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Federal Communications Commission
Authorization and Evaluation Division

Confidentiality Request regarding application for certification of VCom AP5857 Strand
Mount Radio System, **FCC ID: OPPAP5857**

Pursuant to Sections 0.457 and 0.459 of the Commission's Rules, we hereby request
confidential treatment of information accompanying this application as outlined below:

Schematic Diagrams, Block Diagrams, Parts Lists, Tune-up Procedures

We have requested that the information listed above required to be submitted with this
application be withheld from public review.

Reason for request:

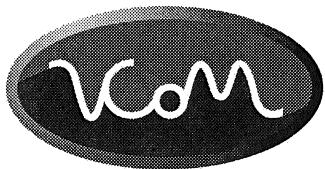
This information is a trade secret. VCom Inc. developed the AP5857 product in response
to commercial marketplace requirements. Its design and functional features are exclusive
to VCom.

The AP5857 product is offered in the highly competitive Point-to-Multi-Point Fixed
Broadband Wireless service market. Technology in the field of wireless communications
is evolving rapidly, and confidentiality of proprietary design information is essential to
maintain competitiveness in this market. Disclosure of this information may allow
competitors to benefit from VCom's intellectual property.

All employees of VCom Inc. are required to sign an Intellectual Property Agreement
form upon becoming employed with VCom. This will identify the responsibility and
rights of both VCom and the employee in regard to any interest or rights involved in the
discoveries, inventions, improvements, etc. normally referred to as "Inventions" which
are made by the employee during the course of his/her work.

All OEM manufacturing partners, as well as any visitors to the plant, are required to sign
non-disclosure agreements prior to being granted access to production and
research/development areas. Electronic originals of proprietary documents are password
protected and hardcopies are controlled.

This information is not available to the public and there have been no disclosures to
parties who are not employees of VCom with the exception of Nemko Canada Ltd., who
is acting on our behalf as an agent to FCC.



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The period of time required for nondisclosure for the AP5857 product is for the life of the product (typically 20 years) and beyond, since features of the current design may be incorporated in future VCom products. This period should therefore be 20 years.

The AP5857 product cannot be readily reverse-engineered without the schematics and parts lists. The AP5857 incorporates proprietary software embedded in its circuits that is essential for its operation.

The AP5857 is not sold directly to the general public; it is sold only to known, approved customers after credit check. No units are sold to known or potential competitors where there may be a possibility of reverse engineering. The AP5857 requires professional installation.

The applicant understands that pursuant to Section 0.457 of the Rules, disclosure of this application and all accompanying documentation will not be made before the date of the Grant for this application.

Please contact me if there is any additional information you may need.

Sincerely,

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