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## Gentlemen:

Itron, Inc. respectfully requests confidentiality of certain materials provided with the submission of the SNIC1 under FCC ID: SK9SNIC1 in accordance with 47 CFR 0.457(d) and 47 CFR 0.459. The confidentiality request applies to the following exhibits:

72124916 - Schematics.pdf

72124916 - System Block Diagram.pdf

72124916 - Theory of Operation.pdf

The SNIC1 has been developed at considerable effort and expense by Itron, Inc. 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,

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