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Federal Communications Commission Authorization and Evaluation Division

Confidentiality Request regarding application for certification of FCC ID: 2AHCQ-IL0302

Pursuant to Sections 47 CFR 0.457(d) and CFR 0.459 of the Commission's Rules, we hereby request confidential treatment of information accompanying this application as outlined below:

Type of Confidentiality Requested		Exhibit	File Name
Short Term	□ Long Term	Block Diagram	2AHCQ-IL0302 BlkDia.pdf
☐ Short Term	□ Long Term	Schematics	2AHCQ-IL0302 Schem.pdf
☐ Short Term	□ Long Term	Operational Description	2AHCQ-IL0302 OpDes.pdf
☐ Short Term	□ Long Term	Internal Photos	2AHCQ-IL0302 IntPho.pdf

IsoLynx LLC has spent substantial resources in developing this product and it is one of the first of its kind in industry. Having the subject information easily available to "competition" would negate the advantage they have achieved by developing this product and not protecting the details of the design will result in financial hardship.

IsoLynx LLC requests the exhibits above be classified as **permanently confidential** and be permanently withheld from public review because the materials contain trade secrets and proprietary information not customarily released to the public. The public disclosure of these materials may be harmful to the applicant and provide unjustified benefits to its competitors.

While the Block Diagram, Schematics, and Operational Description are traditionally appropriate for long-term confidentiality because of their sensitive nature, the applicant also requests that the **Internal Photos** be similarly classified under long term confidentiality for the following reasons:

- 1. The IsoLynx tag is securely sealed and the components shown in the internal photos (including the tag's antenna) are not accessible to users at any point.
- 2. The tag is plastic welded during production and does not open. Attempting to disassemble the tag would potentially destroy it.
- **3**. The tag's internal antenna is proprietary and represents a trade secret that will that be harmful to the applicant (and provide unjustified benefits to competitors) if released.

As a result, IsoLynx LLC petitions that the Internal Photos exhibit be similarly protected under long term confidentiality.

The applicant understands that pursuant to Section 0.457 of the Rules, disclosure of this application and all accompanying documentation will not be made before the date of the Grant for this application.

Sincerely,

Ed Evansen IsoLynx LLC

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