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# FCC PART 15.231 TEST REPORT LOW POWER UNLICENSED TRANSMITTER

Applicant	RJ DUNKIN COMPANY, LLC			
Address	424 STONECREST DRIVE			
Address	BIRMINGHAM ALABAMA 35242			
FCC ID	2ACUE19230223			
Product Description	REMOTE CONTROL TRANSMITTER			
Date Sample Received	10/23/2014			
Date Tested	11/3/2014			
Tested By	Sid Sanders			
Approved By	Cory Leverett			
Test Results	☐ Pass ☐ Fail			

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#### **GENERAL REMARKS**

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## **Summary**

The device under test does:

fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report not fulfill the general approval requirements as identified in this test report

#### **Attestations**

This equipment has been tested in accordance with the standards identified in this test report. To the best of my knowledge and belief, these tests were performed using the measurement procedures described in this report.

All instrumentation and accessories used to test products for compliance to the indicated standards are calibrated regularly in accordance with ISO 17025 requirements.

I attest that the necessary measurements were made, under my supervision, at:

Timco Engineering Inc. 849 NW State Road 45 Newberry, FI 32669

## **Authorized Signatory Name:**

**Project Manager** 

Date: 11/5/2014

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## **REPORT SUMMARY**

Disclaimer	The test results only relate to the item tested.
Applicable Rule(s)	FCC Pt 15.231, Pt 15.209, Pt 15.207, ANSI C63.4: 2009
Related Report(s) or Approval(s)	NA

## **TEST ENVIRONMENT**

Test Facility	The test sites are located at 849 NW State Road 45 Newberry, FL 32669 USA.			
Test Condition:	Temperature: 24-26°C Relative humidity: 50-65%			

# **TEST SETUP**

Test Exercise (e.g software description, test signal, etc.):	The EUT was operated in a normal mode to determine the duty cycle and then placed in continuous transmit mode of operation for the radiated emissions.
Deviation from the standard(s)	No deviation from the standard(s)
Modification to the EUT:	No modification was made to the EUT.
Supporting Peripheral Equipment	Not applicable. The device is a stand-alone remote control radio.

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## **EUT SPECIFICATION**

Applicant	RJ DUNKIN COMPANY, LLC					
Description	REMOTE CONTR	REMOTE CONTROL TRANSMITTER				
FCC ID	2ACUE19230223					
Frequency Range	433.95MHz					
	☐ 110-120Vac/50- 60Hz					
<b>EUT Power Source</b>	DC Power					
	□ Battery Operated Exclusively					
Test Item	☐ Prototype ☐ Pre-Production ☐ Production					
Type of Equipment	☐ Fixed ☐ Mobile ☐ Portable					

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# MANUFACTURE DECLARATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH PART 15.231(A)

Item	Description	Yes	No	
1	Does this device transmit a signal that is only used to control another device?	Χ		
2	Does this device send data with this control signal?		Х	
3	Does this device send data? Data is, things like: temperature, wind direction, fluid amount, rate of flow, etc.		Х	
4	Does this device transmit continuously or automatically?		Χ	
5	If manually operated does this device stop transmitting within 5 seconds of releasing the button?	Χ		
6	If automatically operated does it deactivate 5 seconds after activation?			
7	Does it transmit at regular predetermined intervals?		Х	
8	Does it poll or send supervisory information?		Χ	
0	If yes does it do a system integrity check? How often?		Χ	
	Is this a fire, security or safety of life device?		X	
9	If YES does the device stop transmitting after the alarm condition is satisfied?		Х	
	DUTy cycle: Maximum on-time IS 9.26mSeconds.			
10	If YES, on-time in 100 ms? If Other, please specify here			
	On time in			
11	Modulation technique: Please specify the modulation of the test sample, FM, or AFSK, or FSK, or on-off keying, or others?	Р		

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## **TEST PROCEDURES**

**Power line conducted Emissions:** The test procedure used was ANSI C63.4-2009.

**Spurious Emissions**: The test procedure used was ANSI C63.4-2009 using a spectrum analyzer with a preselector. The bandwidth of the spectrum analyzer was 100 kHz with an appropriate sweep speed. The analyzer was calibrated in dB above a microvolt at the output of the antenna. The resolution bandwidth was 100 kHz and the video bandwidth was always greater than the RBW.

**Occupied Bandwidth**: A small sample of the transmitter output was fed into the spectrum analyzer and a was generated. The vertical scale is set to 10 dB per division.

**Formula Of Conversion Factors**: The field strength at 3m was established by adding the meter reading of the spectrum analyzer to the antenna correction factor supplied by the antenna manufacturer plus the coax loss. The antenna correction factors are stated in terms of dB/m. The gain of the preselector was accounted for in the spectrum analyzer reading.

## Example:

Freq	Meter Reading	ACF	Cable Loss	Field Strength
MHz	dΒμV	dB/m	dB	dBμV/m @ 3 m
33	20	+10.36	+1.2	= 31.56

**ANSI C63.4-2003 Measurement:** The EUT was placed on a table 80 cm high and with dimensions of 1m by 1.5m. The EUT was placed in the center of the table. The table used for radiated measurements is capable of continuous rotation. The spectrum was scanned from 30 MHz to the 10th harmonic of the fundamental.

Peak readings were taken in three (3) orthogonal planes when necessary and the highest readings were converted to average readings based on the duty cycle.

When an emission was found, the table was rotated to produce the maximum signal strength. At this point, the antenna was raised and lowered from 1m to 4m. The antenna was placed in both the horizontal and vertical planes.

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#### CALCULATION OF DUTY CYCLE

The period of the pulse train is determined by observing it on an oscilloscope or a spectrum analyzer with zero (0) frequency span. A plot is then made of the pulse train with a sweep time of 100 milliseconds. This sweep determines the duration of the pulse train. This sweep allows the determination of the number of and type of pulses, i.e. long & short. Plots are then made showing the duration of each type of pulse and its duration. From the 100-millisecond plot, the number of a given type of pulse is then multiplied by the duration of that type pulse. This allows the calculation of the amount of time the EUT is on within 100 ms.

Type of Pulse	Quantity	Duration	Total Time
		mSec.	mSec.
Long Pulse	1	1.12	1.12
Short Pulse	60	0.096	5.76
Next to Large	1	0.65	0.65
Medium	3	0.26	0.77
Next to Smallest	6	0.16	0.96
Total On Time in			9.26
Length of Pulse Train			
Total			

dB = 20\*log(ON TIME)/PERIOD

dB = 20\*log(4.58/100)

dB = 20\*log(0.0458)

dB = -20

See the following plots.

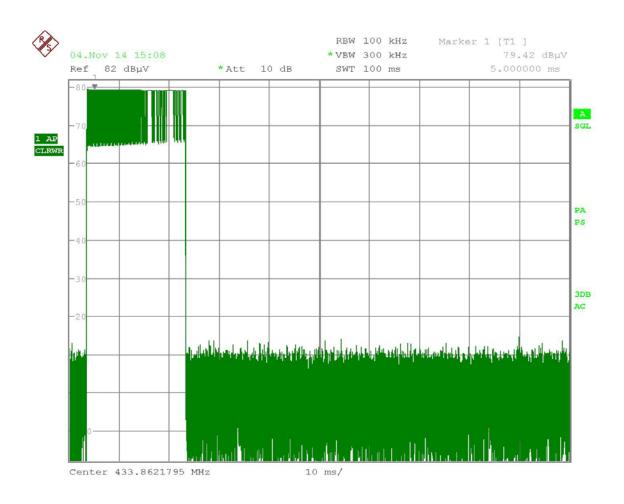
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#### **DUTY CYCLE PLOTS**



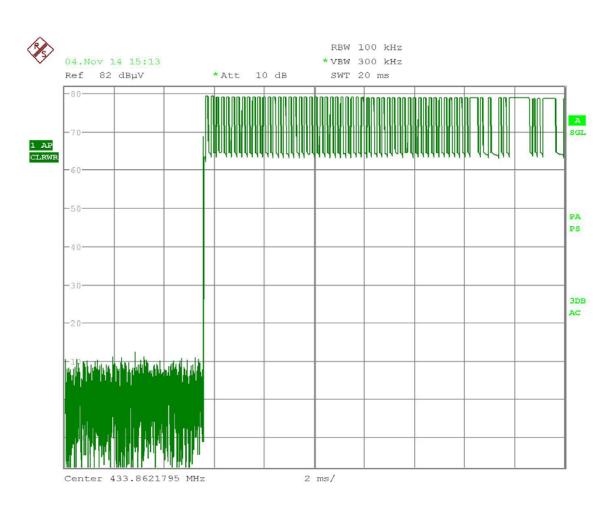
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## **DUTY CYCLE PLOTS**



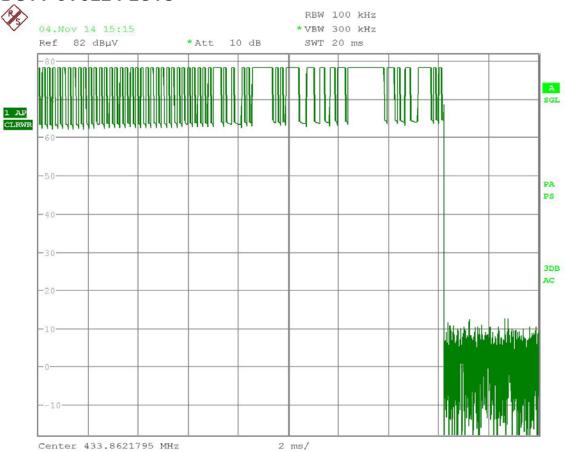
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# **DUTY CYCLE PLOTS**



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#### RADIATION INTERFERENCE

Rules Part No.: 15.231

#### Requirements:

Fundamental	Field Strength of	Field Strength of Harmonics and
Frequency	Fundamental	Spurious Emissions
(MHz)	(dBµV/m)	(dBµV/m @ 3m)
40.66 to 40.70	67.04	47.04
70 to 130	61.94	41.94
130 to 174	61.94 to 71.48	41.94 to 51.48
174 to 260	71.48	51.48
260 to 470	71.48 to 81.94	51.48 to 61.94
470 and above	81.94	61.94

No fundamental frequency is allowed in the restricted bands.

Spurious emissions in the restricted bands must be less than 54 dB $\mu$ V/m or to the limits of 15.209.

Where F is the frequency in MHz, the formulas for calculating the maximum permitted fundamental field strengths are as follows:

- 1) for the band 130-174 MHz, uV/m at 3 meters = 56.81818(F)-6136.3636;
- 2) for the band 260-470 MHz, uV/m at 3 meters = 41.6667(F)-7083.3333.

The maximum permitted unwanted emission level is 20dB below the maximum permitted fundamental level AT THAT FREQUENCY.

Sample calculation of limit @ 315 MHz:

41.6667 (315)-7083.3333 = 6041.68 uV/m 20log(6041.68) = 75.62dBuV/m limit @ 315 MHz

Sample calculation of limit @ 433.92 MHz:

41.6667 (433.9)-7083.3333 = 10,995.85 uV/m 20log(10,995.85) = 80.82 dBuV/m limit @ 433.9 MHz

#### FOR THIS EUT:

The limit for average field strength in dBuV/m for the fundamental frequency is 80.82 dBµV/m.

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# RADIATION INTERFERENCE (Cont.)

The limit for average field strength in dBuV/m for the harmonics and other spurious frequencies is  $60.82 \text{ dB}_{\mu}\text{V/m}$  unless it is in a restricted band.

#### **TEST DATA**:

Tuned		Meter			Ant	Duty	Field	
Freq.	<b>Emission</b>	Reading	Ant.	Coax	Correction	Cycle	Strength	
MHz	Freq. MHz	dBuV	Pol.	Loss dB	Factor	Factor	dBuV/m	Margin
433.95	433.95	61.5	Н	1.43	15.84	20	58.77	22.06
433.95	433.95	65.3	V	1.43	15.88	20	62.61	18.22
433.95	867.89	22.75	Н	2.2	23.06	20	28.01	33.93
433.95	867.89	13.41	V	2.2	23.06	20	18.67	43.27
433.95*	1301.81	20.09	Н	3.25	28.42	20	31.76	30.18
433.95	1301.81	23.83	V	3.25	28.42	20	35.5	26.44
433.95	1735.75	19.67	Н	2.9	30.17	20	32.74	29.20
433.95	1735.75	15.98	V	2.9	30.15	20	29.03	32.91
433.95	2169.75	24.46	Н	3.01	31.97	20	39.44	22.50
433.95	2169.75	21.73	V	3.01	31.23	20	35.97	25.97
433.95	2603.75	19.61	Н	3.32	32.87	20	35.8	26.14
433.95	2603.75	19.19	V	3.32	32.67	20	35.18	26.76
433.95	3037.65	16.05	Н	3.63	33.48	20	33.16	28.78
433.95	3037.65	18.04	V	3.63	33.17	20	34.84	27.10
433.95	3471.52	20.14	Н	4.02	33.22	20	37.38	24.56
433.95	3471.52	21.73	V	4.02	32.96	20	38.71	23.23
433.95	3905.43	20.14	Н	4.41	33.77	20	38.32	23.62
433.95	3905.52	13.15	V	4.41	32.56	20	30.12	31.82
433.95	4339.5	15.57	Н	4.67	34.04	20	34.28	27.66
433.95	4339.5	14.99	V	4.67	43.98	20	43.64	18.30

Highlighted indicates restricted bands.

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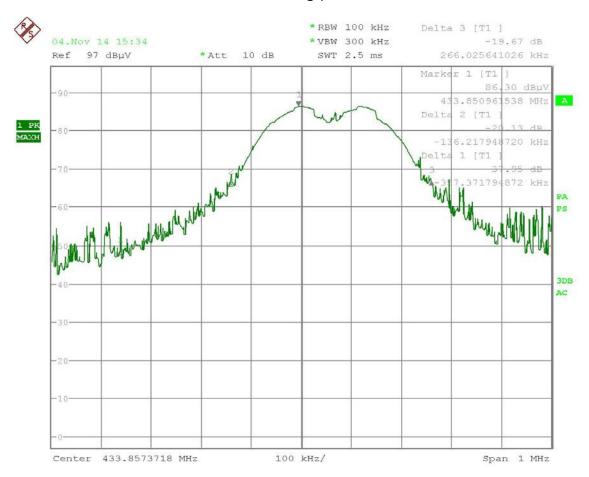


#### OCCUPIED BANDWIDTH

**Rules Part No.**: 15.231(C)

**Requirements**: The bandwidth of the emission shall be no wider than .25% of the center frequency for devices operating between 70 and 900 MHz. Bandwidth is determined at the points 20 dB down from the modulated carrier.

**Test Data:** Please refer to the following plots.



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Results: 20dB BW = 453.57kHz

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## POWER LINE CONDUCTED INTERFERENCE

Rules Part No.: Pt 15.207

Requirements:

Frequency (MHz)	Quasi Peak Limits (dBuV)	Average Limits (dBuV)
0.15 - 0.5	66 – 56	56 – 46
0.5 - 5.0	56	46
5.0 - 30	60	50

**Test Data:** Not applicable because the EUT is battery operated exclusively.

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## **TEST EQUIPMENT LIST**

Device	Manufacturer	Model	Serial Number	Cal/Char Date	Due Date
EMI Test	Rohde &	ESIB	100274	08/12/14	08/12/16
Receiver R & S	Schwarz	40			
ESIB 40 Screen					
Room					
Software: EMI	Rohde &	EMC 32	Version	12/12/99	12/12/99
Test Receiver	Schwarz		4.30.0		
EMI Test	Rohde &	ESU 40	100320	03/11/14	03/11/16
Receiver R & S	Schwarz				
ESU 40					
Chamber					

## \*EMI RECEIVER SOFTWARE VERSION

Firmware: 4.43 SP3; BIOS Ver: V5.1-24-3

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