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Compliance Testing of the Commando Remote Unit

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1. L.S. Compliance in Review

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As an EMC testing laboratory, our accreditation and assessments are recognized through the following:

A2LA – American Association for Laboratory Accreditation

Accreditation based on ISO/IEC 17025: 2005 With electrical (EMC) Scope of Accreditation

A2LA Certificate Number: 1255.01

U.S. Conformity Assessment Body (CAB) Validation

Validated by the European Commission as a U.S. conformity assessment Body operating under the U.S./EU, Mutual Recognition Agreement (MRA) operating under the European Union EMC Directive 89/336/EEC. Article 10.2

Date of Validation: January 16, 2001

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) – USA

Listing of 3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber based on 47CFR 2.948

FCC Registration Number: 90756

Listing of 3 and 10 Meter OATS based on 47CFR 2.948

FCC Registration Number: 90757

Industry Canada

On-file, 3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber based on 47CFR 2.948

File Number: IC 3088

On-file 3 and 10 meter OATS based on RSS-210

File Number: IC 3088-A

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L.S. COMPLIANCE, INC. Cedarburg, WI

for technical competence in the field of

Electrical Testing

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Presented this 26th day of March 2003.

President

For the Accreditation Council Certificate Number 1255.01

Valid to January 31, 2005

For tests or types of tests to which this accreditation applies, please refer to the laboratory's Electrical Scope of Accreditation.

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American Association for Laboratory Accreditation

SCOPE OF ACCREDITATION TO ISO/IEC 17025-1999

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ELECTRICAL (EMC)

Valid to: January 31, 2005

Certificate Number: 1255-01

In recognition of the successful completion of the A2LA evaluation process, accreditation is granted to this laboratory to perform the following tests:

Test

Test Method(s)

Emissions

Conducted Emissions

Continuous/Discontinuous

Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 47, FCC Method Parts

15 and 18 using ANSI C63.4; EN: 55011, 55022, 55081-1, 55081-2;

CISPR: 11, 22; CNS 13438

Radiated Emissions

Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 47, FCC Method Parts

15 and 18 using ANSI C63.4; EN: 55011, 55022, 55081-1, 55081-2;

CISPR: 11,22; CNS 13438

Current Harmonics

EN 61000-3-2

Voltage Fluctuations & Flicker

EN 61000-3-3

Immunity

Conducted Immunity

Fast Transients/Burst

IEC: 1000-4-4, 801-4;

Surge

EN: 61000-4-4, 50082-1, 50082-2 IEC: 1000-4-5, 801-5; ENV 50142;

RF Fields

EN: 61000-4-5, 50082-1, 50082-2 IEC: 1000-4-6, 801-6; ENV 50141; EN: 61000-4-6, 50082-1, 50082-2

Voltage Dips/Interruptions

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IEC 1000-4-11; EN: 61000-4-11, 50082-1, 50082-2

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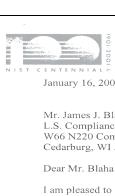
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4. Validation Letter – U.S. Competent Body for EMC Directive 89/336/EEC





UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE National Institute of Standards and Technology Gaithersburg, Maryland 20899-

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January 16, 2001
Mr. James J. Blaha L.S. Compliance Inc. W66 N220 Commerce Court Cedarburg, WI 53012-2636
Dear Mr. Blaha:
I am pleased to inform you that the European Commission has validated your organization's nomination as a U.S. Conformity Assessment Body (CAB) for the following checked (✓) sectoral annex(es) of the U.SEU Mutual Recognition Agreement (MRA).
 (✔) Electromagnetic Compatibility-Council Directive 89/336/EEC, Article 10(2) () Telecommunication Equipment-Council Directive 98/13/EC, Annex III () Telecommunication Equipment-Council Directive 98/13/EC, Annex III and IV Identification Number: () Telecommunication Equipment-Council Directive 98/13/EC, Annex V Identification Number:
This validation is only for the location noted in the address block, unless otherwise indicated below.
 (✔) Only the facility noted in the address block above has been approved. () Additional EMC facilities: () Additional R&TTE facilities:
Please note that an organization's validations for various sectors of the MRA are listed on our web site at http://ts.nist.gov/mra. You may now participate in the conformity assessment activities for the operational period of the MRA as described in the relevant sectoral annex or annexes of the U.SEU MRA document.
NIST will continue to work with you throughout the operational period. All CABs validated for the operational phase of the Agreement must sign and return the enclosed CAB declaration form, which states that each CAB is responsible for notifying NIST of any relevant changes such as accreditation status, liability insurance, and key staff involved with projects under the MRA. Please be sure that you fully understand the terms under which you are obligated to operate as a condition of designation as a CAB. As a designating authority, NIST is responsible for monitoring CAB performance to ensure continued competence under the terms of the MRA.



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6. Product and General Information

Manufacturer: Sports Communications

Model Number: Commando Remote
Serial Number: Engineering Unit

Frequency Range: 902-928 MHz

Test Voltage: 3.7 VDC (average) Rechargeable Lithium Ion Battery Pack

Environmental Conditions in the Test Lab:

Temperature: 20-25° C

Atmospheric Pressure: 86kPa-106kPa

Humidity: 30-60%

7. Introduction

During February 3rd, - 6th, 2003, a series of Radiated Emissions tests were performed on one sample of the Sports Communications Remote Unit, Transmitter Reference-Design, here forth referred to as the "Equipment Under Test" or "EUT". This product operates by means of transmitting packets of data containing embedded codes.

These tests were preformed using the test procedure outlined in ANSI C63.4, 2001 for intentional radiators, and in accordance with the limits set forth in FCC Part 15.249, for a manually operated transmitter.

8. Purpose

The above-mentioned tests were performed in order to determine the compliance of the equipment under test (EUT), with limits contained in various provisions of Title 47CFR, FCC Part 15, including: 15.205, 15.209, and 15.249.

All radiated emission tests were performed to measure the emissions in the frequency bands described in Section 12i, and to determine whether said emissions are below the limits established by the above sections.

These tests were performed in accordance with the procedures described in the American National Standard for methods of measurements of Radio-Noise Emissions from Low-Voltage Electrical and Electronic Equipment in the Range of 9 kHz to 40 GHz (ANSI C63.4, 2001).

Also used as a reference, for the EMI Receiver specification, is the International Special Committee on Radio Interference – CISPR 16-1, 2002.

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9. Product Description

The Commando Control RF Wireless Remote Transceiver is a low power device used in a remote control application. The transceiver operates in the 902-928 MHz I.S.M. band, on one of ten channels, using FSK for the modulation method. The lowest channel (1), has a fundamental frequency of 903.0 MHz, and the highest channel (10) has a fundamental frequency of 911.0 MHz.

The Commando Control RF Wireless Remote is operated in a system with the Commando Control RF Base to allow for the remote control of a video device, particularly in a sports electronics application.

10. Test Requirements

The EUT was ested for radiated emissions, and compliance with the limits set forth by 47 CFR, Parts 15.205, 15.209, and 15.249, for a low power transmitter in an Ism band. The EUT was tested on the lowest and the highest channel, in accordance with 15.33.

11. Summary of Test Report

The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was found to **MEET** the requirements as described within the specifications of Title 47 CFR, Part 15.249.

12. Radiated Emission Test

12a. Test Setup

The EUT was operated within the 3 Meter FCC listed Semi-Anechoic Chamber, located at L.S. Compliance, Inc., Cedarburg, Wisconsin. The EUT was placed on an 80cm high wooden pedestal, which was centered on the flush-mounted 2m diameter metal turntable. The test sample was operated in continuous transmit CW mode for the radiated emissions measurements, and in normal mode for all other measurements, running a simulated set of commands.

12b. Test Procedure

The fundamental and spurious (harmonic) emissions of the transmitter were tested for compliance to Title 47CFR, FCC Part 15.249 limits for a low power transmitter in the ISM bands.

The EUT was tested from the lowest frequency generated by the transmitter (without going below 9kHz) to the 10th harmonic of the fundamental frequency generated by the device. The appropriate limits were also observed when the fundamental or spurious signals were located within any of the restricted bands as described in FCC Part 15.205a.

The EUT was placed on an 80 cm high pedestal, with the Antenna Mast placed 3 m from the EUT. A Bi-conical Antenna was used to measure emissions from 30 MHz to 300 MHz, a Log Periodic Antenna was used to measure emissions from 300 MHz to 1000 MHz, and a Double Ridged Waveguide Horn Antenna was used to measure emissions above 1 GHz. The EUT was operated with the 5 VAC rechargeable battery fully charged. Operation was also checked with the charging cable plugged into the remote and the base unit. 3 orientations of the EUT were tested; vertical, horizontal and side. The unit was tested with a fully re-charged battery pack.

The EUT was modified to produce a continuous CW signal. The resultant signals from the fundamental, harmonics, and spurious signals were maximized by rotating the turntable 360 degrees, and by raising and lowering the Antenna between 1 and 4 meters. The EUT was also given different orientations to determine the maximum signal levels, using both horizontal and vertical antenna polarities.

12c. Test Results

The Equipment Under Test (EUT) was found to **MEET** the requirements as described within the specifications of Title 47 CFR, Part 15.249 for Radiated Emissions.

12d. Occupied Bandwidth

All fundamental signals were seen to fall completely within the 902-928 MHz I.S.M. band.

12e. Test Equipment Utilized, Radiated Emissions

A list of the test equipment used for the tests can be found in Appendix B. All equipment is calibrated and used according to the operation manuals supplied by the manufacturers. All antenna calibrations were performed at a N.I.S.T. traceable site, and the resultant correction factors were entered into the HP8546A FMI Receiver software database.

The connecting cables used were also measured for loss using a calibrated Signal Generator and the HP8546A EMI Receiver. The resulting loss factors were entered into the HP8546A database. This allowed for automatic change in the antenna correction factor. The resulting data taken from the HP8546A EMI Receiver is an actual reading and can be entered into the database as a corrected meter reading. The resulting reading can then compared to the appropriate limit in order to determine compliance. The HP8546A EMI Receiver was operated with a bandwidth of 120 kHz when receiving signals below 1 GHz, and with a bandwidth of 1 MHz when receiving signals above 1 GHz, in accordance with CISPR 16.

The Peak, Quasi-Peak and Average detector functions were all used.

12f. Photo of Setup for Radiated Emissions Test

In the 3 Meter Semi-Anechoic Chamber





Vertical Orientation



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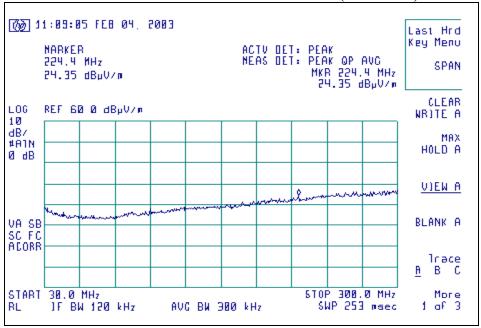
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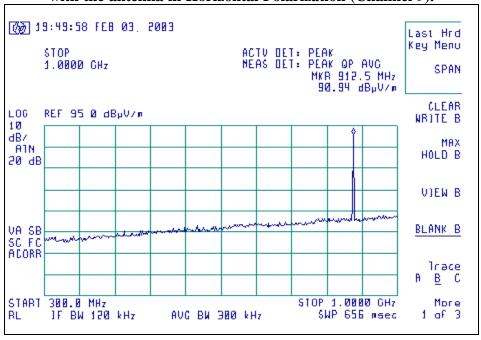
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12g. Signature Scans – Radiated Emissions

Signature Scan from 30 MHz to 300 MHz, with the antenna in Vertical Polarization(Channel 9).



Signature Scan from 300 MHz to 1000 MHz, with the antenna in Horizontal Polarization (Channel 9).



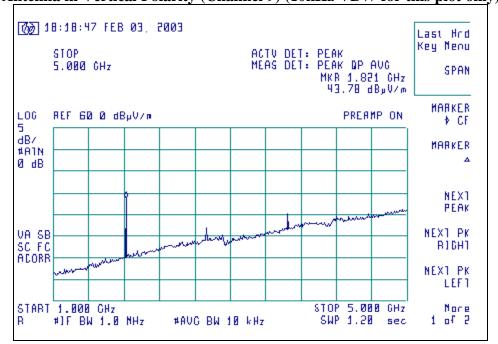
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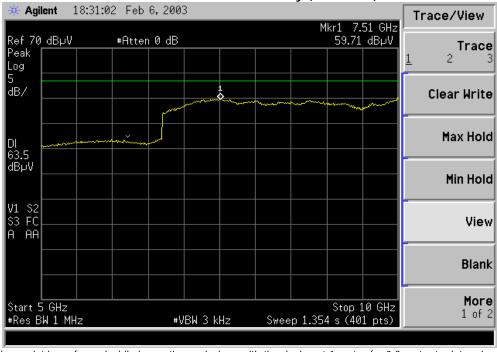
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Signature Scan from 1000 MHz to 5000 MHz, Antenna in Vertical Polarity (Channel 9) (10kHz VBW for this plot only)



Signature Scan from 5000 MHz to 10000 MHz, Antenna in Horizontal Polarity (Channel 9).



Note: The above plot is performed while inspecting emissions with the device at 1 meter (or 0.3 meter to determine if the product is emitting spurious signals in this frequency range) 3 kHz VRW was used for this plot only. Highest noise floor at 7.5GHz was 58.0dBµV with 10Hz VBW.

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12h. <u>Measurement of Electromagnetic Radiated Emission</u>

Measurement of Electromagnetic Radiated Emission Within the 3 Meter Semi-Anechoic FCC Listed Chamber

Manufacturer: Sports Communications

Date of Test: February 3rd – 6th, 2003

Model: Commando Remote Unit

Serial: Engineering Unit

Operating Mode: 4.2 VDC battery fully charged; continuous transmit

Test Specifications: FCC Parts 15.205, 15.209, and 15.249.

Distance : 3 Meters, 1 Me	Fred	uency Range Ins	spected:	30 MHz to 10,000 MHz	
Configuration: Continuous Data Transmit, 3.8 VDC battery voltage measured at end of test.					
Detector(s) Used:	Peak	v	Quasi-Peak	v	Average

Test Equipment Used:

EMI Receiver: HP 8546A	Log Periodic Antenna: EMCO 93146
Double-Ridged Horn Antenna: EMCO 3115	Biconical Antenna: EMCO 93110B
Microwave Spectrum Analyzer HP E4407	

The following table depicts the level of significant fundamental and harmonic emissions found.

Higher order harmonics were found to be below the noise floor of the receiving system.

Frequency (MHz)	Channel	Antenna Polarity	Product Orientation	Height (Meters)	Azimuth (0?-360?)	EMI Meter Reading (dBµV/m)	Limits per 15.249,15.209 (dBµV/m)	Margin (dB)
903.0	0	V	V	1.1	60	93.8	94.0	0.2
910.9	9	Н	Н	1.65	175	92.6	94.0	1.4
1806	0	V	V	1.2	180	43.4	54.0	10.6
1822	9	V	Н	1.0	265	42.9	54.0	11.1
2709	0	Н	V	1.25	200	36.5	54.0	17.5
2733	9	Н	Н	1.0	15	37.1	54.0	16.9
3611	0	Н	Н	1.15	135	37.3	54.0	16.7
3644	9	V	Н	1.15	200	38.9	54.0	15.1
4514	0	V	Н	1.0	295	37.8	54.0	16.2
4555	9	V	Н	1.0	0	39.1	54.0	14.9

Note: All measurements below 1GHz were taken with a quasi-peak detector. All measurements above 1 GHz were taken with an average detector.

Note: Peak readings were also performed above 1 GHz; all were found to be greater than 20dB below the 74 dBµV/m limit. (highest: 46.3 dBµV/m at 1806 MHz using 1 MHz/1MHz RBW/VBW

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12i. Test Equipment Utilized

A list of the test equipment and antennas used for the tests can be found in Appendix B. All equipment is calibrated and used according to the operation manuals supplied by the manufacturers. All antenna calibrations were performed at a N.I.S.T. traceable site, and the resultant correction factors were entered into the HP8546A EMI Receiver software database.

The connecting cables used were also measured for loss using a calibrated Signal Generator and the HP8546A EMI Receiver. The resulting loss factors were entered into the HP8546A database. This allowed for automatic change in the antenna correction factor, as well as cable. The resulting data taken from the HP8546A EMI Receiver is an actual reading and can be entered into the database as a corrected meter reading.

The resulting reading was then compared to the appropriate limit in order to determine compliance. The HP8546a EMI Receiver was operated with a bandwidth of 120 kHz when receiving signals below 1 GHz, and with a bandwidth of 1 MHz when receiving signals above 1 GHz, in accordance with CISPR 16 standards. An Agilent E4407B Microwave Spectrum Analyzer was used above 6 GHz.

The Peak, Quasi-Peak and Average detector functions were all used.

APPENDIX A

Calculations

Manufacturer: Sports Communications, Inc.

Model: Commando Remote Unit

Serial: Engineering Unit

CALCULATION OF RADIATED EMISSIONS LIMITS FOR FCC PARTS 15.209, and 15.249 (260-470 MHz)

FIELD STRENGTH OF FUNDAMENTAL FREQUENCIES:

The fundamental emissions for a 916 MHz transmitter, operating under FCC Part 15.249 limits, must have a field strength no greater than 50mV/m at 3 meters, and a harmonic field strength no greater than $500\mu\text{V/m}$ at 3 meters.

Spurious emissions outside the 902 MHz - 928 MHz band shall be attenuated by at least 50 dB below the level of the fundamental, or meet the limits expressed in FCC Parts 15.205, and 15.209, under general emission limits.

Where $f_0 = 916.75 \text{ MHz}$

Fundamental: $20 \text{ Log } (50\text{mV} / 1\mu\text{V}) = 93.97 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m } @ 3\text{m}$ Harmonic $20 \text{ Log } (500\mu\text{V} / 1\mu\text{V}) = 53.97 \text{ dB}\mu\text{V/m } @ 3\text{m}$

	Fundamental	Fundamental		
Frequency	Limit	Limit	Harmonic Limit	Harmonic Limit
(MHz)	(µV/m @ 3m)	(dBµV/m @ 3m)	(µV/m @ 3m)	(dBµV/m @ 3m)
916.75	50,000	93.97	500	53.97

Limits are rounded to the nearest whole number; i.e. 94.0 dBµV/m.

<u>APPENDIX B</u>

Test Equipment List

			Calibration			
					1111011	Due Date
Asset #	Manufacturer	Model #	Serial #	Description	Date	Due Date
AA960007	EMCO	3115	9311-4138	Horn Antenna	12-06-02	12-06-03
AA960008	EMCO	3816/2NM	9701-1057	Line Impedance Stabilization	09-19-02	09-19-03
AA960014	Fischer	FCC-801-M3-25	148	Coupler-De-Coupler Network	05-02-02	05-02-03
AA960023	Werlatone	C3910	5167	Directional Coupler 40dB	06-19-01	Note 1*
AA960024	Pasternack	100 Watts	PE 7021-6	DC-1.5 GHz Attenuator	I/O	Note 1*
AA960050	Chase	BiCBL6140A	Bilog 1106	Bilog Antenna	06-19-01	Note 1*
AA960054	Giga-Tronics	80301A	1830164	Power Sensor	05-02-02	05-02-03
AA960074	Fischer	F2031-32mm	361	EM Injection Clamp	01-03-03	01-03-04
AA960076	Fischer	F201-32mm	347	Absorbing Clamp	08-29-02	08-29-03
AA960077	EMCO	93110B	9702-2918	Biconical Antenna	09-19-02	09-19-03
AA960078	EMCO	93146	9701-4855	Log-Periodic Antenna	09-19-02	09-19-03
CC00181C	HP	33120A	US36013549	Signal Generator	09-29-00	N/A
CC00221C	Agilent	E4407B (26.5GHz)	US39160256	Spectrum analyzer	10-28-02	10-28-03
EE960003	Amplifier Research	100W 1000M1A	19821	100 Watts Amp	06-19-01	Note 1*
EE960005	Giga-Tronics	8542C	1831450	Dual Channel Power Meter	09-19-02	09-19-03
EE960006	Haefely Trench	PESD 1600	H604079	ESD Gun	09-19-02	09-19-03
EE960007	Haefely Trench	P-line 1610	083732-19	Line Fluctuation Generator	09-19-02	09-19-03
EE960010	Haefely Trench	P-Surge-4	083061-08	Power Surge Generator	08-07-02	08-07-03
EE960011	Haefely Trench	PEFT 4010	083180-21	EFT/Burst Generator	09-19-02	09-19-03
EE960013	HP	8546A	3617A00320	Receiver RF Section	09-20-02	09-20-03
EE960014	HP	85460A	3448A00296	Receiver Pre-Selector	09-20-02	09-20-03
EE960015	HP	6843A	3531A-00145	AC Power Source/Analyzer	10-22-00	N/A
EE960016	Marconi	2024	112120/044	Signal Generator	09-19-02	09-19-03
EE960055	Amplifier Research	75A250	21952	75 Watt Amp	06-22-01	Note 1*

Note 1* - Equipment calibrated within a traceable system.

Table of Expanded Uncertainty Values, (K=2) for Specified Measurements

Measurement Type	Particular Configuration	Uc Value in Appropriate Units
Radiated Emissions	3 – Meter chamber, Biconical Antenna	4.24 dB
Radiated Emissions	3-Meter Chamber, Log Periodic Antenna	4.8 dB
Radiated Emissions	10-Meter OATS, Biconical Antenna	4.18 dB
Radiated Emissions	10-Meter OATS, Log Periodic Antenna	3.92 dB
Conducted Emissions	Shielded Room/EMCO LISN	1.60 dB
Radiated Immunity	3 Volts/Meter in 3Meter Chamber	1.128 Volts/Meter
Conducted Immunity	3 Volts level	1.0 V