

IF YOU WANT TO PLAY DAT MUSIC YOU GOTTA PUSH THE RIGHT BUTTONS.



1. REWIND

to just a few years ago. Manufacturers of digital audio tape (DAT) recorders and the recording industry are at loggerheads over this new technology. DAT's sound is sensational and its cassette format is convenient, but the recording industry is concerned over DAT's ability to make superior copies.

2. FAST FORWARD

A compromise! The electronics manufacturers and the record companies have agreed to draft a law setting a new standard for DATs. The DAT Bill **will** allow direct digital taping from CDs, but not digital copies of the copies.

3. PLAY

The Digital Audio Tape Act of 1990, H.R. 4096/S. 2358—companion bills introduced in the U.S. Congress.

4. PAUSE

A glitch! Some music publishers and the Songwriters Guild break with the record companies and oppose the DAT Bill unless consumers are forced to pay a royalty tax on blank tape and recorders.

5. EJECT

this illogical, negative noise! We've heard this song before. The same wolf-crying about new technology that's been around since the introduction of audio cassettes and video recorders.

6. RECORD

your support for the DAT Bill. Congress will pass the DAT Bill—without any royalty tax—**only if it hears from you.** Send us this coupon TODAY.

THE DAT BILL. NOW'S THE TIME.

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