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KLS-Z502 Exhibit 17 – cover letter Confidentiality Request

Pursuant to Sections 0.457(d)(1)(ii) and 0.459 of the Commission's Rules, McMurdo Ltd hereby requests permanent confidential treatment of information accompanying this application as outlined below:

Schematics
Bill of Materials
Block Diagrams
Operational Description
Internal Photographs

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 the Applicant and provide unjustified benefits to its competitors.

The Applicant understands that pursuant to Rule 0.457(d)(1)(ii), disclosure of this Application and all accompanying materials will not be made before the date of the Grant for this Application.

yours faithfully



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