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Dear Jim Mimlitz,

Enclosed is the EMC test report for com pliance testing of the Navionics Research, Inc., Et herMeter EM-100, tested to the requirements of Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 15 Subpart B for a Class A Digital Device.

Thank you for using the services of MET Laboratories, Inc. If you have any questions regarding these results or if MET can be of further service to you, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours, MET LABORATORIES, INC.

Jennifer Warnell Documentation Department

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Engineering Statement: The measurements shown in this report were made in accordance with the procedures indicated, and the emissions from this equipment were found to be within the applicable limits. I assume full responsibility for the accuracy and completeness of these measurements, and for the qualifications of all per sons taking them. It is further stated that up on the basis of the measurements made, the equip ment tested is capable of operation in accordance with the requirements of Title 47 of the CFR, Part 15, Subpart B for a Class A Digital Device under nor mal use and maintenance.

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AC	Alternating Current
ACF	Antenna Correction Factor
ANSI	American National Standards Institute
Cal	Calibration
d	Measurement Distance
dB	Deci Bels
dBμV	Deci-Bels above one micro Volt
dBµV/m	Deci-Bels above one micro Volt per meter
DC	Direct Current
DCF	Distance Correction Factor
E	Electric Field
EUT	Equipment Under Test
f	Frequency
FCC	Federal Communications Commission
GHz	Giga Hertz
Hz	Hertz
kHz	kilohertz
kPa	kilopascal
kV	kilo Volt
LISN	Line Impedance Stabilization Network
MHz	MegaHertz
$\mu \mathbf{H}$	micro Henry
$\mu \mathbf{F}$	micro Farad
μs	micro seconds
RF	Radio Frequency
RMS	Root-Mean-Square

List of Terms and Abbreviations



1.0 Testing Summary

Title 47 of the CFR, Part 15, Subpart B, Reference and Test Description	Results	Comments	
15.107 (a) Conducted Emission Limits for a Class A Digital Device	Not Applicable	The EUT has a DC power only.	
15.109 (a) Radiated Emission Limits for a Class A Digital Device	Compliant	Measured emissions were below applicable limits.	

 Table 1. Summary of Test Results



2.0 Equipment Configuration

2.1 Overview

MET Laboratories, Inc. was contracted by Navionics Research, Inc. to perform testing on the EtherMeter EM-100, under Navionics Research, Inc. purchase order number 20090204.

This document describes the test setups, test methods, required test equipment, and the test limit criteria used to perform compliance testing of the Navionics Research, Inc., EtherMeter EM-100.

In accordance with \$2.955(a) (3), the following data is presented in support of the verification of the Navionics Research, Inc., EtherMeter E M-100. Navionics Research, Inc. should retain a copy of this document which should be k ept on file for at l east t wo y ears a fter the manufacturing of the EtherMeter EM-100 has been **permanently** discontinued, as per \$2.955(b).

The results obtained relate only to the item(s) tested.

Model(s) Tested:	EtherMeter EM-100
Model(s) Covered:	EtherMeter EM-100
Primary Power as Tested:	9-36V DC (Nominally 24VDC)
Equipment Emissions Class:	А
Highest Clock Frequency:	25 MHz (External Crystal For Ethernet Controller IC)
Evaluated by:	Francis Chau
Report Date:	February 25, 2009

Table 2. EUT Overview



2.2 Test Site

All t esting was per formed at MET Labo ratories, Inc., 914 W. Patapsc o Ave., Baltim ore, MD 21230. All equipment used in m aking physical determinations is accurate and bears recent trace ability to the National Institute of Standards and Technology.

Radiated Em issions m easurements were performed i n a se mi-anechoic c hamber. In acc ordance with §2.948(a)(3), a com plete si te description i s cont ained at MET Laboratories. In acc ordance with §2.948(d), MET Laborat ories has been accredited by the Nationa 1 Vol untary Laborat ory Acc reditation Progra m (Lab Code: 100273-0).

2.3 Description of Test Sample

The EtherMeter EM-100, Equipment Under Test (EUT), is a protocol translator. The EtherMeter reads one or two water m eter registers and transmits the readings to a connected c omputer or logic controller using the MODBUS protocol. The transmission may take place via the EtherMeter's serial or Ethernet port (or both).

2.4 Equipment Configuration

The EUT was set up as outlined in Figure 1. All equipment incorporated as part of the EUT is included in the following list.

Ref. ID	Name / Description	Model Number	Part Number	Serial Number	Revision
А	ETHERMETER	ETHERMETER	EM-100	000021	2.52

Table 3. Equipment Configuration

2.5 Support Equipment

Support equipment necessary for the operation and testing of the EUT is included in the following list.

Ref. ID	Name / Description	Manufacturer	Model Number
В	ETHERMETER INTERROGATOR UNIT	NAVIONICS RESEARCH	CUSTOM-BUILT CONTROL PANEL

 Table 4.
 Support Equipment



2.6 **Ports and Cabling Information**

Ref. ID	Port Name on EUT	Cable Description	Qty.	Length (m)	Shielded (Y/N)	Termination Point
1	SERIAL PORT	CAT5 (RED)	1	7.6	NO	SERIAL PORT
2	ETHERNET PORT	CAT5 (YELLOW)	1	7.6	NO	ETHERNET PORT
3	PHOENIX TERMINALS 1 AND 2	22 GA MTW	1	N/A	NO	N/A
4	PHOENIX TERMINALS 6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13	22 GA MTW	1	7.6	NO	ANALOG / DIGITAL I/O PORT
5	PHOENIX TERMINALS 14,15,16,17,18,19	22 GA MTW	1	7.6	NO	METER I/O PORT

Table 5. Ports and Cabling Information





Figure 1. Block Diagram of Test Configuration



2.7 Mode of Operation

The EtherMeter will be connected, via four (4) signal cables plus one (1) ground reference cable, to an external "Interrogator Unit".

The "Interrogator Unit" contains electronics that will permit the EtherMeter to continuously interrogate two (2) water meter registers.

The "In terrogator Unit" also con tains an in dustrial touch screen computer which will continuously poll the EtherMeter using the MODBUS protocol. The EtherMeter's serial and Ethernet ports will be u tilized simultaneously.

2.8 Method of Monitoring EUT Operation

On the EtherMeter, the green LED (power) should be active during normal operation.

The LCD Display of the EtherMeter should regularly (approximately every 3 seconds) scroll between the two measured meter readings and flow rates during normal operation.

Also, the touch screen of the "In terrogator Unit" will display the two (2) meter readings on its display if the EtherMeter is operational.

If the EtherMeter is not operational, the touch screen display will show 0's for the two meter readings, and/or the display will show "PLC Comm Error" on the touch screen.

Note: During normal operation in this test, the two (2) displayed flow rates on the touch screen should be ZERO. This is normal.

2.9 Modifications

2.9.1 Modifications to the EUT

No modifications were made to the EUT.

2.9.2 Modifications to the Test Standard

No modifications were made to the test standard.

2.10 Disposition of EUT

The test sample including all support equipment (if any), submitted to the Electro-Magnetic Compatibility Lab for testing was returned to Navionics Research, Inc. upon completion of testing.



3.0 Electromagnetic Compatibility Emission Criteria

3.1 Conducted Emission Limits

Test Requirement(s): 15.107 (a) "Except for Class A digital devices, for equipment that is designed to be connected to the public utility (AC) power line, the radio frequency voltage that is conducted back onto the AC power line on any frequency or frequencies within the band 150 kHz to 30 MHz shall not ex ceed the li mits in Table 6. C ompliance with th is provision shall b e b ased on the measurement of t he radio frequency voltage between each power line and g round at the power terminals."

15.107 (b) "For a Class A d igital device that is designed to be connected to the public utility (AC) power line, the radio frequency voltage that is conducted back onto the AC power line on any frequency or frequencies within the band 150 kHz to 30 MHz shall not exceed the limits in Table 6. Compliance with this provision shall be based on the measurement of the radio frequency voltage between each power line and ground at the power terminals. The lower limit applies at the band edges."

Frequency range	15.107(b), Cla (dBµ	uss A Limits IV)	15.107(a), Class B Limits (dBµV)			
(MHZ)	Quasi-Peak	Average	Quasi-Peak	Average		
0.15- 0.5	79	66	66 - 56	56 - 46		
0.5 - 5.0	73	60	56	46		
5.0 - 30	73	60	60	50		
Note 1 — The lower limit shall apply at the transition frequencies.						

 Table 6. Conducted Limits for Radio Frequency Devices calculated from FCC Part 15

 Section 15.107(a) (b)

Test Results: The EUT was not applicable with the Class A requirement(s) of this section. The EUT has a DC power only.



3.2 Radiated Emission Limits

Test Requirement(s): 15.109 (a) Except for Class A digital devices, the field strength of radiated emissions from unintentional radiators at a distance of 3 meters shall not exceed the Class B limits expressed in Table 7.

15.109 (b) T he field st rength of ra diated em issions f rom a C lass A digital de vice, as determined at a distance of 10 meters, shall not exceed the Class A lim its expressed in Table 7.

	Field Strength (dBµV/m)				
Frequency (MHz)	§15.109 (b), Class A Limit (dBμV) @ 10m	§15.109 (a),Class B Limit (dBμV) @ 3m			
30 - 88	39.00	40.00			
88 - 216	43.50	43.50			
216 - 960	46.40	46.00			
Above 960	49.50	54.00			

Table 7. Radiated Emissions Limits calculated from FCC Part 15, §15.109 (a) (b)

Test Procedures: The EUT was placed on a non-metallic table, 80 cm above the ground plane inside a semianechoic chamber. The method of testing and test conditions of ANSI C63.4 were used. An antenna was located 3 m from the EUT on a n adjustable mast. A p re-scan w as first performed in order to find prominent radiated emissions. For final emissions measurements at each frequency of interest, the EUT was rotated and the antenna height was varied between 1 m and 4 m i n order t o maximize t he emission. M easurements i n b oth horizontal and vertical po larities were m ade and the data was recorded. Un less o therwise sp ecified, measurements were made using a quasi-peak detector with a 120 kHz bandwidth.

Emissions measured at 3m were norm alized using an inverse proportionality factor of 20dB per decade for comparison to the 10 m limit.

For pre-scan measurements above 1 GHz, for wide equipment, when c ompared with beam width of t he antenna, t he a ntenna m ay h ave been m oved l aterally during prescanning. Measurement distance to EUT was close enough to overcome noise floor but still remain in the far field. Antenna manuals are consulted as necessary for exact antenna beam width. Due to limitations of antenna cable length, traditional adjustable antenna mast may not have been appropriate and therefore not used for all measurements. Consultation with Millimeter Wave Test Procedures, FCC Publication Number 200443 is referenced when needed.

Test Results: The EUT was compliant with the Class A requirement(s) of this section.

Test Date(s): 02/ 18/09



Frequency (MHz)	EUT Azimuth (Degrees)	Antenna Polarity (H/V)	Antenna Height (m)	Uncorrected Amplitude (dBuV)	Antenna Correction Factor (dB) (+)	Cable Loss (dB) (+)	Distance Correction Factor (dB) (-)	Corrected Amplitude (dBuV/m)	Limit (dBuV/m)	Margin (dB)
39.762	0	Н	1.22	17.50	8.74	0.20	10.46	15.98	39.00	-23.02
39.762	2	V	1.00	34.01	7.63	0.20	10.46	31.38	39.00	-7.62
46.376	0	Н	2.14	18.59	9.38	0.21	10.46	17.73	39.00	-21.27
46.376	0	V	1.00	35.29	8.31	0.21	10.46	33.35	39.00	-5.65
52.746	55	Н	1.92	16.26	9.76	0.23	10.46	15.79	39.00	-23.21
52.746	0	V	1.00	31.86	8.87	0.23	10.46	30.50	39.00	-8.50
95.087	330	Н	3.32	24.26	7.80	0.22	10.46	21.82	43.50	-21.68
95.087	229	V	1.00	39.40	6.81	0.22	10.46	35.96	43.50	-7.54
199.977	360	Н	1.90	26.44	10.40	0.39	10.46	26.77	43.50	-16.73
199.977	360	V	1.00	32.46	10.20	0.39	10.46	32.59	43.50	-10.91
319.981	360	Н	1.00	23.52	13.60	1.56	10.46	28.22	46.40	-18.18
319.981	292	V	1.49	24.60	14.10	1.56	10.46	29.80	46.40	-16.60

Radiated Emissions Limits Test Results, Class A

Table 8. Radiated Emissions Limits Test Results

Note 1: The EUT was tested at 3 m. The data has been corrected f or comparison with the 10 m limit using the f ormula: 20log (3 m/10 m) as expressed in the 'Distance Correction' column.

Note 2: The following sample calculation was used to correct the a mplitude (Corrected Amplitude (dBuV/m)= Uncorrected Data+ACF+Cable Loss-Distance Correction Factor).





Plot 1. Radiated Emissions, Pre-Scan



Radiated Emission Limits Test Setup



Photograph 1. Radiated Emission Limits Test Setup



4.0 Test Equipment

Calibrated test equipment utilized during testing was maintained in a current state of calibration per the requirements of ANSI/NCSL Z540-1-1994 and ANSI/ISO/IEC 17025:1999.

Test Name: Radiated Emissions Test Date(s): 02/18/09						
MET Asset #	Nomenclature	Manufacturer	Model	Last Cal Date	Cal Due Date	
1T4303	ANTENNA; BILOG	SCHAFNER - CHASE EMC	CBL6140A	07/07/2008	07/07/2009	
1T4300	SEMI-ANECHOIC CHAMBER # 1	EMC TEST SYSTEMS	NONE	02/17/2006	005/22/2009	
1T4409	EMI RECEIVER	ROHDE & SCHWARZ	ESIB7	04/18/2008	04/18/2009	
1T4632	THERMO/HYGROMETER	CONTROL COMPANY	S6-627-9	09/25/2007	09/25/2009	
1T4457	DC POWER SUPPLY	SORENSEN	DC560-18E	N/A	N/A	

Table 9. Test Equipment

Note: Functionally verified test equipment is verified using calibrated instrumentation at the time of testing.



5.0 Compliance Information

5.1 Verification Information

The following is extracted from Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 2, Subpart I — Marketing of Radio frequency devices:

§ 2.801 Radio-frequency device defined.

As used in this part, a radio-frequency device is any device which in its operation is capable of Emitting radiofrequency energy by radiation, conduction, or other means. R adio- frequency devices include, but are not limited to:

- (a) The various types of radio communication transmitting devices described throughout this chapter.
- (b) The incidental, unintentional and intentional radiators defined in Part 15 of this chapter.
- (c) The industrial, scientific, and medical equipment described in Part 18 of this chapter.
- (d) Any part or component thereof which in use emits radio-frequency energy by radiation, conduction, or other means.

§ 2.803 Marketing of radio frequency devices prior to equipment authorization.

- (a) Except as provide d elsewhere in this chapter, no person shall sell o r lease, o r offer for sale or lease (including advertising for sale or lease), or import, ship or distribute for the purpose of selling or leasing or offering for sale or lease, any radio frequency device unless:
 - (1) In the case of a device s ubject to certification, such device has been authorized by the Commission in accordance with the rule s in this chapter r and is properly identified and labeled as re quired by §2.925 and other relevant sections in this chapter; or
 - (2) In the case of a device that is not required to have a grant of equipment authorization issued by the Commission, but which must comply with the specified technical standards prior to use, such device also complies with all applicable ad ministrative (in cluding v erification of the equipment or authorization under a Declaration of Conformity, where required), technical, labeling and identification requirements specified in this chapter.
- (d) Notwithstanding the provisions of para graph (a) of this section, the offer for sale so lely to business, commercial, industrial, scientific or medical users (but not an offer for sale to other parties or to end users located in a residential environment) of a radio frequency device that is in the conceptual, developmental, design or pre-production stage is permitted prior to equipment authorization or, for devices not subject to the equipment authorization requirements, p rior to a d etermination of compliance with the applicable technical requirements *provided* that the prospective buyer is advised in writing at the time of the offer for sale that the equipment is subject to the FCC rules and that the equipment will comply with the appropriate rules before delivery to the buyer or to centers of distribution.



- (e)(1) Notwithstanding the provisions of paragraph (a) of this section, prior to equipment authorization or determination of c ompliance with the applicable technical requirements any radio frequency device may be operated, but not marketed, for the following purposes and under the following conditions:
 - (*i*) *Compliance testing;*
 - (ii) Demonstrations at a trade show provided the notice contained in paragraph (c) of this section is displayed in a conspicuous location on, or immediately adjacent to, the device;
 - (iii) Demonstrations at an exh ibition co nducted at a bu siness, co mmercial, in dustrial, scien tific or medical lo cation, bu t ex cluding lo cations in a resid ential en vironment, prov ided t he no tice contained in paragraphs (c) or (d) of this section, as a ppropriate, is displayed in a conspicuous location on, or immediately adjacent to, the device;
 - (iv) Evaluation of product performance and determination of customer acceptability, provided such operation take s place at the manufacturer's fac ilities duri ng devel opmental, design or preproduction states; or
 - (v) Evaluation of product perfor mance and determ ination of customer acceptability where customer acceptability of a radio frequency device cannot be determined at the manufacturer's facilities because of size or unique capability of the device, provided the device is operated at a business, commercial, industrial, scientific or medical u ser's site, b ut not at a residential site, d uring the development, design or pre-production stages.
- (e)(2) For the purpose of paragraphs (e)(1)(iv) and (e)(1)(v) of this section, the term *manufacturer's facilities* includes the facilities of t he party responsible for compliance with t he regulations and the manufacturer's premises, as well as the facilities of other entities working under the authorization of the responsible party in connection with the development and manufacture, but not the marketing, of the equipment.
- (f) For radio frequency devices subject to verification and sold solely to business, commercial, industrial, scientific and medical users (excluding products sold to other parties or for operation in a residential environment), parties res ponsible for verification of the devices shall have t he option of e nsuring compliance with the applicable technical specifications of this chapter at each end user's location after installation, prov ided that the purchase or lease a greement includes a provision that s uch a determination of compliance be made and is the responsibility of the party responsible for verification of the equipment.



The following is extracted from Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 2, Subpart J - Equipment Authorization Procedures:

§ 2.901 Basis and Purpose

- (a) In order t o carry out its responsibilities under the Communications Act and the various treaties and international regulations, and in order to promote efficient use of the radio spectrum, the Commission has developed t echnical st andards f or ra dio frequency equi pment and parts or c omponents thereof. The technical standards applicable to individual types of equipment are found in that part of the rules governing the service wherein the equipment is to be operated.¹ In addition to the technical standards provided, the rules governing the service may require that such equipment be verified by the manufacturer or importer, be aut horized under a Declaration of C onformity, or receive an equipment authorization from the Commission by one of the following procedures: certification or registration.
- (b) The following sections describe the verification procedure, the procedure for a Declaration of Conformity, and the proced uses to be followed in ob taining certification from the Commission and the conditions attendant to such a grant.

§ 2.902 Verification.

- (a) Verification is a procedure where the manufacturer² makes measurements or takes the necessary steps to insure that the equipment complies with the appropriate technical standards. Submission of a sample unit or representative dat a to the C ommission demonstrating compliance is not required unless specifically requested by the Commission pursuant to § 2.957, of this part.
- (b) Verification at taches to all i tems su bequently marketed by the m anufacturer or importer which are identical as defined in § 2.908 to the sample tested and found acceptable by the manufacturer.

¹ In this case, the equipment is subject to the rules of Part 15. More specifically, the equipment falls under Subpart B (of Pa rt 15), which deals with unintentional radiators.

² In this case, MET Laboratories, Inc. is acting as an agent of the manufacturer.



§ 2.948 Description of measurement facilities.

- (a) Each party making measurements of equipment that is subject to an equipment authorization under Part 15 or Part 18 of this chapter, regardless of whether the measurements are filed with the Commission or kept on file by the party responsible for compliance of equipment marketed within the U.S. or its possessions, shall compile a description of the measurement facilities employed.
 - (1) If t he m easured eq uipment i s sub ject t o t he veri fication procedure, t he descri ption of t he measurement facilities shall be retained by the party responsible for verification of the equipment.
 - (i) If the equipment is verified through measurements performed by an independent laboratory, it is acceptable for the party responsible for verification of the equipment to rely upon the description of the measurement facilities retained by or placed on file with the Commission by that laboratory. In this situation, the party responsible for the verification of the equipment is not required to retain a duplicate copy of the description of the measurement facilities.
 - (ii) If the equipment is verified based on measurements performed at the installation site of the equipment, no specific site calibration data is required. It is acceptable to retain the description of the measurement facilities at the site at which the measurements were performed.
 - (2) If the equ ipment is to be au thorized by the Commission under the certification procedure, the description of the measurement facilities shall be filed with the Commiss ion's Lab oratory in Columbia, Maryland. The data describing the measurement facilities need only be filed once but must be updated as changes are made to the measurement facilities or as o therwise described in this section. At least every three years, the orga nization responsible for filing the data with the Commission shall certify that the data on file is current.

§ 2.952 Limitation on verification.

- (a) Verification signifies that the manufacturer or importer has determined that the equipment has been shown to be capable of compliance with the applicable technical standards if no unauthorized change is made in the equipment and if the equipment is properly maintained and operated. Compliance with these standards shall not be c onstrued t o b e a fi nding b y the manufacturer or importer with respect t o matters no t encompassed by the Commission's rules.
- (b) Verification of the equipment by the manufacturer or importer is effective until a termination d ate is otherwise established by the Commission.
- (c) No person shall, in any advertising matter, brochure, etc., u se or make reference to a verification in a deceptive or misleading manner or convey the im pression that s uch verification reflects more than a determination by the manufacturer or importer that the device or product has been shown to be capable of compliance with the applicable technical standards of the Commission's rules.



§ 2.953 Responsibility for compliance.

- (a) In verifying compliance, the responsible party, as defined in §2.909 warrants that each unit of equipment marketed under the verification procedure will be identical to the unit tested and found acceptable with the standards and that the records maintained by the responsible party continue to reflect the equipment being produced under such verification within the variation that can be expected due to quantity production and testing on a statistical basis.
- (b) The importer of equipment subject to verification may upon receiving a written state ment from the manufacturer that the equipment complies with the appropriate technical standards rely on the manufacturer or independent testing age ney to verify compliance. The test records required by § 2.955 however should be in the English language and made a vailable to the Commission up on a reas onable request, in accordance with §2.956.
- (c) In the case of transfer of control of e quipment, as in the case of sale or merger of the grantee, the new manufacturer or importer shall bear the responsibility of continued compliance of the equipment.
- (d) Verified equ ipment shall be re-verified if an y modification or change adversely affects the e manation characteristics of the modified equ ipment. The p arty d esignated in § 2.909 bears responsibility for continued compliance of subsequently produced equipment.

§ 2.954 Identification.

Devices subject only to verification shall be u niquely identified by the person responsible for marketing or importing the equipment within the United States. Ho wever, the identification shall not be of a format which could be confused with the FCC Identifier required on certified, notified or typ e accepted equipment. The importer or manufacturer shall maintain adequate identification records to facilitate positive identification for each verified device.

§ 2.955 Retention of records.

- (a) For each equipment subject to verification, the responsible party, as shown in §2.909 shall maintain the records listed as follows:
 - (1) A record of the original design drawings and specifications and all changes that have been made that may affect compliance with the requirements of §2.953.
 - (2) A record of t he procedures used for production inspection and t esting (if tests were p erformed) to insure t he conformance r equired by §2.953. (S tatistical production lin e Em ission t esting is no t required.)
- (b) The records listed in paragraph (a) of this section shall be retained for two years after the manufacture of said equipment item has been permanently discontinued, or until the conclusion of an in vestigation or a proceeding if t he manufacturer or im porter is officially not ified t hat an i nvestigation or any o ther administrative proceeding involving his equipment has been instituted.



§ 2.956 FCC inspection and submission of equipment for testing.

- (a) Each responsible party shall upon receipt of reasonable request:
 - (1) Submit to the Commission the records required by \$2.955.
 - (2) Submit one or more sample units for measurements at the Commission's Laboratory.
 - (i) Shipping c osts t o the C ommission's Lab oratory and ret urn s hall be b orne by the responsible party.
 - (ii) In the event the responsible p arty b elieves that shipment of t he sam ple to the Commiss ion's Laboratory is impractical because of the size or weight of the equipment, or t he power requirement or for any other reason, the responsible party may submit a written explanation why such shipment is impractical and should not be required.

Label and User's Manual Information

The following is extracted from Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 15, Subpart A — General:

§ 15.19 Labeling requirements.

- (a) In addition to the requirements in Part 2 of this chapter, a device subject to certification or verification shall be labeled as follows:
 - (1) Receivers associated with the operation of a licensed radio service, e.g., FM broadcast under Part 73 of this chapter, land mobile operation under Part 90, etc., sh all bear the following statement in a conspicuous location on the device:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the condition that this device does not cause harmful interference.

(2) A stand-alone cable input selector switch, shall bear the following statement in a conspicuous location on the device:

This d evice is v erified to comply with Part 15 of the FCC Ru les for u se with cab le television service.

(3) All other devices shall bear the following statement in a conspicuous location on the device:

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) This device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.



- (4) Where a device is constructed in two or more sections connected by wires and marketed together, the statement specified under paragraph (a) of this section is required to be affixed only to the main control unit.
- (5) When the device is so sm all or for such use that it is not practicable to place the stat ement specified under paragraph (a) of this section on it, the information required by this paragraph shall be placed in a prominent location in the instruction manual or pamphlet supplied to the user or, alternatively, shall be placed on the container in which the device is marketed. However, the FCC identifier or the unique identifier, as appropriate, must be displayed on the device.

§ 15.21 Information to user.

The users manual or instruction manual for an intentional or unintentional radiator shall caution the user that changes or modifications not expressly approved by the party responsible for compliance could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

The following is extracted from Ti tle 4 7 of the Code of Federal Regulations, Part 15, Subpart B — Unintentional Radiators:

§ 15.105 Information to the user.

(a) For a Class A digital device or peripheral, the instructions furnished the user shall include the following or similar statement, placed in a prominent location in the text of the manual:

Note: This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harm ful interference when the equipment is oper ated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential are a is likely to cause harm ful interference in which cas e the user will be required to correct the interference at own expense.

(b) For a Class B digital device or peripheral, the instructions furnished the user shall include the following or similar statement, placed in a prominent location in the text of the manual:

NOTE: This equip ment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class B digital device, pursuant to part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harm ful interference in a residential installation. This equip ment g enerates, uses and can radiate radio f requency energy and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instructions, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. However, there is no guarantee that interference will not occur in a particular installation. If this equipment does cause harmful interference to radio or television reception, which can be determined by turning the equip ment off and o n, the user is encour aged to try to correct the interference by one or more of the follo wing measures:

- -Reorient or relocate the receiving antenna.
- —Increase the separation between the equipment and receiver.
- -Connect the equipment into an outlet on a circuit different from that to which the receiver is connected.
- -Consult the dealer or an experienced radio/ TV technician for help.