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Federal Communications Commission Office of Engineering and Technology Equipment Approval Services

RE: Request for Confidentiality

Attached Form 731 – Application FCC ID: **LLB09015**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Hexagram Inc. does not wish to publicly disclose certain technical information which is enclosed with this application. This material contains critical trade secrets and we request that the Commission withhold this information from public inspection pursuant to the provisions of Section 0.457(d) and 0.459 of the Commissions Rules, and Section 552(b)(4) of the Freedom of Information Act.

MATERIAL TO BE HELD CONFIDENTIAL (LLB09015):

Description	Pages
Internal Circuit Board Photos	Three pages
Circuit Schematics	Two Pages
Description of Operation	Two Pages
Block Diagram of the device	One page
Bill of components and materials	Four pages
	Circuit Schematics Description of Operation Block Diagram of the device

Aclara and its customers have a NDA that states (paragraph 8.1):

"BUYER agrees that SELLER'S drawings and data, processes, reports, technical data, detailed drawings, internal photographs and specifications, know how, technical information and other information furnished under this Agreement are confidential and shall be treated as confidential by BUYER and its employees, as Agents and Representatives."

The LLB09015 device is permanently sealed. Opening the MTU cannot be performed without cutting the sealed unit, resulting in PCB fracture and dislodging of ICs along with other components.

The above listed material is confidential and is not available to the public or end user.

Sincerely
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