



Federal Communications Commission
Equipment Authorization Branch
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Date: January 29, 2008

Gentlemen:

Sensus Metering Systems respectfully requests confidentiality of certain materials provided with the submission of the **IDTB001** under FCC ID: SDBIDTB001 in accordance with FCC Regulations 0.459. The confidentiality request applies to the operational description contained in this filing and included in the following files.

- 07-0486 - Theory of Operation.pdf

The IDTB001 has been developed at considerable effort and expense by Sensus Metering Systems. These items are considered as Trade Secrets and therefore public access to the proprietary material could possibly result in duplication of equipment that could severely damage the company's business advantage.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

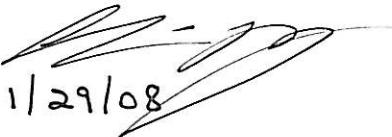
Sincerely,

Name: Colin Flannery

Signature:

Title: VP & General Counsel

Date:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Colin Flannery". Below the signature, the date "1/29/08" is handwritten in black ink.