SHOC INSTRUMENT CHANGE NOTES: 74" TELESCOPE - OFF

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PLEASE NOTE: Do not switch off and/or remove the SHOC instrument from the

telescope earlier than 09:00 on instrument change day! This is to ensure that the auto data copy process finished copying the data from the SHOC computer to the server, before taking CHOC offline.

WARMROOM:

1. Ensure that TCS is locked out by turning the TCS Lockout switch on the mimic panel (refer to figure 1) to **ON** state. TCS Control indicator will flash as a warning that the TCS is locked out.



Figure 1: TCS LOCKOUT SWITCH

- 2. From any computer, open the SHOC web interface at: http://shoc74in.suth.saao.ac.za:5000. On the "Camera" tab, switch the camera off.
- 3. Log into shocnawe (or shocndisbelief) remotely, close all programs and shut down (NB: as from April 2015 the SHOC computers run Linux). To remotely log into a shoc PC on the telescope:
 - a. Open an Xterm. Type: ssh ccd@shocnawe.suth.saao.ac.za - standard password for user ccd....
 - b. type the following: sudo shutdown -h now
 - c. For more info see http://topswiki.saao.ac.za/index.php/SHOC#Technician.27s Troubleshooting guide

TELESCOPE:

- 1. Ensure Shoc PC is switched off (in front behind black tape)
- 2. Switch off power to PC crate and disconnect telescope mains (kettle plug lead).
- 3. On Andor Camera Unit, disconnect: PSU cable, Shoc PC cable & GPS Ext Trig cable
- 4. Disconnect Network from PC crate
- 5. Disconnect GPS Antenna from PC crate
- 6. Disconnect Filter Controller USB cable from PC crate
- 7. Disconnect filters from Filter Wheel Controller

- 8. Remove Shoc PC Crate from Telescope
- 9. Remove Andor Camera Unit from Telescope
- 10. Remove the filter controller box from Telescope

IN WARM ROOM:

NB!!! Ensure that **TCS Lockout** switch on the mimic panel is set to **OFF** state. TCS Control indicator will stop flashing.

Further information and user manuals (for trouble shooting) can be found at: http://shoc.saao.ac.za/Documentation.html

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