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Federal Communications Commission
Equipment Authorization Branch
7435 Oakland Mills Road
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Gentlemen:

ILS Technology respectfully requests confidentiality of certain materials provided with the submission of the Universal Meter Reader under FCC ID: **2AFWA-UMR-2** in accordance with 47 CFR 0.457(d) and 47 CFR 0.459. The confidentiality request applies to the *Schematics, System Block Diagram, Theory of Operation and User's Manual* contained in this filing and included in the following files:

- 15-3040 – Schematic.pdf
- 15-3040 – Block Diagram.pdf
- 15-3040 – Theory of Operation.pdf
- 15-3040 – Hardware User Guide.pdf

The UMR-2 has been developed at considerable effort and expense by ILS Technology. 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.

The Hardware User Guide must be held confidential due to the device is not accessible by the general public and is only serviceable by the licensee or his designated technicians.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ryan Rangel', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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