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Equipment Authorization Branch  
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Re: Request For Confidentiality  
BIOTRONIK GmbH & Co. KG  
FCC ID: QRIICSPGH  
FCC Certification

Gentlemen,

In accordance with 0.459 of CFR 47, BIOTRONIK GmbH & Co. KG hereby requests confidentiality of all

- Block Diagrams: ICSPGH\_BlkDia
- Schematics ICSPGH\_Schem
- Internal Photos ICSPGH\_IntPho
- Operational Description ICSPGH\_OpDes,
- Part Lists ICSPGH\_PartsLst

included as attachments for the subject application.

These documents contain detailed system and equipment description and related information about the product which Biotronik considers to be proprietary, confidential and a custom design and otherwise would not be release to the general public. Since the design is a basis from which future technological products will evolve, Biotronik considers that this information would be of benefit to its competitors and that the disclosure of the information in these documents would give competitors an unfair advantage in the market.

The internal photos will also reveal information about non-radio design elements that are also Biotronik proprietary design and if disclosed could result in substantial competitive harm. The ICS 3000 PGH is part of an external programmer for implantable pacemakers and ICD's. These devices are not allowed (by law) to be sold in a store or pharmacy to the public. Therefore it is not possible to buy such a device publicly. The devices are usually used by Biotronik representative during implantation and follow up of the implanted pacemaker and ICD.

Sincerely



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