



April 13, 2012

Federal Communications Commission
Office of Engineering and Technology
Equipment Authorization Division
7345 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, MD 21046

RE: Confidentiality Request
Application for Certification
FCC ID: SM6-HOTRODV1LO

Pursuant to the provisions of 47 §§ CFR 0.457(d) and 0.459 Mueller Systems, LLC ("Mueller Systems") requests the following exhibits regarding this submission be held permanently confidential:

- Schematics
- Theory of Operation
- System Block Diagram

Mueller Systems requests that these exhibits be permanently withheld from public review. Mueller Systems has spent substantial effort in developing this product. Having the subject information easily available to "competition" would negate the advantage it has achieved by developing this product. The application contains specific technical information which Mueller Systems considers to be trade secrets and proprietary confidential information which, if disclosed, could be used to the disadvantage of the applicant in the market place.

Accordingly, these exhibits and confidential information contained in them are exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act, Section 552(b)(4) of Title 5 of the United States Code. If any person or entity should request copies of these exhibits or any portion of them, Mueller Systems asks that such request be provide to me, as provided for in Executive Order 12600.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Robert P. Keefe", written in a cursive style.

Robert P. Keefe
Senior Vice President/Chief Information Officer