Federal Communications Commission Office of Engineering and Technology 7435 Oakland Mills Road Columbia, MD 21046

Dear Sir,

We LAB PARTNERS ASSOCIATES, INC. respectfully request that the schematic diagrams, block diagram and circuit description submitted with this application for Certification be withheld from public disclosure. This request is made under the provisions of Section 0.457 (d) of the Commission's rules and Section 0.552 (b) (4) of the Freedom of Information Act.

The items listed above contain trade secrets and proprietary information which if disclosed to the public may be harmful to the applicant and place **LAB PARTNERS ASSOCIATES**, **INC.** at a competitive disadvantage. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

Timothy P. Ambrose Engineering Manager