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# **TEST REPORT**

## Kahne KW1 Wand Series RFID Trigger

tested to

47 Code of Federal Regulations

**Part 15 - Radio Frequency Devices** 

**Subpart C – Intentional Radiators** 

for

Kahne Ltd

This Test Report is issued with the authority of:

**Andrew Cutler - General Manager** 



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## 1. STATEMENT OF COMPLIANCE

The **Kahne KW1 Wand Series RFID Trigger** complies with FCC Part 15 Subpart C as an Intentional Radiator when the methods as described in ANSI C63.4 - 2003 are applied.

## 2. RESULTS SUMMARY

| Clause | Parameter  | Result   |  |  |  |  |
|--------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| 15.201 | Equipment authorisation requirement                      | Certification required.  |  |  |  |  |
| 15.203 | Antenna requirement                                      | Complies. Antenna internal to the device.  |  |  |  |  |
| 15.204 | External PA and antenna modifications                    | Not applicable. No external devices.   |  |  |  |  |
| 15.205 | Restricted bands of operation                            | Complies. Device transmits on 134.300 kHz.   |  |  |  |  |
| 15.207 | Conducted limits   | Not applicable. Battery powered device that does not directly or indirectly connected to that AC mains supply. |  |  |  |  |
| 15.209 | Radiated emission limits -<br>Fundamental                | Complies with a 26.0 dB margin (peak).   |  |  |  |  |
| 15.209 | Radiated emission limits -<br>Spurious emissions <30 MHz | Complies. No spurious emissions detected below 30 MHz  |  |  |  |  |
| 15.209 | Radiated emission limits –<br>Spurious emissions >30 MHz | Complies with an 11.4 dB margin at 138.404 MHz (Horizontal).   |  |  |  |  |

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#### 3. INTRODUCTION

This report describes the tests and measurements performed for the purpose of determining compliance with the specification.

The client selected the test sample.

This report relates only to the sample tested.

This report contains no corrections or erasures.

Measurement uncertainties with statistical confidence intervals of 95% are shown below test results. Both Class A and Class B uncertainties have been accounted for, as well as influence uncertainties where appropriate.

#### 4. CLIENT INFORMATION

Company Name Kahne Ltd

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**Country** New Zealand

**Contact** Mr Michael Eivers

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## 5. DESCRIPTION OF TEST SAMPLE

**Brand Name** Kahne

Model Number KW1 Wand Series

**Product** Handheld RFID Trigger

**Manufacturer** Kahne Ltd

Country of Origin New Zealand

Serial Numbers 0410000120

FCC ID WO7KW

#### **Product Description**

This device is a handheld wand device, operating in the 134.2 kHz band, that can trigger an In vitro bolus device to activate and download data stored to a waiting field receiver.

No data is transmitted or received by the KW1 Wand.

The signal that is produced is used to activate the bolus RFID device.

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#### 6. **RESULTS**

#### Standard

The sample was tested in accordance with 47 CFR Part 15 Subpart C.

#### **Methods and Procedures**

The measurement methods and procedures as described in ANSI C63.4 - 2003 were used.

#### Section 15.201: Equipment authorisation requirement

Certification as detailed in Subpart J of Part 2 is required for this device.

#### Section 15.203: Antenna requirement

This device has an internal antenna.

**Result:** Complies.

#### Section 15.204: External radio frequency power amplifiers and antenna modifications

It is not possible to attach an external power amplifier to this transmitter.

Result: Complies.

#### Section 15.205: Restricted bands of operation

The transmitter transmits on 134.300 kHz.

This falls between the restricted bands of 90-110 kHz and 495-505 kHz.

**Result:** Complies.

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#### Section 15.209: Radiated emission limits, general requirements

Radiated emissions testing was carried out over the frequency range of 100 kHz to 1000 MHz.

Testing was carried out at the laboratory's open area test site - located at Driving Creek, Orere Point, Auckland, New Zealand.

This site conforms to the requirements of CISPR 16 and ANSI C63.4 - 2003.

Testing was carried out when the device was powered from internal batteries.

Device was tested transmitting continuously whilst the on/off button was held in place to initiate continuous transmission.

The device was placed in the centre of the test table when placed in the X, Y and Z planes (laying flat, face up and upright).

The worst case was found to be when the EUT was standing upright facing the antenna.

Below 30 MHz the centre of the loop antenna was placed 1 metre above the test site ground plane on a non conductive support.

Above 30 MHz the emission is measured in both vertical and horizontal antenna polarisations, where appropriate.

When an emission is located, it is positively identified and its maximum level is found by rotating the automated turntable, and by varying the antenna height, where appropriate, with an automated antenna tower.

The emission level was determined in field strength by taking the following into consideration:

Level  $(dB\mu V/m) = Receiver Reading (dB\mu V) + Antenna Factor (dB) + Coax Loss (dB)$ 

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#### **Fundamental emission:**

Measurements were made using a magnetic loop antenna and a receiver with an average detector and a peak detector both using a 9 kHz bandwidth

Measurements were made at a distance of 10 metres with the limit being determined by using the extrapolation factor of 40 dB per decade limit, as detailed in section 15.31 f (2).

At 300 m the limit at 134.300 kHz is 17.8 uV/m or 25 dBuV/m (Average) and 45 dBuV/m (Peak).

An extrapolation factor of 40 dB/ per decade has been applied with limits of 85.0 dBuV/m (Average) and 105 dBuV/m (Peak) being applied.

Testing was carried out when the device was transmitting continuously.

#### **Peak**

| Frequency (kHz) | Level<br>(dBuV/m) | Distance (metres) | Limit<br>(dBuV/m) | Margin<br>(dB) |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 134.300         | 79.0              | 10.0              | 105.0             | 26.0           |

#### Average

| Frequency (kHz) | Level<br>(dBuV/m) | Distance (metres) | Limit<br>(dBuV/m) | Margin<br>(dB) |  |
|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|--|
| 134.300         | 78.1              | 10.1              | 85.0              | 6.9            |  |

Result: Complies.

Measurement uncertainty with a confidence interval of 95% is:

- Free radiation tests  $(100 \text{ kHz} - 30 \text{ MHz}) \pm 4.8 \text{ dB}$ 

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Section 15.209: Spurious Emissions (below 30 MHz)

| Frequency<br>kHz | Level<br>dBµV/m | Limit<br>dBµV/m | Margin<br>dB | Result | Detector   | Antenna |
|------------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------|------------|---------|
| 268.600          | -               | 99.0            | -            | Pass   | Peak       | Loop    |
| 268.600          | -               | 79.0            | -            | Pass   | Average    | Loop    |
| 402.900          | -               | 95.5            | -            | Pass   | Peak       | Loop    |
| 402.900          | -               | 75.5            | -            | Pass   | Average    | Loop    |
| 537.200          | -               | 53.0            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 671.500          | -               | 51.1            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 805.800          | -               | 49.5            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 940.100          | -               | 48.1            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1074.400         | -               | 47.0            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1208.700         | -               | 46.0            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1343.000         | -               | 45.0            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1477.300         | -               | 44.2            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1611.600         | -               | 43.4            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1745.900         | -               | 49.5            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |
| 1880.200         | -               | 49.5            | -            | Pass   | Quasi Peak | Loop    |

No further emissions detected when measurements were attempted between 2-30 MHz.

Magnetic loop measurements were attempted at a distance of 10 metres.

At each frequency the measurement antenna was further adjusted to give the highest field strength.

A receiver with an average detector and a peak detector using a 9 kHz bandwidth was used between 110-490 kHz and a quasi peak detector with a 9 kHz bandwidth was used between 490 kHz -30.0 MHz.

The 300 metre limit between 125 – 490 kHz has been scaled by a factor of 40 dB per decade, as per section 15.31 (f) (2). The 30 metre limit between 490 – 1705 kHz has been scaled by a factor of 40 dB per decade, as per section 15.31 (f) (2).

The limit between 110 – 490 kHz was increased by 20 dB when the peak detector was used.

The spurious emissions observed do not exceed the level of the fundament emission.

**Result:** Complies.

Measurement uncertainty with a confidence interval of 95% is:

- Free radiation tests  $(100 \text{ kHz} - 30 \text{ MHz}) \pm 4.8 \text{ dB}$ 

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#### Section 15.209: Spurious Emissions (above 30 MHz)

Measurements between 30 –1000 MHz have been made at a distance of 3 metres as the device appears to contain a digital device.

A receiver with a quasi peak detector with a 120 kHz bandwidth was used between 30 - 1000 MHz.

The device was tested transmitting continuously on 134.2 kHz.

The limits as described in Section 15.209 have been applied as follows:

| 30.0 - 88.0  MHz  | 100 uV/m | 40 dBuV/m   |
|-------------------|----------|-------------|
| 88.0 - 216.0  MHz | 150 uV/m | 43.5 dBuV/m |
| 216.9 – 960.0 MHz | 200 uV/m | 46.0 dBuV/m |
| Above 960 MHz     | 500 uV/m | 54.0 dBuV   |

| Frequency<br>MHz | Vertical<br>dBµV/m | Horizontal<br>dBµV/m | Limit<br>dBµV/m | Margin<br>dB | Result | Antenna    |
|------------------|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------|------------|
| 48.170           | 20.3               |                      | 40.0            | 19.7         | Pass   | Vertical   |
| 76.995           |                    | 24.8                 | 40.0            | 15.2         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 78.070           |                    | 25.5                 | 40.0            | 14.5         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 80.353           |                    | 25.1                 | 40.0            | 14.9         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 85.188           | 22.0               | 28.7                 | 40.0            | 11.3         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 87.073           |                    | 24.6                 | 40.0            | 15.4         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 93.120           |                    | 29.6                 | 43.5            | 13.9         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 109.245          |                    | 19.8                 | 43.5            | 23.7         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 109.378          |                    | 18.0                 | 43.5            | 25.5         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 138.404          | 18.9               | 32.1                 | 43.5            | 11.4         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 140.015          |                    | 31.1                 | 43.5            | 12.4         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 144.715          |                    | 31.3                 | 43.5            | 12.2         | Pass   | Horizontal |
| 168.098          |                    | 25.8                 | 43.5            | 17.7         | Pass   | Horizontal |

**Result:** Complies

Measurement uncertainty with a confidence interval of 95% is:

- Free radiation tests  $(30 - 1000 \text{ MHz}) \pm 4.1 \text{ dB}$ 

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## 7. TEST EQUIPMENT USED

| Instrument        | Manufacturer  | Model             | Serial No  | Asset Ref | Cal Due        |
|-------------------|---------------|-------------------|------------|-----------|----------------|
| Aerial Controller | EMCO          | 1090              | 9112-1062  | RFS 3710  | Not applicable |
| Aerial Mast       | EMCO          | 1070-1            | 9203-1661  | RFS 3708  | Not applicable |
| Biconical Antenna | Schwarzbeck   | BBA 9106          | -          | RFS 3613  | 31/01/2011     |
| Receiver          | R & S         | ESCS 30           | 847124/020 | E1595     | 30/01/2011     |
| Receiver          | R & S         | ESHS 10           | 828404/005 | RFS 3728  | 10/07/2010     |
| Log Periodic      | Schwarzbeck   | <b>VUSLP</b> 9111 | 9111-228   | 3785      | 31/01/2011     |
| Loop Antenna      | EMCO          | 6502              | 9003-2485  | 3798      | 12/06/2011     |
| Mains Network     | R & S         | ESH2-Z5           | 881362/034 | 3628      | 22/07/2010     |
| Variac            | General Radio | 1592              | -          | RFS 3690  | Not applicable |
| Turntable         | EMCO          | 1080-1-2.1        | 9109-1578  | RFS 3709  | Not applicable |
| VHF Balun         | Schwarzbeck   | VHA 9103          | -          | RFS 3613  | 31/01/2011     |

#### 8. ACCREDITATIONS

Testing was carried out in accordance with EMC Technologies Ltd registration with the Federal Communications Commission as a listed facility, registration number: 90838, which was updated in January, 2010.

All testing was carried out in accordance with the terms of EMC Technologies (NZ) Ltd International Accreditation New Zealand (IANZ) Accreditation to NZS/ISO/IEC 17025, 2005.

All measurement equipment has been calibrated in accordance with the terms of the EMC Technologies (NZ) Ltd International Accreditation New Zealand (IANZ) Accreditation to NZS/ISO/IEC 17025, 2005.

International Accreditation New Zealand has Mutual Recognition Arrangements for testing and calibration with various accreditation bodies in a number of economies. This includes NATA (Australia), UKAS (UK), SANAS (South Africa), NVLAP (USA), A2LA (USA), SWEDAC (Sweden). Further details can be supplied on request.

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## 9. PHOTOTGRAPHS

## **External photos**







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