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Request for Confidentiality

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RE: Certification Application
FCC ID: AK8PCGABA1

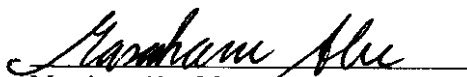
Please be advised that the following information is to be held confidential and behalf of Sony Corporation:

- Block Diagram
- Circuit Diagram
- Theory of Operation

The application contains technical information which Sony Corporation deems to be trade secrets and proprietary. If made public, the information might be used to the disadvantage of the applicant in the market place.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,



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