



THE LINCOLN ELECTRIC COMPANY

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Request for Confidentiality

Date: March 13, 2025

Subject: Confidentiality Request for: 2AJY8-LER00057841, 22017-LER00057841

Pursuant to FCC 47 CFR 0.457(d) and 0.459 and IC RSP-100, Section 12.4, the applicant requests that a part of the subject FCC application be held confidential.

Type of Confidentiality Requested		Exhibit
☐ Short Term	☒ Permanent	Block Diagrams
☒ Short Term		External Photos
☒ Short Term	☐ Permanent	Internal Photos
☐ Short Term	☒ Permanent	Operation Description/Theory of Operation
☐ Short Term	☒ Permanent	Parts List & Placement/BOM
☐ Short Term	☒ Permanent	Schematics
☒ Short Term		Test Setup Photos
☒ Short Term	☐ Permanent	User's Manual

The Lincoln Electric Company has spent substantial effort in developing this product and it is one of the first of its kind in industry. Having the subject information easily available to "competition" would negate the advantage they have achieved by developing this product. Not protecting the details of the design will result in financial hardship.

Permanent Confidentiality:

The applicant requests the exhibits listed above as permanently confidential be permanently withheld from public review due to materials that contain trade secrets and proprietary information not customarily released to the public.

Short-Term Confidentiality:

The applicant requests the exhibits selected above as short term confidential be withheld from public view for a period of 180 days from the date of the Grant of Equipment Authorization and prior to marketing. This is to avoid premature release of sensitive information prior to marketing or release of the product to the public. We are informed and aware of our obligation that we have to inform the involved TCB in written and in due time if we intend to market the product prior to the above specified confidentiality release date so that the short term confidentiality classification can be reset prior to product launch.

Short Term Confidentiality for Industry Canada Applications:

Starting May 2022, ISED will recognize short term confidentiality on certain exhibits until the intended date of marketing. The applicant requests the exhibits selected above as short term confidential be withheld from public view until: March 31, 2025.

Sincerely,

By:


(Signature/Title)

Carrie Meckler
(Print name)