This README.TXT file contains additional information about changes introduced in Shiva Dial-Out Version 3.5, including new features, problems that have been resolved, and special considerations.

NEW FEATURES

* This version of Shiva Dial-Out now works with Windows for Workgroups (WFW) 3.11 file and printer sharing. Previously, if you were using WFW 3.11 you could not use directly-connected or shared printers or other serial devices while the Shiva Dial-Out driver (SHIVACOM.DRV) was active. This problem has been solved.

* The "Help menu" in the Chooser has been changed to provide better access to the Shiva Dial-Out User's Online Guide. The "control menu" on the modem palette has been changed for the same reasons.

* A Cancel button has been added to the Authentication dialog box that appears when your communication software is connecting to a Shiva remote access server for dialing out.

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

* The Play Sound feature in the Chooser window works only when you are using a NetModem/E to dial out.

* Some communications applications (such as LapLink V and Carbon Copy) replace the entry for the Shiva dial-out driver (SHIVACOM.DRV) with their own communication driver in the SYSTEM.INI file used by Microsoft Windows. This disables the Shiva Dial-Out software. If you need to use an application that requires its own communication driver in this way, you will not be able to use Shiva Dial-Out.

* For most Shiva remote access servers, the AA LED on the Shiva Dial-Out modem palette does not correctly indicate whether the remote access server's modem is set to answer automatically. The LED on the modem palette will not be lit regardless of the modem's true state.

* There is a bug in Procomm Plus for Windows V1.0 that it sends 19.2K baud rate index to Shiva dial-out driver (SHIVACOM.DRV) when you select 115K from it's setup menu. In Procomm Plus for Windows V2.0, V2.1, and V2.11, it uses a non-standard baud rate index FEFF hex for 115K baud rate. SHIVACOM.DRV captures this index and treats it like a real 115K baud rate index instead of dropping it to the default 9600 baud.