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# FCC Part 15C & Industry Canada Verification Report

for the

## Avonwood

# ZoneSafe Standard Antenna Unit (FCC) ZSA6782-FCC

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#### 1.0 DECLARATION

## 1.1 FCC Part 15C and Industry Canada Statement

The Equipment Under Test (EUT), as described and reported within this document, complies with the parts 15.207 15.209 and 15.249 of the CFR 47:2015 FCC rules in accordance with ANSI C63.4 and ANSI 63.10. The EUT operates at a transmit frequency of 125 kHz and complies with part 15C emission requirements. The EUT also complies with Industry Canada RSS-210 Issue 8.

Note: The EUT works in conjunction with other Avonwood products.

## 1.2 Related Submittal(s) Grants

ZoneSafe Standard Control Unit (FCC) Standard Tag - Pedestrian (FCC) TufTag (FCC) VibraTag - Pedestrian (FCC) Plus Reader (FCC)

#### 1.3 EUT Manufacturer

Trade name: Avonwood Developments Ltd
Company name: Avonwood Developments Ltd
Company address: Knoll Technology Centre

Stapehill Road Hampreston Wimborne Dorset BH21 7ND United Kingdom

Manufacturing address: As above.

Company representative: Mr Adrian Nash

Tel: +44 (0) 1202 868000



## 2.0 EUT DESCRIPTION

## 2.1 Identity

EUT: ZoneSafe Standard Antenna Unit (FCC)

Model: ZSA6782-FCC

Serial numbers: 28426

Sample build: Production

# 2.2 Product Operation

The ZoneSafe Standard Control Unit (FCC) has been designed for reading microchips that are housed in tags. The ZoneSafe transmits a 125kHz signal which is detected by the tags when nearby, the detector which in turn responds by transmitting at 902.4MHz which is received by the ZoneSafe controller. Additionally on power up the ZoneSafe antenna transmits a self test 902.4MHz signal.

# 2.3 Support Equipment

None.

# 2.4 Exerciser Program

None.



#### 3.0 MEASUREMENT PROCEDURE AND INSTRUMENTATION

#### 3.1 EMI Site Address & Test Date

EMI Company Offices Hursley EMC Services Ltd

Trafalgar House, Trafalgar Close, Chandlers Ford, Hampshire

EMI Measurement Site Hursley EMC Services Ltd

Hursley Park, Winchester; FCC Registered

UK Designation number: UK0006

Test Date 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017 to 21<sup>st</sup> February 2018

HEMCS References: 17R616

# 3.2 General Operating Conditions

Testing was performed according to the procedures in ANSI C63.4 2003 and ANSI C63.10 2013. Final radiated testing was performed at a EUT to antenna distance of three metres (above 30 MHz).

Below 30 MHz the EUT was measured at an antenna distance of three and ten metres and the extrapolation factor calculated.

Instrumentation, including receiver and spectrum analyser bandwidth, comply with the requirements of ANSI C63.2:1996.

#### 3.3 Environmental Ambient

Test Type	Temperature	Humidity	Atmospheric Pressure
Radiated	21.4 - 22 degrees Celsius	56 - 59% relative	1016.8 – 1023.5 millibars



#### 3.4 Radiated Emissions

#### **Initial Scan**

A radiated profile scan was taken at a three metre distance on eight azimuths of the system under test in both vertical and horizontal polarities of the antenna in a semi-anechoic chamber. Instrumentation used in the chamber as below:

#ID	СР	Manufacturer	Type	Serial No	Description	Calibration due date
762	3	Schwarzbeck	VULB9162	129	30-7000MHz	07/04/2019
762a	3	Schwarzbeck	DGA 9552N	0	6dB attenuator for #762	07/04/2019
050	1	HP	8447D	1937A02341	Pre-amplifier (30-1000MHz)	06/10/2019
033	1	НР	8593EM	3726U00203	Spectrum analyser (9kHz-26.5GHz)	29/11/2017
289	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESCI 7	100765	CISPR 7GHz Receiver	24/08/2018
250	1	HP	8449B	3008A01077	Pre-amplifier (1.0-26.5GHz)	31/08/2018
466	3	Schwarzbeck	BBHA 9120 571	571	1-10GHz Horn	24/02/2019
674	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESH3-Z5	838576-018	1 phase LISN	26/05/2018
158	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESH3-Z2	357881052	Pulse limiter	07/10/2018
698	1	Gauss	TDEMI30M	1510002	Time Domain Conducted Receiver	09/01/2018
047	3	Rohde & Schwarz	HFH2-Z2	879021/22	Loop antenna (9kHz-30MHz)	01/06/2019

The data obtained from the profile scan was used as a guide for the final Open Area Test Site (OATS) measurements.

#### **Final Measurements**

The system under test was transferred to the OATS from the semi-anechoic chamber. The data obtained from the chamber profile-scan was used to guide the test engineer. Above 30 MHz, each emission from the transmitter was maximised by revolving the system on the turntable and moving the antennae in height and azimuth. Below 30 MHz the loop antenna was set at a height of 1m, the EUT was measured with the antenna in the vertical and horizontal polarity and each emission was maximised by revolving the system on the turntable. The worst-case data is presented in this report. Test instrumentation used in the OAT's measurements was as follows:

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CP = Interval period [year] prescribed for external calibrations

Note: 'Calibration due date' means that the instrument is certified with a UKAS or traceable calibration certificate.

<sup>\*\*</sup> denotes that the calibration, as defined by Hursley EMC Services quality system, remains valid whilst within four calendar months of the due date.



# 3.5 Conducted Emissions

N/A (24v DC supply)



#### 3.6 FCC – Radiated Emissions

A search was made of the frequency spectrum from 9 kHz to 10 GHz and the measurements reported are the highest emissions relative to the 'FCC CFR 47 Section 15.209 and 15.249 Limits' at a measuring distance of three metres. Below 30 MHz the results have been extrapolated from measurements made at a distance of three and ten metres to the limit distance set at 300m.

To calculate the extrapolation factor (see FCC Part 15.31) measurements were made at three metres and ten metres from the EUT. The extrapolation factor (x) was then calculated as Shown in 4.1:

Between 110 and 490 kHz measurements were made using an average detector with a 200 Hz bandwidth.

## 4.0 RESULTS

# 4.1 Extrapolation

To calculate the extrapolation factor (see FCC Part 15.31 (2)) measurements were made at three metres and ten metres from the EUT. The extrapolation factor (x) was then calculated as follows:

The figures below were measured using Peak detector

Limit at 125kHz is calculated from FCC 15.209 as  $\frac{2400}{125} = 19.2 \text{V/m} => 25.66 \text{dBuV/m}$ 

Extraoplotion factor 
$$x = 20 \frac{\log(\frac{E1}{E2})}{\log(\frac{D1}{D2})}$$

Where: E1 field strength uV/m at D1 (closest distance)

E2 field strength uV/m at D2 (farthest distance)

- ⇒ E1 = 89.63 dBuv/m @ 3m => 30304uV/m
- ⇒ E2 = 61.42 dBuv/m @ 10m => 1177.6uV/m

$$=> X = 20 \frac{\log\left(\frac{30304}{1177.6}\right)}{\log\left(\frac{3}{10}\right)}$$

$$=> X = -53.95$$



## 4.2 Carrier Power

	Measured amplitude (E <sub>1</sub> )	Extrapolation		amplitude 00m	Specific	ed limit 00m
MHz	dBμV/m @3m (d <sub>1</sub> )	Factor (x)	dBμV/m	μV/m	dBμV/m	μV/m
0.125	108.58	-53.95	0.67736	1.081105	25.66	19.2

# 4.3 RESULTS (Transmitting) - 30 MHz to 1000 MHz

Frequency MHz	Receiver amplitude dBuv	Antenna factor dB	Cable Loss dB	Actual quasi-peak value	Specified limit @ 3m dBuV/m
				@3m dBuV/m	
37.35	20.9	12.1	0.7	33.74	40
107.8	15.1	11.2	1.3	27.62	43.5
134.6	18.0	8.5	1.5	28.02	43.5
189.3	20.2	11.5	1.8	33.45	43.5
460	13.2	16.7	3.2	33.13	46
901.95	12.5	21.9	5.0	39.37	46
902	12.7	21.9	5.0	39.64	94
902.4*	39.6	21.9	5.0	66.51	94
928	2.8	22.0	5.1	29.87	94
928.05	3.1	22.0	5.1	30.16	46

<sup>\*</sup>Antenna self test Transmitter frequency

Uncertainty of measurement:  $\pm 4.2 \ dB\mu V/m$  for a 95% confidence level.



# 4.4 RESULTS (Transmitting) - 1 GHz to 10 GHz

	AVERAGE @ 3m			PEAK @ 3m						_
Frequency	Measured	Specified CLASS B Limit	Pass Margin	Measured	Specified CLASS B Limit	Pass Margin	polarity	height	azimuth	
GHz	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dB	dBμV/m	dBμV/m	dB	H/V	m	deg	STATUS
1200.00	18.6	54	43.4	30.6	74	43.4	н	1.9	0	Pass
3609.59	30.4	54	23.6	49.4	74	24.6	v	2	84	Pass
5414.40	42.8	54	11.2	51.0	74	23	Н	1.9	87	Pass

 $V = Vertical \ / \ H = Horizontal$ 



# 4.5 Occupied Bandwidth test equipment

#ID	СР	Manufacturer	Туре	Serial No	Description	Calibration due date
289	1	Rohde & Schwarz	ESCI7	100765	7GHz Receiver	24/08/2018
	1	EMCO	7045	1048	Near filed probe	Internal

# 4.6 99% Occupied Bandwidth (IC)

Section 4.6 of RSS-GEN

The output from the measuring antenna was fed into the input of the ESCI spectrum analyser/receiver. The bandwidth of the transmitter was measured with an ESCI receiver set to 99% Occupied Bandwidth with a sampling detector on max hold. The resolution bandwidth, span and video bandwidth are indicated on the occupied bandwidth plot (modulated) included with this report.

The bandwidth of the 125kHz Transmitter was measured as 22 Hz.

The bandwidth of the 902.4MHz Transmitter was measured as 76.4 kHz.

# 4.7 20dB Occupied Bandwidth (FCC)

ANSI 63.10 6.9.3

The output from the measuring antenna was fed into the input of the ESCI spectrum analyser/receiver. The bandwidth of the transmitter was measured 20dB down either side of the peak. The ESCI analyser resolution bandwidth, span and video bandwidth are indicated on the occupied bandwidth plot (modulated) included with this report.

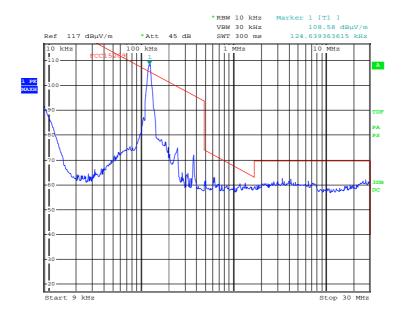
The bandwidth of the 125kHz Transmitter signal was measured as 26 Hz.

The bandwidth of the 902.4MHz Transmitter signal was measured as 79.2 kHz.



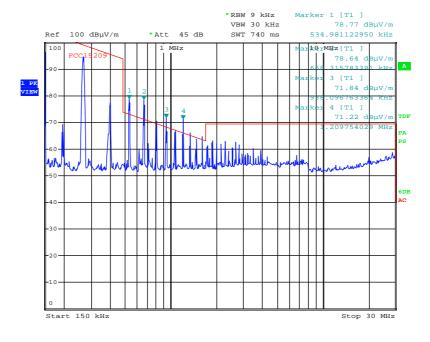
# 4.8 Emissions <30MHz tested at 3m,

limit line shown extrapolated at 40dB/decade



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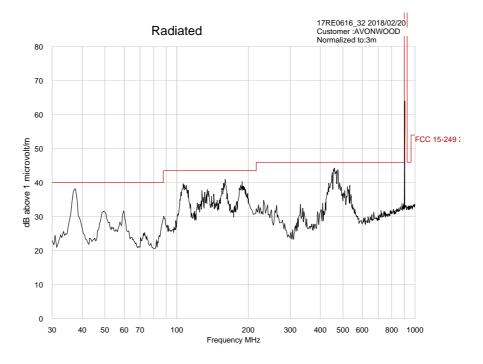
Emissions plots <30MHz (carried out at 3m, limits shown extrapolated using 40dB / Decade)

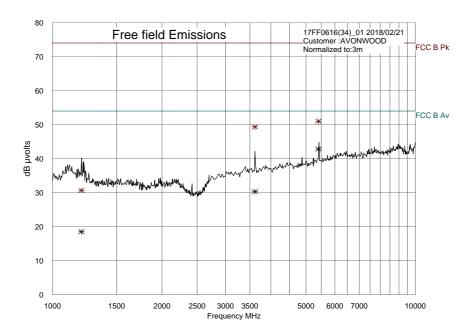


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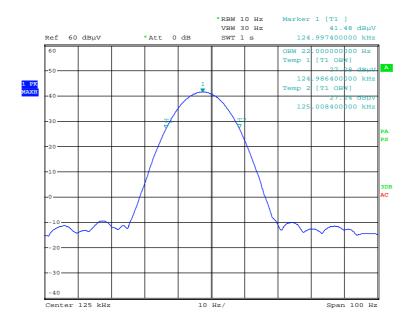
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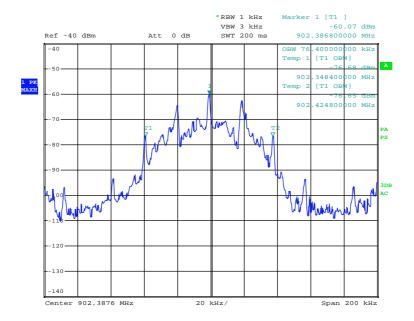




# 4.9 99% Bandwidth Plot (IC)



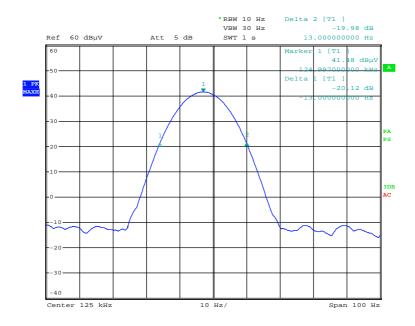
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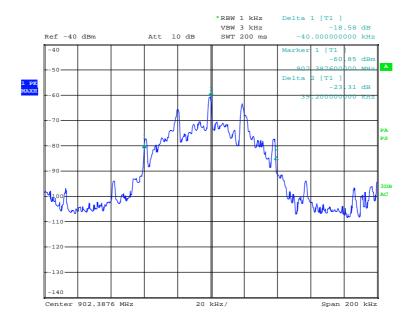
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# 4.10 20dB Bandwidth Plot (FCC)



Date: 28.NOV.2017 11:06:47



Date: 21.FEB.2018 10:56:21



# 5.0 FCC DETAILS

#### FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Laboratory Division 7435 Oakland Mills Road Columbia, MD 21046

February 13, 2006

Hursley EMC Services Ltd. Unit 16 Brickfield Lane Chandlers Ford - Hampshire, SO53 4DB United Kingdom

Attention:

R P St John James

Re:

Accreditation of Hursley EMC Services Ltd.

Designation Number: UK0006

Dear Sir or Madam:

We have been notified by Department of Trade and Industry (DTI) that Hursley EMC Services Ltd. has been accredited as a Conformity Assessment Body (CAB).

At this time your organization is hereby designated to perform compliance testing on equipment subject to Declaration Of Conformity (DOC) and Certification under Parts 15 and 18 of the Commission's Rules.

This designation will expire upon expiration of the accreditation or notification of withdrawal of designation.

Sincerely

Thomas Phillips Electronics Engineer



### INDUSTRY CANADA LETTER



September 24, 2010

OUR FILE: 46405-7104 Submission No: 142641

Hursley EMC Services Ltd. Unit 16, Brickfield Lane, Eastleigh Hampshire, SO53 4DP **Great Britain** 

Attention: Rob St. John James

Dear Sir/Madame:

The Bureau has received your application for the renewal of a 3/10m OATS. Be advised that the information received was satisfactory to Industry Canada. The following number(s) is now associated to the site(s) for which registration / renewal was sought (7104A-1). Please reference the appropriate site number in the body of test reports containing measurements performed on the site. In addition, please keep for your records the following information;

- The company address code associated to the site(s) located at the above address is: 7104A

Furthermore, to obtain or renew a unique site number, the applicant shall demonstrate that the site has been accredited to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later. A scope of accreditation indicating the accreditation by a recognized accreditation body to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later shall be accepted. Please indicate in a letter the previous assigned site number if applicable and the type of site (example: 3 metre OATS or 3 metre chamber). If the test facility is not accredited to ANSI C63.4-2003 or later, the test facility shall submit test data demonstrating full compliance with the ANSI standard. The Bureau will evaluate the filing to determine if recognition shall be granted.

The frequency for re-validation of the test site and the information that is required to be filed or retained by the testing party shall comply with the requirements established by the accrediting organization. However, in all cases, test site re-validation shall occur on an interval not to exceed two years. There is no fee or form associated with an OATS filing. OATS submissions are encouraged to be submitted electronically to the Bureau using the following URL;

http://strategis.ic.gc.ca/epic/internet/inceb-bhst.nsf/en/h\_tt00052e.html.

If you have any questions, you may contact the Bureau by e-mail at certification.bureau@ic.gc.ca Please reference our file and submission number above for all correspondence.

Yours sincerely,

Dalwinder Gill

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