

9 to 17 Responding to Selcall received in scan mode and calls held in memory

To make a selective beacon call

- 18 Switch off selected mute by pressing **Mute/9** so that any channel traffic can be heard.
- 19 With the channel selected, press **B'con/0**. The display will show ID of the last station called. To change the ID use the microphone key-pad to enter the number.
- 20 Ensure the channel is free of traffic then press **Call** to send the call. Within 20 seconds a revertive should be received - compare signal strength to determine channel quality.



To make a Selcall

- 21 Switch off selected mute by pressing **Mute/9** so that any channel traffic can be heard.
- 22 With the optimum channel selected, press **Call**. The display will show the ID of the last station called. To change the ID use the microphone key-pad to enter the number.
- 23 Ensure the channel is free of traffic then press **Call** to send the Selcall.
- 24 After receiving the call revertive wait for the station to talk to you before responding, as in 10.



To make an RFDS emergency call

- 25 Select the correct listening watch channel for the RFDS base station in your area.
- 26 Tune the tapped whip antenna if installed.
- 27 Press **Emgcy Call** and hold down for the duration of the 'pips' (2 seconds). The transceiver will tune the automatic antenna - if fitted - then transmit a call for 30 seconds. To stop the call press **PTT**.
- 28 If the call has been successfully received by an attended base a reply will be immediate.



If the base is unattended there will be a responding revertive tone after 2 minutes. The RFDS staff will call you within 5 minutes of the initial call.

- 29 Once the base has made a voice call you should respond by pressing **PTT** to transmit. Speak clearly with the microphone held side-on and close to your mouth.



18 to 29 Making selective beacon calls, Selcalls and RFDS emergency calls