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Attention: Application Examiner
 Reviewing Engineer

RE: Request for confidentiality per FCC Rule Sections 0.457 and 0.459
Applicant: **Tropos Networks Inc.**
FCC ID: P9J-BF4P9

To whom it may concern,

Request is hereby submitted, on behalf of my client **Tropos** to withhold from public review indefinitely certain portions of the application for equipment certification for the referenced FCC identifier. The referenced product is a 2.4GHz/4.9 GHz radio module for which limited modular approval is sought. In particular, the following sections of the application and report are requested to be kept confidential:

Operational Description
Schematic
Block Diagram
BOM/Parts List
Module internal and external photographs.
Confidential KDB request 948462 and Response

Rationale for request for confidentiality:

Tropos has invested considerable time and materials in research and development to produce the referenced product. Disclosure of the confidential portions of this application to competitors would give them competitive advantage in developing similar products.

Justification for the special request to keep photographs confidential is that the product is professionally installed, is not sold or distributed in retail channels, and is owned and installed by municipalities. The products are installed on poles or roof-tops, and are inaccessible to routine casual inspection.

If you have questions or need further information, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



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