Instructions for KIT 5

SET-UP AND OPERATION OF EDM

(Electromagnetic Distance Measurement)

Vertical Jumps

i. **Preliminaries:** Ensure all batteries are put on charge well before the meeting.

1. For High Jump and Pole Vault

a) Location: Must give a clear and complete view of the bar. For Pole Vault centre of runway is best, and high jump centre behind fan.

b) Assembly and Levelling:

- i. Ensure tripod is set firmly into the ground at a convenient working height for all users with top plate as level as possible (use spirit level).
- ii. Fit tribrach, making sure securing screw is tight and base cannot move.
- iii. Level Tribrach, use two foot screws to centre bubble between them then adjust remaining screw to centre bubble in bubble-level.
- iv. Fit geodimeter on tribrach (power socket goes in recess), lock tribrach in place.
- v. Adjust for parallax hand in front of telescope and check hairlines are sharp, adjust lens as necessary.
- vi. Connect external batteries or mains power source (if used). **TO POWER SOCKET ON TRIBRACH, NOT KEYPAD.**

c) Setting up the Instrument:

- i. Turn power on.
- ii. Either press **YES** (**enter**) to continue if already set up or **NO** (←) for machine to go to set up.
- iii. Check level on display if necessary carefully adjust on tribrach foot screws to centre both index marks [Prolonged adjustment will force return to c) i.], and press **ENTER** (Yes).
- iv. Machine will perform self checks and rotate around then rotate back again.
- v. Press **PRG 0**, then enter.
- vi. Set prism at the back of the box for pole vault, or on the ground under the centre of the bar for high jump.
- vii. Sight on the prism, take the measurement by pressing A/M.
- viii. Leave the instrument locked in position and only vertical direction from now on.
 - ix. Press Enter key until screen shows HA:,HD:,VD:.
 - x. Sight on the ground, back of the box or under the middle of the high jump to set the zero height.

- xi. Press MNU key, Then Press 1 SET, Then Press 2 PRESET, Then Press 2 ROE.
- xii. Enter ROE of 0.000 and press ENTER.
- xiii. To check the height, Sight on the top of the bar vertically above the point on the ground. Do not attempt any adjustments of the instrument in a horizontal direction and do not attempt to take any measurements.
- xiv. Use the VD reading as height measurement. (If VD not shown press ENT.)