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Attn: Reviewing Engineer
Federal Communications Commission
7435 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, MD 21046

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY REQUEST FOR THE EXCOUNT-II, FCC ID: P7Z440914A and FCC ID: P7Z440914B

Dear Reviewer,

ABB Power Technology Products AB, request that the Schematic exhibit of the application for FCC ID: P7Z440914A and FCC ID: P7Z440914B be withheld from routine availability for public inspection pursuant to section 0.459 of the Commissions Rules and Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Exemption 4, 5 U.S.C 552 (b) (4).

These particular exhibit consists of "trade secrets (or) commercial or financial information obtained from a person and privileged or confidential" 5 U.S.C 552 (b) (4), and is therefore entitled to protection from disclosure under FOIA. The documents in question contain trade secrets: detailed technical descriptions, specifications, and schematics for a product offered for sale. This proprietary information would give ABB Power Technology Products AB competitors an unearned competitive advantage.

The documents contain "commercial information" within the scope of FOIA exemption 4. This information is the product of ABB Power Technology Products AB investment of money, personnel, and other resources. The result of the investment is a fairly earned position in the marketplace. Premature release of the information threatens substantial and unwarranted harm to ABB Power Technology Products AB competitive position.

For these reasons, ABB Power Technology Products AB has taken pains to keep this technical information confidential and intends to continue doing so. ABB Power Technology Products AB customarily withholds rights to this information, granting access only to those who have particular approved need for the information. ABB Power Technology Products AB grants the Commission their needed access to these documents, but respectfully asks that the information be kept confidential.

If there are any questions about this request, please contact me. Thank you.

Sincerely,

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