

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#### Method

**Required:** Notebook PC running either Trackster or HyperTerminal

RS232 serial port cable. Not a NULL modem cable.

Step	Test	Notes
1.	Connect to the master controller using the Configure level password.  Enter Terminal Mode. – See Notes 1. If you are using HyperTerminal, you'll be in Terminal Mode.  Key DI & Enter Verify Installed Options shows RS485 network  If Network Protocol is FlexNET [Master] skip to Step 3.	If you are using Trackster:  1. Right click on a bleed, blowdown valve or an inhibitor pump.  2. Select Configure Control and key Control-Alt-Shift  3. You'll enter Terminal node.  4. If you do not enter terminal mode, use Hyperterminal.
2.	Key NS!,! & Enter  Key NSF,M & Enter then Key BY & Enter	Removes networking from the master controller.  Sets up controller as FlexNET [Master]
3.	Connect to first slave controller using the Configure level password. Enter Terminal Mode. – See Notes 1.  Key NS!,! & Enter	Caution: If you have more than one slave on the network, turn OFF all other slaves controller. Removes networking from the slave controller.
	Key <b>NSF,R</b> & <i>Enter</i> then Key <b>BY</b> & <i>Enter</i>	Registers Slave controller with Master

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4.	Connect to the master controller using the Configure level password.  Enter Terminal Mode. – See Notes 1.	They Master will automatically assign a sleve an address within several minutes. This process forces assignement.
	Key NS,A & Enter	Assign slave address No.1
	Key <b>NT@</b> & <i>Enter</i> & verify that the No.1 Slave exists.	You can use <b>NT1</b> & <i>Enter</i> to connect to Slave No.1
	then Key BY & Enter	
5.	Turn ON slave No.2 and repeat steps No.3 & No.4.	NT@ & <i>Enter</i> in the master displays all of the slaves currently connected to the master.
	Repeat for each remaining slave controller.	

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