



U.S. Department of Justice

Federal Bureau of Investigation

Clarksburg, WV 26306

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Mr. Dale Remmers
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Dear Mr. Remmers:

The Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) and the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) have completed a review of the testing information submitted by Mentalix, Incorporated. NIST performed a complete analysis of:


WSQ Implementation:	WSQ
Platform:	Pentium II or Higher
Operating System:	Windows 2000
Compiler:	Microsoft Visual C/C++5.0
Source of Input:	WSQ API Toolkit CD

Based on the results of the NIST review, the FBI certifies that the Mentalix, Inc. WSQ implementation tested and identified above meets the accuracy requirements in the WSQ Gray-Scale Fingerprint Image Compression Specification. Please note that the software implementation value (sf), within the frame header of the compressed image, will be recorded as 53010. The certification process is not intended to endorse one product over a competitor's product, but merely to certify that the product meets FBI standards, and that between two products which meet FBI standards, the FBI does not recommend one over the other.

Mr. Dale Remmers

Please direct any questions on the certification to
Mr. Tom Hopper, Programs Development Section, via telephone
number (202) 324-3506.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Ray Gillies, for". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name and title.

Thomas E. Bush, III
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