

**APPENDIX C: RF EXPOSURE INFORMATION**

This spread spectrum device, which can be used in portable hosts, has a conducted output power of 0.8 mW. This level is well below the RF exposure limit of 1.6W/kg. Therefore, this device meets the FCC requirements for RF exposure.

| Frequency (MHz) | Channel | Peak Power Conducted Output (dBm) | Peak Power Conducted Output (mW) |
|-----------------|---------|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 2402            | 2       | -3.68                             | 0.4                              |
| 2440            | 40      | -1.17                             | 0.8                              |
| 2480            | 80      | -0.99                             | 0.8                              |

**FCC RULES AND REGULATIONS PART 1.1307, 1.1310, 2.1091, 2.1093: RF EXPOSURE COMPLIANCE**

**Antenna Type(s):**

| Assembly Description | Assembly Type Designation | Manufacturer's Declared Maximum Gains (dBi) | Manufacturer's Declared Average Gains (dBi) |
|----------------------|---------------------------|---|---|
| Cameo 2              | Dipole                    | 8.7   | 0.3   |
| Cameo 3              | Dipole                    | 8.6   | 0.6   |
| Cameo 3 SC           | Dipole                    | 6.3   | -2.3  |
| ZPR Pod              | Dipole                    | 7.5   | 0.6   |
| QL-320               | Dipole                    | 3.5   | -6.6  |
| QL-220               | Dipole                    | 3.5   | -6.6  |

**Test signal, Time-averaging, Max. Measured Output Power:**

Modulation Type/Modes: FHSS

| Frequency Range |
|-----------------|
| 2402-2480 MHz   |

| Output Power (Watt/dBm) | High (Watt) | High (dBm) | Time averaging (_0_% Duty Cycle) |
|-------------------------|-------------|------------|----------------------------------|
| Conducted               | .0008       | -0.99      |                                  |

From FCC 1.1310 Table 1A, the maximum permissible RF exposure for an uncontrolled environment is 1 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>. The Electric field generated for a 1mW/cm<sup>2</sup> exposure (S) is calculated as follows:

$$S = E^2/Z$$

where:

S = Power density

E = Electric field

Z = Impedance.

$$E = \sqrt{S \cdot Z}$$

$$1 \text{ mW/cm}^2 = 10 \text{ W/m}^2$$

The impedance of free space is 377 ohms, where E and H fields are perpendicular.

Thus:

$$E = \sqrt{10 \cdot 377} = 46.4 \text{ V/m which is equivalent to } 0.57 \text{ mW/cm}^2$$

Using the relationship between Electric field E, Power in watts P, and distance in meters d, the corresponding Antenna numeric gain G and the transmitter output power:

$$E(V/m) = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{d} \quad \text{Power density: } P_d(mW/cm^2) = \frac{E^2}{3770}$$

**MPE Calculation:**

The maximum distance from the antenna at which MPE is met or exceeded is calculated from the equation relating field strength E in V/m, transmit power P in Watts, transmit antenna numeric gain G, and separation distance in meters above, and solving for d below:

$$d = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times P \times G}}{E} \quad 0.009m = \frac{\sqrt{30 \times 0.0008 \times 7.4}}{46.4}$$

**SEPARATION DISTANCE:**

|   |       |
|---|-------|
| <b>Highest Antenna Gain = 7.4</b><br><b>Power<sup>B</sup> (Watt) = 0.0008</b> |       |
| Separation Distance   |       |
| (in)  | (m)   |
| 0.35  | 0.009 |

Notes:

<sup>B</sup> = Conducted power without Duty Cycle (worst case)