**EUROMAP 15**

**PROTOCOL FOR COMMUNICATION BETWEEN INJECTION MOULDING MACHINES AND A CENTRAL COMPUTER**

**Part 7**

**Time Stamping**

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1. Introduction

Part 7 of the EUROMAP 15 recommendation defines the telegrams and data structures necessary for time stamping, i.e. obtaining time and date belonging to the selected responses of the machine controller. If time stamping is activated it must be used for every standard answer of part 1 and 2 excluding "000".

2. Types of Telegrams

2.1 Definition of Telegrams from the Central Computer

Telegram 014: ACTIVATE TIME STAMPING
Byte | cont. | Description
---+-----+-----------------------
05 | -N01- | activate time stamping
    | "0"  | - no (default)
    | "1"  | - yes

Telegram 015: REQUEST FOR TIME STAMP
contains no data bytes

2.2 Extension of the List with Standard Answers

Telegram 100: STANDARD ANSWER
Byte | cont. | Description
---+-----+-----------------------
05..08 | -N03- | request number
      | "015" | - request for time stamp

2.3 Definition of Telegrams from the Machine Controller

Telegram 114: TIME STAMPING ACTIVE
Byte | cont. | Description
---+-----+-----------------------
05 | -N01- | time stamping active
    | "0"  | - no
    | "1"  | - yes

Telegram 115: TIME STAMP
Byte | cont. | Description
---+-----+-----------------------
05..07 | -N03- | request number
08..09 | -N02- | seconds [00 .. 59]
10..11 | -N02- | minutes [00 .. 59]
12..13 | -N02- | hours [00 .. 23]
14..15 | -N02- | day [01 .. 31]
16..17 | -N01- | day of week [1 = Monday ... 7 = Sunday]
17..18 | -N02- | month [01 .. 12]
19..20 | -N02- | year [00 .. 99]
3. Communication Flow

3.1 Activate Time Stamping

"014"+"1"  - activate time stamping
"114"+"1"  - time stamping active

3.2 Deactivate Time Stamping

"014"+"0"  - deactivate time stamping
"114"+"0"  - time stamping not active

3.3 Receive Request with Time Stamp

"000"  - standard question
"100"+"015"  - standard answer with request for time stamp
"015"  - request for time stamp
"115"+"xyz"+data  - time stamp
"xyz"  - request of telegram to which the time stamp belongs
"abc"+data  - telegram to which the time stamp belongs

3.4 Error Detection

If the slave receives telegram "015" although it did not send a standard answer "100"+"015", it will send "196".
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