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RE: Microchip Technology – Submission of Responses to the Oregon DEQ Questions

Dear Julia DeGagne:

Microchip Technology Incorporated (Microchip) was called in to the Cleaner Air Oregon (CAO) program by the Oregon Department of Environmental Quality (DEQ) on June 30, 2025. Microchip submitted an emission inventory to DEQ on December 23, 2025. On March 27, 2026, DEQ issued a written request to Microchip requiring additional information and a revised emission inventory to be submitted by May 26, 2026. On May 8, 2026, Microchip submitted a request to DEQ for a 30-day extension of the deadline for submittal of the updated emission inventory. DEW granted the extension request for Microchip to submit a full updated emission inventory and requested documentation by no later than June 25, 2026.

In addition to the updated AQ520 emission inventory form, this response to DEQ includes supporting documentation submitted electronically includes, but is not limited to:

- A revised AQ520 form and supporting documentation;
- A response to each of the questions or requests outlined by DEQ in the March 27, 2026, and associated Excel list of updates and requests;
- A confidential justification for proprietary emission factors and control efficiencies; and,
- A package of the safety data sheets (SDS) requested by DEQ.

Documents including, but not limited to, the justification for proprietary emission factors, descriptions of wastewater treatment systems, chemical supplier disclosure of proprietary chemicals, vendor control efficiency testing data, abatement strategies meet the requirements of Oregon Revised Statute (ORS) §192.345(2) and Oregon Administrative Rule (OAR) 340-214-0130(3) and are therefore exempt from disclosure.

Each of these files are all marked in accordance with OAR 340-214-0130 with the written claim of confidentiality below and the clear marking of "**Confidential Business Information -- Do Not Release to Public**" on each page of this document. The data contained in each of these files are entitled to CBI status because: (1) they consist of information that cannot be patented, (2) the information is known only to a limited number of individuals within Microchip who make every effort to ensure this information is not available to or obtained by competitors, (3) Microchip derives economic value by maintaining the confidentiality of these files which are derived directly from site specific design, process recipes and chemistries, and (4) they include specific details of the design and function of Microchip's fab which provides

Microchip with a material business advantage over its competitors. This information is consistently maintained as CBI as competitors are always keenly interested in knowing details about the success of Microchip's operations. This is information Microchip takes great pains to keep confidential. If such information was released to the public, competitors could utilize that information to their advantage to steer sales away from Microchip. This information derives independent economic value from not being generally known to the public or to other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use--the very definition of a trade secret.

If you have any questions on this request, please do not hesitate to call me at 609.247.0821 or email me at Oteri.Oghoghomeh@microchip.com.

Sincerely,

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