Exposure limit according to §1.1307 and RSS-102

The roadside mini reader is classified as a fixed device. The calculation was done to confirm the required safe distance.

Limit for power density for general population/uncontrolled exposure is $f/1500 \text{ mW/cm}^2$ for 300 – 1500 MHz frequency range:

 $P = 915/1500 = 0.61 \text{ mW/cm}^2$

The power density **P** (mW/cm²) = $P_T / 4\pi r^2$

 P_{T} is the transmitted power, which is equal to the peak transmitter output power 18.25 dBm plus maximum antenna gain 8 dBi, the maximum equivalent isotropically radiated power EIRP is

 $P_T = 18.25 \text{ dBm} + 8 \text{ dBi} = 26.25 \text{ dBm} = 422 \text{ mW}.$

The minimum safe distance "r", where RF exposure does not exceed FCC permissible limit, is:

 $r = sqrt \{ PT / [Px4\pi] \} = sqrt \{ 422 / [0.61 x 12.56] \} = 7.4 cm$

General public cannot be exposed to dangerous RF level.