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Federal Communication Commission
Equipment Authorization Division
Application Processing Branch
7435 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, MD 21045

Reference : FCC ID: L6ARAR20CN
Subject : Letter requesting Short Term Confidentiality of FCC ID L6ARAR20CN BlackBerry
Wireless Handheld FCC Certification documentation for a period of 45 days

Research In Motion Limited (RIM) requests that the following identified information regarding the FCC ID L6ARAR20CN BlackBerry Wireless Handheld be held for Short Term confidential by the Commission/ATCB and as such be withheld from public inspection for a period of 45 days.

The following Exhibits with specific sections described, submitted with the Form 731 attachments should be held for Short Term confidential for 45 days:

- External Photos
- Internal Photos
- Test Setup Photos

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'M. Attayi', is written over a horizontal line.

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