



Federal Communications Commission  
Equipment Authorization Branch  
7435 Oakland Mills Road  
Columbia, MD 21046

7/3/2017

### **Request for Confidentiality**

Dear Examiner:

#### **Permanent Confidentiality**

Nevro Corp. hereby requests that the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”) withhold permanently from public review certain portions of Nevro’s application for certification with FCC identifier XKYIPG2000.

Public disclosure of these portions of the application would not only provide Nevro’s competitors significant competitive advantages in developing similar products but it would disclose successful implementation of unpublished technology developed by us.

This request for confidentiality is made pursuant to 47 CFR 0.457(d)(2) and 0.459 of the FCC rules. Nevro requests that the following documents submitted in connection with the application for certification be kept permanently confidential:

- 1) Tune-up procedure
- 2) Block diagrams
- 3) Internal photos
- 4) Schematics
- 5) Operational Description/ Theory of Operation
- 6) Parts List & Placement/BOM

Nevro is requesting that internal photos within the application be granted confidentiality and be withheld from public disclosure in accordance with section 0.457 and 0.459 of the Commission’s Rules, 47 CFR.

Only personnel authorized by Nevro have access to this information. The product is implanted in a patient during a medical procedure. Information regarding internal photos is not released to the public, the product cannot be obtained by the public and all parties with access to this information are required to sign non-disclosure agreements. As such the internal photos are highly confidential business information and convey trade secrets pertaining to design and manufacturing.

We understand that internal photos are not routinely held confidential. This request is similar to other medical implant manufactures, who have been afforded permanent confidentiality of internal photos.

#### **Short-term Confidentiality:**

Nevro hereby requests that the FCC withhold from public review for a period of 180 days from the date of the Grant of Equipment Authorization, certain portions of the application for equipment certification for FCC identifier XKYIPG2000, Public disclosure of the short-term



confidential portions of this application during the period of importations and/or distribution would reveal key aspects of the product design and diminish the value of Nevro's investment in research and development.

This request for confidentiality is made pursuant to 47 CFR 0.457(d)(2) and 0.459 of the FCC rules. Nevro requests that the following documents submitted in connection with the application for certification be kept confidential for a period of 180 days from the date of the Grant of Equipment Authorization:

- 1) User's Manual
- 2) Test Setup Photos
- 3) External Photos

**Summary of request:**

<b>Type of Confidentiality Requested</b>		<b>Exhibit</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Block Diagrams
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Short Term		External Photos
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Internal Photos
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Operation Description/Theory of Operation
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Parts List & Placement/BOM
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Tune-Up Procedure
<input type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Permanent	Schematics
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Short Term		Test Setup Photos
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Short Term	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent	User's Manual

Thank you for your attention. Please let the undersigned know if the Commission disagrees with our position or requires further justification.

Sincerely,

Jon Parker  
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Sr. Director of Product Development