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Federal Communications Commission Equipment Authorization Branch 7435 Oakland Mills Road Columbia, MD 21046

## Gentlemen:

Ecolab, Inc. respectfully requests confidentiality of certain materials provided with the submission of the FAS1543-02 under FCC ID: Z9O-FAS1543-02 in accordance with FCC Regulations 47 CFR 0.457(d) and 47 CFR 0.459. The confidentiality request applies to the following exhibits:

16-2065 – Schematics.pdf 16-2065 – Block Diagram.pdf 16-2065 – Theory of Operation.pdf

The FAS1543-02 has been developed at considerable effort and expense by Ecolab,Inc. These items are considered as Trade Secrets and therefore public access to the proprietary material could possibly result in duplication of equipment that could severely damage the company's business advantage.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

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