



Medtronic

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May 31st, 2012

Federal Communications Commission
Authorization and Evaluation Division
7435 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, Maryland 21046

Re: Medtronic, Inc,
Request for Confidentiality
FCC ID NO: LF53537

To whom it may concern,

We hereby respectfully request that under the provision of 47 CFR 0.459 and 0.457(d), the documents listed below and attached with this application for certification be provided with confidential status.

- Schematics
- Theory of Operation
- Frequency Block Diagrams

We also request the exhibits listed below as short term confidential be withheld from public view for a period of 180 days from the date of the Grant of Equipment Authorization and prior to marketing. This is to avoid premature release of sensitive information prior to marketing or release of the product to the public.

- External Photographs
- Test Setup Photographs
- User's Manual
- Internal Photographs

Any exhibit / information for which we have requested confidentiality, but which may not be accorded such treatment by the FCC, should be returned to us.

The documents listed above contain trade secrets that are treated as confidential by us. Substantial competitive harm to us could result should they be made available to the public.

Sincerely,

Anne Coldwell
Director, Quality and Reliability