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Honorable Wayne A. Budd
United States Attorney for the
District of Massachusetts
1107 John McCormick Fed. Bldg.
United States Post Office & Courthouse
Boston, Massachusetts 02109

Attention: Paul V. Kelly
Assistant United States Attorney

Re: Alfred W. Trenkler
Title III (Electronic Surveillance)

Dear Mr. Budd:

I hereby approve an application to be made to a federal judge of competent jurisdiction for an order under Section 2518 of Title 18, United States Code, authorizing the interception of electronic communications for a thirty (30) day period from a digital display pager bearing the telephone number (617) 553-0778, leased from Metro Media Paging, Inc., and subscribed to by ARCOMM, Inc., 82 Broad St., Weymouth, Massachusetts, in connection with an investigation into possible federal felony violations by Alfred W. Trenkler, John Cates, Richard Brown, Thomas A. Shay, and others as yet unknown.

The authorization given is intended to apply not only to the target telephone number listed above, but to any changed telephone number subsequently assigned to the same instrument identification number (a unique electronic serial number associated with that instrument).

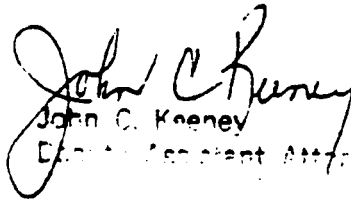
EXHIBIT "C"

The above-described application may be made by you or any other attorney on your staff who is an investigative or law enforcement officer of the United States within the meaning of Section 2510(7) of Title 18, United States Code.

Sincerely,

Robert S. Mueller, III
Assistant Attorney General

By:



John C. Keene

Deputy Assistant Attorney General