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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
45 L Street NE
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: REQUEST FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT
DeDrone Holdings, Inc.
Request for Special Temporary Authority
OET File No. 0986-EX-ST-2026**

Dear Secretary Dortch:

DeDrone Holdings, Inc. (“DeDrone”), by its counsel and pursuant to Sections 0.457 and 0.459 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.457, 0.459, hereby requests confidential treatment for the Narrative Description that was submitted in support of the above referenced application for Special Temporary Authority (“STA”). In accordance with Sections 0.457 and 0.459, DeDrone herein provides the following information in support of its request for confidential treatment.

0.459(b)(1) Identification of the specific information for which confidential treatment is sought. DeDrone seek confidential treatment for the Narrative Description that was filed by DeDrone in support of its above referenced STA application, including the technical details and coverage map that was included in the Narrative Description.

0.459(b)(2) Identification of the Commission proceeding in which the information was submitted or a description of the circumstances giving rise to the submission. DeDrone filed its Narrative Description with OET in support of its STA application, file number 0986-EX-ST-2026.

0.459(b)(3) Explanation of the degree to which the information is commercial or financial, or contains a trade secret or is privileged. DeDrone’s Narrative Description contains highly sensitive and proprietary commercial information that is extremely sensitive to DeDrone and its potential customer, as identified in the Narrative Description. The

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Narrative Description details the demonstration that DeDrone would perform for the potential customer, thus disclosing to DeDrone's competitors both the nature of DeDrone's technology and the identity of one of its potential customers, the release of which would place DeDrone at a significant competitive disadvantage. As discussed in the Narrative Description, the technology that would be demonstrated would be used by the customer for security and law enforcement purposes that are of significant interest to the United States. Therefore, the release of this information would also pose a risk to national security and international law enforcement efforts.

0.459(b)(4) Explanation of the degree to which the information concerns a service that is subject to competition. The market for security technologies of the nature that will be demonstrated by DeDrone is subject to extensive competition.

0.459(b)(5) Explanation of how disclosure of the information could result in substantial competitive harm. As noted above, the Narrative Description details the demonstration that DeDrone would perform for its potential customer, thus disclosing to DeDrone's competitors both the nature of DeDrone's technology and the identity of one of its potential customers, the release of which would place DeDrone at a significant competitive disadvantage.

0.459(b)(6) Identification of any measures taken by the submitting party to prevent unauthorized disclosure. DeDrone has not made its technology demonstration plans, or the identity of its potential customer, available publicly and such information has only been disclosed to third parties pursuant to restrictive safeguards.

0.459(b)(7) Identification of whether the information is available to the public and the extent of any previous disclosure of the information to third parties. DeDrone believes that the information in the Narrative Description and its use by the potential customer is not readily available publicly. To DeDrone's knowledge, the information in the Narrative Description is not publicly available through any means.

0.459(b)(8) Justification of the period during which the submitting party asserts that material should not be available for public disclosure. The information in the attached confidential submission should presumptively be withheld from public inspection indefinitely because its release, even several years from now, would disclose the security and law enforcement technology that is in use (assuming it is secured) by that customer.

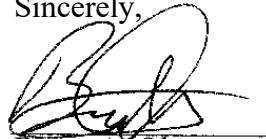
For the foregoing reasons, DeDrone respectfully requests that the Narrative Description in its STA application be granted confidential status and be withheld from public inspection

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indefinitely. If confidential treatment is not granted for the Narrative Description, DeDrone requires that all copies of the Narrative Description be returned to DeDrone immediately.

Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions about this matter.

Sincerely,



Bruce A. Olcott