Exhibit A

REQUEST FOR EXPEDITED PROCESSING

Pursuant to Section 5.61(a) of the Commission's rules, applicant Philips Research NA ("Philips") hereby requests expedited processing of its request for Special Temporary Authorization ("STA"), file number 0455-EX-ST-2008.

As set forth in its application, the Federal Communications Commission Office of Engineering and Technology previously issued an STA (call sign WD9XHY) to Philips to demonstrate potential applications of hardware developed to use TV white spaces. Philips surrendered this STA upon completion of its demonstrations on June 26, 2008. Philips has now received an additional request to demonstrate its hardware to legislators and their staffs. This request occurred after the STA had been surrendered, and can best be accommodated during the two week period set forth in the application. Philips notes that its application seeks to operate under the conditions already approved by OET in Philips' prior STA, that the transmit portion of its demonstration is less than three minutes, and that the total duration of the new STA request is limited to ten business days. Accordingly, Philips respectfully requests that its application be granted expedited processing.