



Atten: Reviewing Engineer
Federal Communications Commission
7435 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, MD 21046

RE: CONFIDENTIALITY REQUEST FOR TRI5758 BROADBAND WIRELESS TRANSCEIVER
FCC ID: OPPTRI5758

To Whom It May Concern:

This letter serves as an official request for confidentiality under FCC Rule Section 0.459. We have requested that the block diagram, schematic diagrams and parts list required to be submitted with this application be withheld from public review.

Reason for request:

This information is a trade secret. WaveCom Electronics Inc. developed the TRI5758 product in response to commercial marketplace requirements. Its design and functional features are exclusive to WaveCom.

The TRI5758 product is offered in the highly competitive Multi-Point Distribution Service market. Technology in the field of wireless communications is evolving rapidly, and confidentiality of proprietary design information is essential to maintain competitiveness in this market. Disclosure of this information may allow competitors to benefit from WaveCom's intellectual property.

All employees of WaveCom Electronics Inc. are required to sign an Intellectual Property Agreement form upon becoming employed with WaveCom. This will identify the responsibility and rights of both WaveCom and the employee in regard to any interest or rights involved in the discoveries, inventions, improvements, etc. normally referred to as "Inventions" which are made by the employee during the course of his/her work.

All OEM Manufacturing partners, as well as any visitors to the plant, are required to sign non-disclosure agreements prior to being granted access to production and research/development areas. Electronic originals of proprietary documents are password protected and hard copies are controlled.



This information is not available to the public and there have been no disclosures to parties who are not employees of WaveCom with the exception of Nemko Canada Inc., who is acting on our behalf as an agent to FCC, and Industry Canada.

The period of time for required for nondisclosure for the TRI5758 product is for the life of the product (typically 20 years) and beyond, since features of the current design may be incorporated in future WaveCom products. This period should therefore be 20 years.

The TRI5758 product cannot be readily reverse-engineered without the schematics and parts lists. The TRI5758 incorporates proprietary software embedded in its circuits that is essential for its operation.

The TRI5758 is not sold directly to the general public nor is it viewable to the general public in normal application; it is sold only to known, approved customers after credit check. No units are sold to known or potential competitors where there may be a possibility of reverse engineering. The TRI5758 requires professional installation.

Please contact me if there is any information you may need.

Signed:

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Darryl M Wurtz'.

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