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FCC PART 15 RADAR DETECTOR REPORT

Applicant	COBRA ELECTRONICS CORPORATION	
Address	6500 WEST CORTLAND STREET	
	CHICAGO IL 60707	
	USA	
FCC ID:	BBOSPX900	
Model:	SPX 900, ESR 800	
Product Description	RADAR DETECTOR	
Date Sample Received	11/4/2013	
Date Tested	11/5/2013	
Tested By	Joe Scoglio	
Approved By	Joe Scoglio	
Report Number	1876UT13TestReport.docx	
Test Results		

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GENERAL REMARKS

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The test results relate only to the items tested.

Summary

The device under test does:

fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report not fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report

Attestations

This equipment has been tested in accordance with the standards identified in this test report. To the best of my knowledge and belief, these tests were performed using the measurement procedures described in this report.

All instrumentation and accessories used to test products for compliance to the indicated standards are calibrated regularly in accordance with ISO 17025 requirements.

ACCREDITED

Certificate # 0955-01

I attest that the necessary measurements were made, under my supervision, at:

Timco Engineering Inc. 849 NW State Road 45 Newberry, Fl 32669



Authorized Signatory Name:

Joe Scoglio Engineering Project Manager

Date: 11/5/2013

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GENERAL INFORMATION

The test results relate only to the items tested.					
DUT Description	RADAR DETECTOR				
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DUT Power Source	☐ 110-120Vac/50- 60Hz				
	☑ DC Power				
	☐ Battery Operated Exclusively				
Test Item	tem Prototype				
	☑ Pre-Production				
	☐ Production				
Modifications to DUT	None				
Test Standards	FCC Part 15, Subpart B, ANSI C63.4-2003				

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TEST EQUIPMENT LIST

Device	Manufacturer	Model	Serial Number	Cal/Char Date	Due Date
3/10-Meter OATS	TEI	N/A	N/A	12/31/11	12/31/13
3-Meter OATS	TEI	N/A	N/A	12/31/11	12/31/13
3-Meter Semi- Anechoic Chamber	Panashield	N/A	N/A	12/31/11	12/31/13
Analyzer Silver Tower Quasi-Peak Adapter	HP	85650A	2811A01175	06/05/13	06/05/15
Analyzer Silver Tower RF Preselector	HP	85685A	2926A00983	06/05/13	06/05/15
Analyzer Silver Tower Spectrum Analyzer	HP	8566B Opt 462	3552A22064 3638A08608	06/05/13	06/05/15

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Test Equipment List Cont.

Antenna: Biconnical	Eaton	94455-1	1057	06/14/13	06/14/15
Antenna: Biconnical	Eaton	94455-1	1096	05/10/13	05/10/15
Antenna: Biconnical	Electro- Metrics	BIA-25	1171	06/13/12	06/13/14
Antenna: Log- Periodic	Eaton	96005	1243	05/31/13	05/31/15
Antenna: Log- Periodic	Electro- Metrics	LPA-25	1122	05/09/13	05/09/15
LISN	Electro- Metrics	EM-7820	2682	02/26/13	02/26/15
Signal Generator	HP	8640B	2308A21464	02/23/12	02/23/14
Antenna: Double- Ridged Horn/ETS Horn 1	ETS-Lindgren	3117	00035923	12/07/11	12/07/13
Antenna: Standard Gain Horn 8.2-12.5 GHz	Systron Donner	DBG-520- 20	Not Serialized		No Cal Req
Antenna: Double- Ridged Horn	Electro- Metrics	RGA-180	2319 06/19/		06/19/14
Antenna: Double- Ridged Horn/ETS Horn 2	ETS-Lindgren	3117	00041534	10/05/12	10/05/14

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TEST PROCEDURES

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RADIATION INTERFERENCE: Testing was done in accordance with ANSI C63.4-2003. Section 15.35(b) specifies the use of an average detector in this band. In addition, the peak level of an emission shall not exceed the average limit by more than 20 dB using a minimum Resolution Bandwidth (RBW) of 1 MHz and minimum Video Bandwidth (VBW) OF 1 MHz. The following procedure is designed to determine if there are any spurious emissions from the local oscillator within the band of interest along with any additional spurious emissions caused by other circuitry within the device.

1) Determine the frequency of the peak emission:

Start Frequency 11.7 GHz

Stop Frequency 12.2 GHz

RBW equal to or greater than 1 MHz

VBW equal to or greater than 1 MHz

Detector Function Peak

Maximize the emissions with regards to device orientation, antenna polarization, and antenna height. Sweep the band using Max Hold for a minimum of 2 minutes. Record this frequency for measuring the peak emission. In addition record the frequency of other spurious emissions noted.

2) Determine the peak level of the emission:

Center Frequency Set to the frequency determined in Step 1 RBW Equal to or greater than 1 MHz VBW Equal to or greater than 1 MHz Detector Function Peak Measure the value of the peak emission using Max Hold for a minimum of 2 minutes. This can be done at zero span or a frequency span where the analyzer does not show a "Measurement Uncalibrated" message. Record the peak value. If the peak measurement is compliant with the average limit an average measurement is not necessary. If the peak value exceeds the average limit by less than 20 dB proceed to Step 3.

3) Determine the average level of the emission:

Center Frequency Set to the frequency determined in Step 1

Span Zero

RBW Equal to or greater than 1 MHz

VBW Equal to or greater than 10 Hz

Detector Function Peak

This measurement uses video averaging and must be done in Linear mode. The analyzer Reference Level is adjusted so that a signal is clearly visible on the screen. Measure the value of the emission using Max Hold for a minimum of 2 minutes. Record this as the average value. Step 2 and Step 3 should be repeated for other spurious emissions.

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Formula Of Conversion Factors: The field strength at 3m was established by adding the meter reading of the spectrum analyzer (which is set to read in units of dBuV) to the antenna correction factor supplied by the antenna manufacturer. The antenna correction factors are stated in terms of dB. The gain of the preselector was accounted for in the spectrum analyzer meter reading.

Example:

Freq (MHz) Meter Reading + ACF + CL = FS

33 20 dBuV + 10.36 dB/m + 0.40 dB = 30.36 dBuV/m @ 3m

ANSI STANDARD C63.4-2003 10.1.7 MEASUREMENT PROCEDURES: The unit under test was placed on a table 80 cm high and with dimensions of 1m by 1.5m. The table used for radiated measurements is capable of continuous rotation. When an emission was found, the table was rotated to produce the maximum signal strength. At this point, the antenna was raised and lowered from 1m to 4m. The antenna was placed in both the horizontal and vertical planes.

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RADIATED SPURIOUS EMISSIONS

Rules Part No.: 15.109

Requirements:

Frequency	Limits		
30 – 88	40.0 dBμV/m measured @ 3 meters		
80 – 216	43.5 dBμV/m measured @ 3 meters		
216 – 960	46.0 dBμV/m measured @ 3 meters		
Above 960	54.0 dBμV/m measured @ 3 meters		
11.7 to 12.2GHz	54.0 dBμV/m measured @ 3 meters		

Test Procedure: A search was made of the spectrum from 30 to 1000MHz and from 11.7 to 12.2GHz. Measurements in the 11.7 to 12.2GHz band were made with a Standard Gain Horn. The measurements in the 11.7 to 12.2GHz band represent the ambient noise levels. The attached plots were made with peak detector with the analyzer in a maximum hold for 2 minutes.

Test Data:

Emission	Meter	Ant. Polarity	Coax	Correction	Field	Margin dB
Frequency	Reading		Loss dB	Factor	Strength	
MHz	dΒμV			dB/m	dBμV/m	
56.20	3.5	Н	0.52	8.92	12.94	27.06
56.20	6.4	V	0.52	8.92	15.84	24.16
64.30	3.3	Н	0.55	6.45	10.30	29.70
64.30	6.5	V	0.55	6.45	13.50	26.50
121.50	4.1	Н	0.67	11.17	15.94	27.56
121.50	6.9	V	0.67	11.17	18.74	24.76
160.40	5.2	Н	0.74	16.86	22.80	20.70
160.40	8.1	V	0.74	16.86	25.70	17.80
237.80	5.7	Н	0.98	11.00	17.68	28.32
237.80	8.6	V	0.98	11.00	20.58	25.42
12,163.00	8.9	Н	7.91	29.70	46.51	7.49
12,173.00	8.5	V	7.92	29.80	46.22	7.78

^{*} The EUT is operating on the following bands; 10.525GHz(X-Band), 24.150GHz(K-Band), 33.4-36.0GHz(KA Band)

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VERTICAL PLOT



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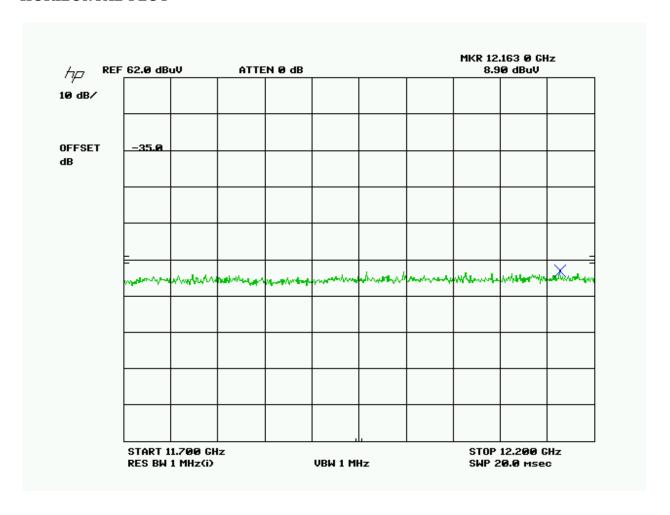
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HORIZONTAL PLOT



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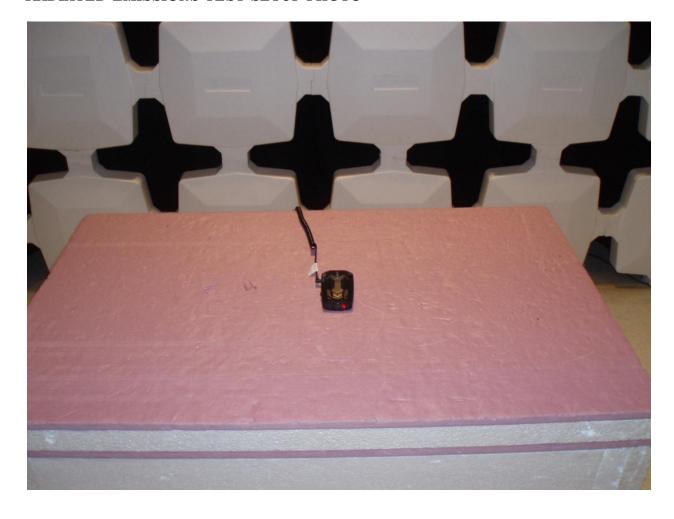
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RADIATED EMISSIONS TEST SETUP PHOTO



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