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DuPage County Sheriff's Office
501 N County Farm Road,
Wheaton, Illinois 60187

RE: Sole Source Vendor

This letter is to confirm that **GateKeeper Enterprise** is a proprietary solution developed, manufactured, sold and distributed by **Untethered Labs, Inc.**

While there are other authentication and access-control products available in the broader market, Untethered Labs is the only provider of GateKeeper Enterprise and its specific patented wireless proximity-based architecture.

The following are the sole source reason(s):

Based on our understanding of currently available commercial offerings, we are not aware of any alternative solution that provides the same combination of functionality, architecture, and operational capabilities. No viable substitutes will meet the exact needs or specifications required for DuPage County Sheriff's Office.

-Product is patented. [US20150302188A1 - System and method for wireless proximity-based access to a computing device](#), which covers the key Bluetooth token based approach used by GateKeeper Enterprise.

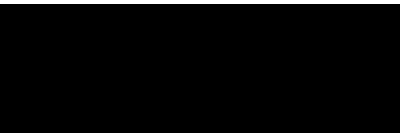
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All new features released and added to our Ultimate Tier—the premium level of our offerings—will be automatically available to DuPage County Sheriff's Office.

Based on the above, GateKeeper Enterprise represents a unique solution whose patented design and functional characteristics are not replicated by other commercially available products in a manner that would satisfy the same requirements or intended use.

If you require additional information or clarification to support this determination, please feel free to contact me at +1-(240) 547-5446 or visit our website at www.gkaccess.com

Sincerely,



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