

Federal Communication Commission Equipment Authorization Division, Application Processing Branch 7435 Oakland Mills Road Columbia, MD 21046

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## Confidentiality request

Ascom (Sweden) AB FCC Registration Number (FRN): 0013904214 FCC ID:BXZWH2 FCC Part 15 Certification

This letter serves as an official request for confidentiality under FCC Rule Section 0.459. We have requested that the following documents required to be submitted with this application be withheld from public review:

- Operational Description
- Block Diagram
- Schematics
- Parts Lists

MODE Tune Up Information

These documents contain detailed system and equipment description and related information about the product which Ascom (Sweden) AB considers being proprietary, confidential and a custom design and otherwise would not release to the general public. Since the design is a basis from which future technological products will evolve, Ascom (Sweden) AB considers that this information would be of benefit to its competitors and that the disclosure of the information in these documents would give competitors an unfair advantage in the market.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the address shown below.

In addition to the above mentioned documents, pursuant to Public Notice DA 04-1705 of the Commission's policy, in order to comply with the marketing regulations in 47 CFR §2.803 and the importation rules in 47 CFR §2.1204, while ensuring that business sensitive information remains confidential until the actual marketing of newly authorized devices, Ascom requests that the Commission withholds the following documents from public viewing for one hundred eighty days after the date the grant of equipment authorization is issued:

- External Photographs
- Internal Photographs
- Test Setup Photographs

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These documents reveal technical and design information that has not been publicly disclosed in marketing materials and is protected by Ascom (Sweden) AB as confidential and proprietary trade secrets. This information has been disclosed to those required to maintain its confidentiality, and is not customarily disclosed publicly prior to the commercial release of the device. As a result, disclosure of this information by the Commission prior to commercial release would harm Ascom (Sweden) AB by giving competitors an unfair market advantage. Ascom (Sweden) AB believes the period of confidentiality requested is necessary to protect the information until the commercial release of a device.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the address shown below.

Sincerely.

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