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Authorization & Evaluation Division,  
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## **Confidentiality Request**

Pursuant to 47 CFR Sections 0.457 and 0.459 of the Commission's Rules, Whirlpool Corporation hereby requests **permanent confidential treatment** of information accompanying this Application as outlined below:

1. Schematics
2. Block Diagram
3. Operational Description

The above materials contain trade secrets and proprietary information not customarily released to the public. The public disclosure of these matters might be harmful to Whirlpool Corporation and provide unjustified benefits to its competitors.

Whirlpool Corporation also requests **short-term confidential** treatment for the following information until **180 days after the Grant Date of Equipment Authorization** in order to ensure sensitive business information remains confidential until actual marketing of the device:

1. External photos
2. Test Setup photos
3. User's manual
4. Internal Photos

Whirlpool Corporation understands that pursuant to Rule 0.457, disclosure of this Application and all accompanying documentation will not be made before the date of the Grant for this application.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jason W. Schmidt". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. Below the signature is a horizontal line.

Signature

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