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Gentlemen:

This is the letter of authorization to accept our appointment of Elliott Laboratories, Inc. as Agent for Netgear, Inc., 4500 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054, to sign applications before the Commission and to make representations to you on our behalf. Elliott Laboratories is to receive and exchange data between our company and the Commission. This authorization is made pursuant to Section 2.911(c) of the FCC Rules and expires on December 31, 2001.

I hereby certify on behalf of Netgear, Inc., 4500 Great America Parkway, Santa Clara, CA 95054 ("Applicant") that neither Applicant nor any party to the application (officers, directors, and 5% shareholders) is subject to a denial of Federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988. 21 U.S.C. 853a.

Sincerely,

Mark Merrill

Vice President of Engineering