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Federal Bureau of Investigation

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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:

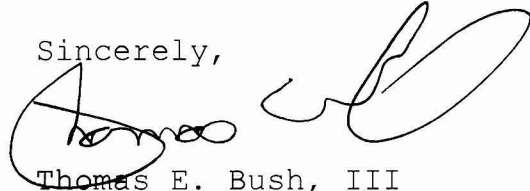
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|---------------------|---|
| WSQ Implementation: | WSQ   |
| Platform:           | Pentium II or Higher                                  |
| Operating System:   | Windows 2000 & NT 4.0                                 |
| Compiler:           | Intel C++ Compiler 5.0                                |
| Source of Input:    | WSQ Certification Data for<br>Windows 2000 CD 7/26/01 |

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 53012. 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 black ink, appearing to read 'Tom Bush', with a large, stylized flourish extending to the right.

Thomas E. Bush, III  
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