If the DMP 250 detects any trouble during operation, it lights or flashes
the ALARM indicator and displays an error message. Respond to these
messages as described below.

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┌──────────────┐
│ PAPER EMPTY  │
└──────────────┘
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The printer is out of paper. The ALARM indicator lights and the printer
goes off line. Load more paper.

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┌────────────┐
│ PAPER JAM  │
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A paper jam has occurred. The ALARM indicator lights and the printer goes
off-line. Remove the jammed paper, then press ON LINE.

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┌────────────────┐
│ DATA IN BUFFER │
└────────────────┘
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Data exists in the buffer when you:

° Load a macro (either in menu mode or quick mode).
° Change the emulation mode.

The ALARM indicator lights and printing stops. After two seconds, the
printer returns to the condition it was in before the error message
appeared. To discard data in the buffer, move the selection bar to ON
LINE and press ON LINE to set the printer off-line. Then press and hold
QUIET/SAVE for three seconds. The display flashes the message BUFFER
INITIAL and the buffer is cleared.

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┌────────────────┐
│ HEAD HOT WAIT  │
└────────────────┘
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The print head is too hot. The ALARM indicator flashes and the printer
stops printing. You do not need to do anything. When the print head
cools down, the ALARM light goes off, the display changes to ON LINE, and
printing resumes.

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┌──────────────┐
│ HOME ERROR   │
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The print head was not positioned properly. The ALARM indicator lights
and the printer goes off line. Check to be sure that there is no foreign
matter in the printer. Remove the foreign matter, if you find any. Turn
off the printer, then turn it on again.

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┌────────────────────────────┐
│ RAM ERROR / EEPROM ERROR   │
└────────────────────────────┘
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The ALARM indicator lights and the printer goes off line. If either of
these messages appears, turn off the printer, then turn it on again. If
the message appears again, contact your local Radio Shack store for
assistance.

LEVER ERROR

This error message appears when you change the paper select lever when the
paper is loaded. Make sure which paper, single sheet or fanfold paper,
you are using and set the lever correctly.