

Request for Confidential Treatment

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Federal Communications Commission
Office of Engineering and Technology
Authorization and Evaluation Division
7435 Oakland Mills Rd
Columbia MD 21046-1609

Subject: Request for Confidential Treatment – Application for Equipment Authorization

(FCC ID: TVE-240604)

To Whom It May Concern:

Fortinet, Inc. (“**Fortinet**”) hereby respectfully requests that the Federal Communications Commission (“**FCC**”) withhold from public inspection and grant long term confidential treatment pursuant to 47 CFR §§ 0.457 and 0.459 to the information listed below and accompanying the Application for Equipment Authorization referenced above.

- Schematics
- Block Diagrams
- Operational Descriptions
- Software Operational Descriptions

The above-listed materials contain Fortinet trade secrets, and proprietary information not customarily released to the public and treated as confidential by Fortinet. Fortinet has invested significant time and resources in the research, design, and development of the product(s) and materials described above. The public disclosure of this information could therefore result in substantial competitive harm to Fortinet, as well as result in the provision of unjustified benefits to its competitors.

We understand that pursuant to 47 CFR § 0.457, disclosure of this Application and the above-listed accompanying materials will not be made. Fortinet wishes to clarify that in no event shall the FCC nor any of its direct or indirect organizations, access Fortinet source code or reverse engineer any Fortinet products.

In addition to above mentioned documents, pursuant to Public Notice DA 04-1705 of the Commission’s policy, in order to comply with the marketing regulations in 47 CFR §2.803 and the importation rules in 47 CFR §2.1204, while ensuring that business sensitive information remains confidential until the actual marketing of newly authorized devices, we are requesting the Commission to withhold the following documents for 180 days after the grant of equipment authorization is issued:

- External Photographs
- Internal Photographs
- Test Setup Photographs
- User Manual

It is our understanding that all test reports, FCC ID label cannot be granted as confidential documents and those information will be available for public review once the grant of equipment authorization is issued.

Sincerely yours,

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