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**Request for Confidentiality**

Date : February 14, 2005

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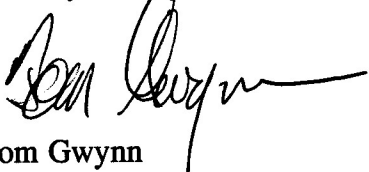
RE: Certification Application  
FCC ID: SSDHOTRODMETALV1, SSDHOTRODPLASTCV1

Please be advised that the following exhibits are to be held confidential on behalf of Hersey Meters.

- The electronic schematics and circuit diagrams
- The theory of Operational

The application contains technical information that Hersey Meters deems to be trade secrets and proprietary. If made public, the information might be used to the disadvantage of the applicant in the market place.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.



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