

Test Bed Facility for Short Range Devices - Baldock

Manufacturers of Short Range Devices (SRDS) will be able to test their own products in the presence of LTE emissions from handsets/dongles at Ofcom's Technical Measurement Centre in Baldock, Hertfordshire when it opens on the 5 March.

The SRD test facility, referred to in paragraphs 1.21 and 5.10 of the information update "*Use of Short Range Devices (SRDs) alongside mobile broadband services operating in the 800MHz band*" published on the 30 November 2011, will be open for use between 5 March – 29 June 2012.

The test facility will help UK manufacturers to understand the impact of any interference on their short range devices from LTE signals and assess any potential improvements to their products and consumer guidance.

Stakeholders wishing to make use of the test bed facility will be required to agree to Ofcom's Terms of Use and should contact: SRD.testbed@ofcom.org.uk to make an appointment. General enquiries regarding the test bed facility should also be sent to this address.

Links

Use of SRD alongside mobile broadband services operating in the 800MHz band –
Information Update

<http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/binaries/consultations/tlc/annexes/Update.pdf>

Investigation on the receiver characteristics of SRD equipment in the 863 – 870 MHz band

<http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/binaries/consultations/tlc/annexes/SRD-Study.pdf>

Investigation of LTE UE into Social Alarms

http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/binaries/consultations/tlc/annexes/LTE_UE.pdf

Baldock radio monitoring station

<http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/enforcement/spectrum-enforcement/baldock/>

Short Range Devices Information Sheet

<http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/spectrum/spectrum-management/licence-exempt-radio-use/licence-exempt-devices/short-range-devices-information>

Licence exempt devices

<http://stakeholders.ofcom.org.uk/spectrum/spectrum-management/licence-exempt-radio-use/licence-exempt-devices/>

Licence Exempt Radio Use

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