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BERKEL COMPUTING COUNTER SCALES - MODELS 172 & 172A

MANUFACTURER:

Berkel Products Co. Ltd.,  
1232 Crestlawn Drive,  
Mississauga, Ontario

APPARATUS:

Computing Counter Scales -  
Model 172 - Retail Counter Type  
Model 172A - Prepackaging Type.

RATING:

Maximum capacity - 20 pounds

APPLICATION:

The weighing and pricing of commodities  
in trade.

SPECIAL CONDITIONS:

For scales used in prepackaging service, the  
following special conditions apply -

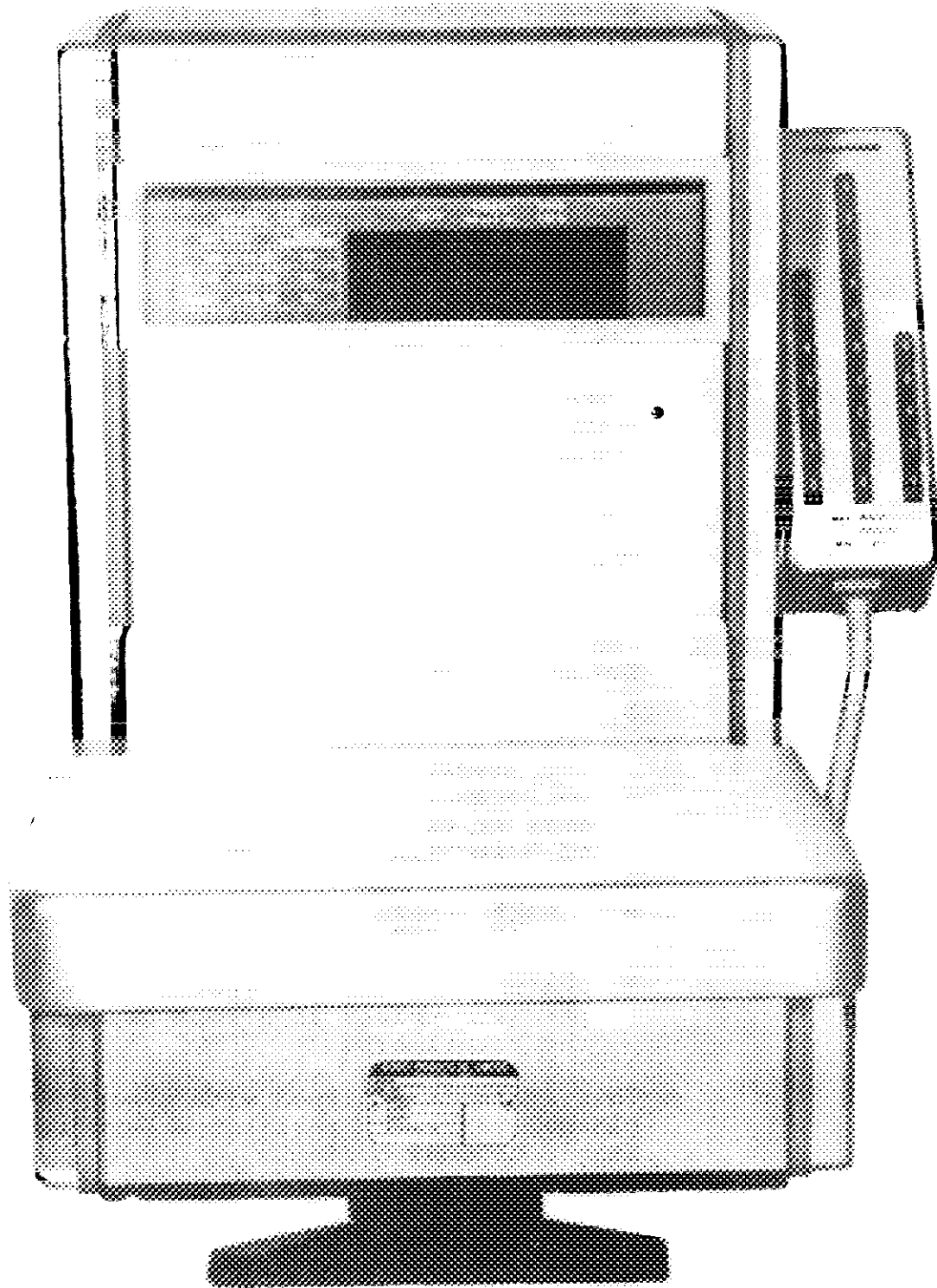
1. Scales shall be marked "For prepackaging  
only".  
This marking must be at a location which  
is readily visible to the operator, and  
must be of permanent nature with letters  
of 3/16" minimum height.
2. Scales shall not be used for direct sales  
to consumers.
3. Scales shall not be installed on a retail  
premises unless in a room separate from  
the retail area.

DESCRIPTION:

This scale is equipped with a single second  
class lever, with resistance furnished by a  
single helical spring.  
Indication is provided by means of an optical  
projection system, with weight, unit price and  
total price being displayed on illuminated  
viewing screens. Unit price is selected by  
means of a push-button console.

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The base and other structural members are of die-cast alloy. The enclosure is of polished sheet aluminum.

A tare-setting knob is fitted on Model 172A only.

TESTING:

The standard tests for computing counter scales shall apply.

REFERENCE:

GL 1153-57/B367-155

CONDITION OF APPROVAL: Approval is granted under the Weights and Measures Act, R.S.C. 1970 c.W-7, and Regulations thereunder (P.C. 6894) for use in Canada under the general conditions of