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Re: FCC ID No.: N6SMRIR6 Confirmation Number: EA99709

Dear Sir or Ma'am:

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 0.459, Texas Instruments respectfully requests confidential protection of the following document submitted electronically in furtherance of the above-reference application as containing propriety information listed below:

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• Electrical Schematics of Microreader Board RI-STU-MRD1. (RISTUMRD1.pdf, Adobe Acrobat files *.pdf, 1 page total).

The reason for request for confidentiality is that this document contains Texas Instruments proprietary and internal information. It is critical from a product technology and know-how standpoint (hardware and software) that this information remains confidential.

Should you have any questions regarding the matters addressed herein, please do not hesitate to contact me at (972) 575-2484 (vckumar@ti.com).

Respectfully submitted,

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