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- 1. Connect the 36 Volt Power Supply (the precise voltage is not important) & measure the voltage across the Zener diode, Z1 and record it as Vz. eg. Vz = 18.35 Volt.
- 2. Subtract this value from 40 Volt and record it as Vb, ie. Vb = 40 Vz. eg. Vb = 40 18.35 = 21.65.
- 3. Subtract this value from 38 Volt and record it as Va, ie. Va = 38 Vz. eg. Vb = 38 18.35 = 19.65.
- 4. Disconnect the cathode of Z1 from the 36 Volt line & leave it open.
- 5. Measure the voltage at TP1 & adjust Rb until V3 = Vb. This sets the upper threshold.
- 6. Connect a temporary 1 k resistor from the junction of R2 & Z1 to the 27 Volt line.
- 7. The relay should operate & the LED should light.
- 8. Now adjust Ra until V3 = Va. This sets the lower threshold.
- 9. Disconnect the temporary resistor & Z1 from the 36 Volt line & the relay should release & the LED should go off.
- 10. Remove the temporary resistor and re-connect Z1 to the 36 Volt line.
- 11. The circuit is now ready to use.