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Attention: Authorization and Evaluation Division

Reference: HX470S (FCC ID:K66HX470SA)

Dear Sirs:

With regard to the new configuration of the Vertex Standard (Standard Horizon brand) model HX-470S, please be advised that a new Central Processing Unit (CPU) will be installed in these units. The new CPU contains no firmware related to MURS transmission capability, and therefore it is impossible to engage operation on the MURS frequencies. No modification would be possible to circumvent this configuration, because the frequencies in question have been eliminated from the firmware completely, not somehow "blocked" in a way that could be defeated.

We hope this information will be sufficient for the purposes of the re-application for FCC approval.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Maruya'.

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