

5. Section 7 of the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/7(g), exempts from public disclosure "trade secrets and commercial or financial information . . . where the trade secrets or information are proprietary, privileged or confidential." The annual report of Petitioner, which is the subject matter of this Petition, falls within this exemption.

6. Petitioner seeks an order from this Commission, without hearing, protecting from disclosure in its entirety Petitioner's annual report for a period of not less than five years.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Commission enter an order, without hearing, protecting from disclosure in its entirety the 2009 annual report of the Petitioner for a period of not less than five years.

Dated this 3rd day of November, 2009.

Respectfully submitted,

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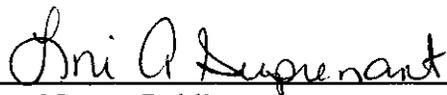
VERIFICATION

GARY L. SMITH, being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and states that he is one of the attorneys for the Petitioner, that he has read the above and foregoing Petition and knows the contents thereof, and that the same are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.



Gary L. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 3rd day of November, 2009.



Notary Public

