

## 5 FCC §2.1091, §1.1307 – RF Exposure

### 5.1 Applicable Standards

According to FCC §2.1091, and §1.1307(b)(1), systems operating under the provisions of this section shall be operated in a manner that ensures that the public is not exposed to radio frequency energy level in excess of the Commission's guidelines.

#### Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure

| Frequency Range (MHz)                               | Electric Field Strength (V/m) | Magnetic Field Strength (A/m) | Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> ) | Averaging Time (minutes) |
|---|-------------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure |                               |                               |                                     |                          |
| 0.3-1.34  | 614                           | 1.63                          | * (100)                             | 30                       |
| 1.34-30   | 824/f                         | 2.19/f                        | * (180/f <sup>2</sup> )             | 30                       |
| 30-300  | 27.5                          | 0.073                         | 0.2                                 | 30                       |
| 300-1500  | /                             | /                             | f/1500                              | 30                       |
| 1500-100,000  | /                             | /                             | 1.0                                 | 30                       |

f = frequency in MHz

\* = Plane-wave equivalent power density

### 5.2 MPE Prediction

Predication of MPE limit at a given distance, Equation from OET Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01

$$S = PG/4\pi R^2$$

Where: S = power density

P = power input to antenna

G = power gain of the antenna in the direction of interest relative to an isotropic radiator

R = distance to the center of radiation of the antenna

### 5.3 MPE Result

#### RFID Standalone

Maximum Peak E.R.P. (dBm): -52.31

Maximum Peak E.R.P. (mW): 0.0000059

Prediction distance (cm): 20

Prediction frequency (MHz): 13.56

Power density of prediction frequency at 20 cm (mW/cm<sup>2</sup>): 0.0000000012

FCC MPE limit for uncontrolled exposure at prediction frequency (mW/cm<sup>2</sup>): 0.979

The device is compliant with the FCC requirement MPE limit for uncontrolled exposure. The maximum power density at the distance of 20 cm is 0.0000000012 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>. Limit is 0.979 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>.

*Note: Per ANSI C63.10 Sections 10.3.9 and G.4, Max ERP was determined by the following calculation: 45.14 dBuV/m @ 3m – 95.3 – 2.15 dB = -52.31 dBm*