Industry Loss Reduction Team (ILRT)

A Collaborative Roadmap for Loss Reduction

Part I - Guidelines on Source Tagging

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It must be noted that ILRT (Industry Loss Reduction Team) recommendations are <u>not</u> binding on individual retailers or manufacturers. However, this white paper is intended to provide a collaborative road map to enable a win/win outcome for retailers and manufacturers on this difficult issue.

Section I - Background/ILRT Team

Background:

The Challenge

Theft and loss have long been challenges for retailers and manufacturers alike. They inhibit progress towards our goal to properly serve customers by having the goods they want readily available for sale. Over ten years ago, the concept of EAS (Electronic Article Surveillance) tagging was developed as a solution to the problem, allowing the placement of security tags on theft-prone skus (stock keeping unit) to reduce loss. However, since its inception, EAS source tagging has struggled to gain broad-based acceptance.

There were many issues, some real and some perceived, with the source tagging solution. The issues, coupled with the emotional nature of the subject, made this a very difficult and often polarizing problem for both retailers and manufacturers. In many channels of trade, it has been nearly impossible to make any real progress because of the opposing views on EAS source tagging. These guidelines address RF & AM but can apply to any technology. Below are some of the key issues vocalized by manufacturers and retailers over the years.

Manufacturers

- Because there is no technology standard, every retailer asks for a different set of skus.
- We will have to maintain three separate inventories, which will reduce production line speeds.
- Who will pay for the significant investment and ongoing costs for tagging?
- If half the theft is by the retailers' employees, it's the retailers' problem. Why should we tag?
- Even if I tag it, they will still keep it locked up, making it more difficult for consumers to buy it.
- False alarms and failure to deactivate diminish system performance and create shopper dissatisfaction

<u>Retailer</u>

- We can't afford to carry the skus without tagging them, so we will start de-listing them.
- We will be able to open merchandise, if you source tag it.
- You carry multiple inventories now, special putups etc.
- You have the letter from our CEO, isn't that enough.
- It's the technology we chose and it's just a packaging issue after all.

The impetus behind the EAS source tagging was often the retailer's loss prevention organizations, when, in fact, the issue is really a supply chain problem. Also, the process failed to address how to prevent overall loss from other non-retail sources, including piracy, diversion counterfeiting, etc.

Attempts at Concensus

There were a number of efforts undertaken to work through the issues, none of which succeeded. Here is a short list of the efforts:

- NACDS (National Association of Chain Drug Stores)/Arthur D. Little study designed to develop a roadmap towards wide spread EAS Adoption and source tagging.
- NACDS (National Association of Chain Drug Stores)/Battelle Memorial Institute to develop a set of performance criteria to measure the performance of various EAS technologies in both retail and manufacturing environments.
- Top-to-top meetings
- Sensormatic Source Tagging Council
- Checkpoint Users Group
- CPMA (Consumer Product Manufactures Association) attempt at developing a universal technology solution

These attempts failed because they did not sufficiently address the legitimate issues of the parties involved and they never addressed a holistic solution to the problem.

Formation of the ILRT

- A meeting was held in Chicago (July 2001) between CVS/Walgreen's and the C.P.M.A. companies (P&G, Johnson & Johnson Sales & Logistics Company, Gillette, Kodak). The purpose of the meeting was to evaluate the results of a test conducted in CVS/Walgreen's stores of the proposed C.P.M.A. single pedestal solution and to discuss next steps. During the meeting it was clear very quickly that, while the test was successful, the cost of imple mentation was a huge barrier.
- All those at the meeting agreed that the problem was much more of a supply chain issue than a loss-prevention issue, and if we approached it as we have other supply chain issues (i.e. fill rates, out-of-stocks etc.) we may be able to find a solution together.
- The original premise was to call together a small group of retailers and manufacturers
 (Johnson & Johnson Sales & Logistics Company, P&G, Unilever, Glaxo, Pfizer, Wal-Mart,
 Gillette, Kroger, Kodak, Target, CVS and Walgreen's), representing various channels of trade
 in the consumer package goods world, to explore the idea further. The initial meeting had
 very simple goals:
 - Determine if the larger group saw the same potential as the group that met in Chicago
 - Decide if the retailers and manufacturers could work openly and set a frame work for discussing and solving the issues, and
 - Agree on realistic near-term goals and timetables

The first meeting was successful and it was decided the group would be broadened to other retailers and manufacturers so broad-based adoption would be more likely.

The initial goals of the ILRT were simple, straightforward and focused on finding solutions to this long-standing industry issue.

Goal

 To start the discussion between retailers and manufacturers to develop a new approach to the issues around source tagging to enable rational, meaningful, and cost effective progress.

Who

• Cross-section of major retailers, both AM and RF users, and suppliers representing key product categories.

<u>Purpose</u>

- Work as a group to develop a common platform so that barriers to success can be openly discussed and appropriate solutions found.
- Build a decision model that takes into account all the issues of both the retailer and supplier.
- Work through source tagging issues as a group and propose solutions and recommendations as a best practices model for the CPG (consumer packaged goods) industry and other channels of trade.

Further detail on the specific goals and proposed solutions follows in this document. As a group, we believe we have found an effective and reasonable set of solutions to this long-standing industry issue and fully endorse these recommendations. Further, as a group, we believe these guidelines can be used by any industry segment and encourage other segments to form an Industry Loss Reduction Team to deal with there specific challenges.

Section II - The Problem Defined

Recognizing that the scope of the problem transcends any single solution, it is obvious that progress in reducing industry losses requires focus on one solution area at a time. Although the ILRT plans to address a series of solution areas, the initial effort will focus on anti theft solutions and particularly EAS tagging.

EAS is not a "silver bullet," but it is an element of the solution set for certain categories. EAS has been shown to have an impact on reducing retail theft, a major area of industry losses. However, it is also clear that EAS tagging is expensive and inconsistently used throughout the industry. If EAS is to become a more effective tool to reduce theft, the following problems have to be addressed:

- **Direct Costs** How can the direct costs of tagging be reduced and appropriately shared by both retailers and manufacturers?
- Indirect Costs Currently manufacturers have significant production and inventory costs associated with tagging, which reduces industry profit and increases consumer costs. Manufacturers who source-tag carry three inventories (i.e., inventory for RF such as Checkpoint, for AM such as Sensormatic, and for open stock without tags). In addition, production lines are interrupted each time they switch to another type of inventory, driving costs up even further. How can these costs be eliminated or reduced?
- **Identification of High-Loss Items** There is no list of consistently identified items for which tagging could provide an effective theft-deterrent. Can high-theft items be identified and prioritized across all retailers?
- **Standards** No standards exist to determine which products should be tagged, to make EAS tagging most cost-effective. Can a widely accepted template be developed that will provide guidelines to determine which products should be tagged and which should not?
- **Criteria** There are other effective methods to deter theft that may be more appropriate for some items or categories. These methods might include packaging and fixturing solutions or even behind the counter (BTC) placement. Can criteria be established that will help determine when other retail security measures eliminate the need for EAS tags?
- New Items How can costs associated with theft-deterrence be integrated into the early stages of new-item development?
- New Technology The group understands the potential impact of new technology, particularly the Auto-ID program being developed at MIT (Massachusetts Institute of Technology) and other universities with the support and funding of many manufacturers, retailers and other companies. How will development of this technology impact current methods of EAS tagging?

The next sections will focus on addressing these questions.

Section III - The High Loss Sku Identification Process

Agreeing on which current skus need an anti-theft solution was difficult, as the item already has an established cost structure and skus differ from retailer to retailer. Therefore, the ILRT quickly realized that it would be even more crucial to work together to determine which new, high-risk skus should be equipped with an anti-theft solution like EAS before they hit store shelves. Deciding early in the product development cycle whether an anti-theft solution is needed allows integration with brand financials and manufacturing systems at the right time.

There are generally two types of new items. First is a new-to-the-world item or category, where no similar item has existed before (e.g., Crest White Strips). Second is the introduction of a new item to a line or category, when the item itself is not truly new. These introductions include relaunches, new formulations, size or line extensions or new promotional packaging. What they all have in common is a new UPC/EAN (Uniform Product Code/European Article Number) number.

Finally, the ILRT recognized that no matter how complete the guidelines were, a limited number of items would slip through and become a major loss problem at retail. Those situations would be contained via periodic updates of the ILRT high loss sku list, targeted not to exceed 250 skus. Guidelines on each are included in this document.

Identifying High-Loss Product - Top 250 High Loss Skus (see exhibit #1)

Background:

- Manufacturers have been frustrated by the lack of consistency across retailers when retailers ask for high-loss items to be source tagged.
- Manufacturers compound this issue by offering various sizes, colors, and strengths within product lines. This sku complexity is rarely if ever stocked by every retailer.
- This lack of consistency and complexity has limited EAS source tagging and other anti-theft solutions.
- Open discussions between manufacturers and retailers helped develop a process to identify the top 250 common high-loss skus as a baseline.
- This identification process can be used amongst a group of retailers and manufacturers within any market segment (i.e., softlines, electronics, etc.)
- Although this identification process does not address all loss issues, it is a strong baseline for manufacturers and retailers. Together with the new item guidelines, they form the basis of a valid solution.

Process to Identify High-Loss Sku's

The ILRT used the following process to identify the Top 250 High-Loss Skus across retail trade channels:

- 1. Identified and organized a retailer working group to provide high loss sku data and to communicate openly with manufacturers about it.
- 2. Each retailer used their own internal process to identify and analyze their top 250 high loss health & beauty care sku's.
- 3. Each retailer submitted their top 250 high-loss sku information in a required format which included: sku# /UPC code, description/size/strength. Additional information required was to complete an analysis weighting the items by thirds. The top 1/3 of the items were triple weighted, the middle third were double weighted, and the bottom third were single weighted.
- 4. The retailer working group then combined all lists and matched items first by field (UPC) and then by a secondary field. It was very important to have open and consistent communications between each retailer and the working group to properly work through issues with data formatting.
- 5. Once the list of the Top 250 High-Loss Skus for all of the retailers was complete it was formatted in an easy to read document. This document included fields for the UPC code, description, manufacturer name, each retailer's weight for the item (top, middle, bottom), the total average weighted ranking for the item, and the number of retailers having that item on their Top 250 High-Loss Sku List.

Section IV - ILRT - Loss Reduction Recommendations

Background

- The ILRT has worked hard together to find win-win, loss reduction solutions for both retailers and manufacturers, which increase consumer value.
- Longer term, the EPC (electronic product code) being developed at the AutoID Center at MIT will be of great benefit in reducing theft, counterfeiting, and providing information about each product and its location.
- Today, loss reduction efforts can be enhanced by close collaboration between retailers and manufacturers to develop solutions for high-theft items.
- Theft reduction solutions in which manufacturers can assist include EAS tagging, improved theft resistant packaging, and improved in-store fixtures.
- Each of these solutions can help reduce theft, but needs to be part of a holistic well-managed theft reduction retail system, which includes employee training, equipment monitoring, management emphasis, etc.
- Manufacturers must also determine how each theft reduction solution will impact their system as well. This would include an end-to-end cost/benefit assessment for each solution. Openly sharing this information between retailer and manufacturers will greatly help retailers to understand why manufacturers chose one solution vs. another, and manufacturers to understand the problem that exist at retail.

Recommended Current SKU Solution Set

- The ILRT focused first on today's Top 250 High-Loss Sku List across the grocery, mass, and drug classes of trade. Retailers and manufacturers need to collaborate on solutions designed to reduce theft on these key items.
- Manufacturers will need to deal with some additional complexity to help solve down stream supply system problems and retailers will need to share the costs for these solutions.
- The ILRT encourages all manufacturers to adopt an anti-theft solution for the items on the industry Top 250 High-Loss Sku List.
- A retailer's first choice to protect these Top 250 High-Loss Skus could be via an EAS tag. However, there may be some items that do not lend themselves to being tagged due to their small size or the severe system impacts (line speed reduction new capital requirements, etc.). For these items other actions like secure packaging can be implemented which will help reduce theft.

ILRT Retail Intelligence Subcommittee

The Industry Loss Reduction Team will maintain a standing subcommittee, the Retail Intelligence Subcommittee, which will consist of representatives of the major ILRT retail members. This subcommittee will maintain the process by which items and categories of merchandise that are prone to high theft are identified. Furthermore, this subcommittee will provide suggestions for a holistic approach for anti-theft solutions such as source tagging, packaging, or fixturing or supply chain to reduce such theft. This will include a process map to guide users from product conception to store shelf.

Section IV - ILRT - Loss Reduction Recommendations

ILRT members have agreed that:

- ILRT recommendations are not binding but if implemented they will help resolve this difficult issue in a win/win manner.
- Once a retailer and manufacturer have agreed on and executed source tagging of an item, the item should be generally accessible to the consumer.
- Most retailers have a limited number of stores where product will remain constrained or "locked up" even when tagged and that information should be generally shared with the manufacturer.
- Theft, not shortages or billing errors, must be the driver of the Top 250 High-Loss Sku List.
- Cost analysis needs to be performed to ensure that the costs of anti-theft solutions do not exceed the loss.
- Product costs will always remain confidential between individual buyers and sellers.
- Generic price thresholds (i.e. all items over \$x) for anti-theft solutions should be avoided.
- New product discussions will remain confidential between retailer and manfuacturer and supported as appropriate with non-disclosure agreements.
- Individual manufacturers and retailers retain the freedom to make their own choices as to which items should be tagged.

While retailer loss quantification will vary the sources used to identify high-loss sku's will include:

- Shoplifting apprehension data
- Retailer internal apprehension data
- Sku level inventory results or other cyclical inventory processes
- Retailer exception reporting data

Recommended New or Changed EAN.UPC Code Solution Set

 The ILRT recommends that manufacturers simultaneously develop plans for reducing theft on their items on the industry Top 250 High-Loss Sku List and begin integrat ing the ILRT's recommendations for UPC.EAN changes and for new brands and items. Incorporating anti-theft solutions in upstream product development will allow these solu tions to be built into brand financials and manufacturing systems in the most effective manner.

1. For EAN.UCC Code Changes (product upgrade, product change, etc.)

The ILRT believes that anti-theft solutions should be considered for all items:

- When the item is being introduced into a known high-loss category, and
- When the expected loss exceeds 2 times the cost for the anti-theft solution.

2. For New brands and/or sizes being introduced

The ILRT believes that anti-theft solutions should be considered for all new items:

- Where the cost of anti-theft protection is less than 1% of resale price, AND...
- Where the item is easily concealable (i.e., fits into a normal size purse), AND...
- When the item will be introduced into a known high loss category it should be assumed to be high-loss too, OR...
- When the item is being introduced into a totally new category, if the item is likely to be highly desirable due to advertising or unique product benefit (e.g., appeal, collectibles).
- The ILRT has also created a Retail Intelligence Sub-Committee, which can be consulted on new or changed EAN.UPC code items and/or on totally new items in a very confidential manner to help identify the right theft reduction solution early in the development process.

ILRT Decision & ROI Model Narrative (See exhibit #3a-b)

The Decision Support Model provides one methodology by which manufacturers and retailers can calculate the projected costs and benefits of source tagging a particular product. This process compares the incremental cost of protecting a given product to the anticipated reduction in losses and derives a net profit contribution calculation, which can be used to determine the relative cost/benefit of such a decision. The terminology used, which is defined in the attached documents, may differ among retailers/manufacturers, but the categories of cost and benefit can be modified to utilize information available for each retailer or for the particular products being analyzed.

Implementing Anti-Theft Solutions

The ILRT has maintained its operating principles of total system thinking, objectivity, and collaboration throughout the ILRT's work. Consistent with these principles two way communications need to occur as a manufacturer works on an anti-theft solution. Retailers are committed to help find anti-theft solutions which are cost effective for the total system, add value to the consumer, and which can be implemented across all retail customers.

A manufacturer planning to implement an anti-theft solution via an EAS tag will be confronted with a number of issues and financial alternatives. These issues will include, but are not limited too, maintaining a separate inventory for RF, AM, and open stock, applying both RF and AM tags in a random or alternate fashion to allow one less inventory pile, applying both an RF and AM tag to each product and shipping live tags which may or may not need deactivation elsewhere (See exhibit 2 - activation/deactivation study), and fractional tagging to meet the needs of manufacturing efficiency and effectiveness.

The ILRT recommends that manufacturers must make anti-theft decisions by product category. However, the best decisions consider the total system impacts and that can best be accomplished by open communications with retailers. The ILRT will work to provide the venue for manufacturers seeking input on dealing with cross channel retailer impacts.

Recommended Ongoing ILRT Process Improvements

The ILRT will continue its work and use the communications capabilities of one or more of the major trade associations (NACDS, GMA, FMI, IMRA, NRF, etc.). This forum will allow retailers and manufacturers to collaboratively work together to develop anti-theft solutions, which add value to the consumer.

While the ILRT has made much progress in addressing this long-standing issue between retailers and manufacturers, the recommendations proposed are not perfect and over time can be improved. In the spirit of this expected continuous improvement the ILRT further recommends that it will undertake the following next steps:

- 1. Deploy the ILRT "collaborative roadmap recommendations" to both retailers and manufacturers by March 2003.
- 2. Create a team to identify any high-loss SKU'S across all trade channels, which may have slipped through the ILRT's processes.
- 3. Update and deploy the ILRT processes periodically to reflect new learning.
- 4. Develop strategies and solutions for combating other and/or broader forms of loss. Examples would include: packaging solutions when EAS will not work, diversion, piracy, organized crime, etc.
- 5. Monitor the EPC anti-theft pilots and included EPC recommendations as soon as they are commercially available.
- 6. Help other industries (i.e. softgoods, etc.) reapply our processes and learning on an as requested basis.

Section V - Exhibits

- 1. Top 250 High-Loss Sku List
- 2. Activation/Deactivation Study and Implementation Model
- 3. a) Decision & ROI Model Narrative
 - b) ROI Calculation Model 2 Examples
- 4. ILRT Current Company Contacts
- 5. Frequently Asked Questions

Section VI - Glossary of Terms

AM: Acoustic Magnetic (Sensormatic and other manufactures using

Acoustic Magnetic technology)

CPMA: (Consumer Products Manufactures Association)-A manufacturers association

developed with the objective of providing an industry solution to retail theft.

EAS: Electronic Article Surveillance is a system that protects merchandise from theft.

An EAS system has three components: 1) labels and hard tags-electronic sensors that are attached to merchandise; 2) deactivators and detachers-used at the point of sale to electronically deactivate labels and detach reusable hard tags as items are purchased; and 3) detectors that create a surveillance zone at exits or

checkout aisles.

EAN: European Article Code

EPC: Electronic Product Code

FMI: (Food Marketing Institute)-Washington based trade association that represents

the interests of the retail food industry

IMRA: (International Mass Retail Association)-Washington based trade association that

represents the interests of the retail industry

ILRT: (Industry Loss Reduction Team)-Group of retailers and manufacturers working

collaboratively to provide a win-win solution(s) to retail theft.

NACDS: (National Association of Chain Drug Stores)-Washington based trade association

that represents the interest of the retail pharmacy industry

RF: Radio Frequency (Checkpoint and other manufacturers using radio

frequency technology)

SKU: Stock Keeping Unit

UPC: Uniform Product Code

Exhibit #1

Top 250 High-Loss Sku List

11 Digit UPC	Item Description	Vendor
09381597103	EXACTECH BLOOD REAGNT STRPS 50S X	ABBOTT LABS
09381597543	EXACTECH RSG BLD GLUC STRP 100S	ABBOTT LABS
09381597400	PRECISION QID BLD GLUC STRP 50S X	ABBOTT LABS
09381597401	PRECISION QID TEST STRIPS 100S	ABBOTT LABS
09381598814	PRECISION XTRA BLD GLUC MONITR X	ABBOTT LABS
30998007815	NAPHCON OPHTH SOLN 15ML	ALCON CONSUMER
66685200490	ATLAST BLOOD GLUCOSE METER	AMIRA MEDICAL
31011902100	B&L OPCON-A EYE DROPS .5OZ	BAUSCH & LOMB
32586650381	ALEVE ARTHRITIS CAPLET 100S	BAYER CONSUMER
32586600003	ALEVE CAPLETS 150S	BAYER CONSUMER
32586600102	ALEVE CAPLETS 0102 200S	BAYER CONSUMER
32586610506	ALEVE CAPLETS 30079 100S X	BAYER CONSUMER
32586605480	ALEVE GELCAP 80S	BAYER CONSUMER
32586600004	ALEVE TABLET 150S	BAYER CONSUMER
32586610505	ALEVE TABLETS 34050 100S X	BAYER CONSUMER
30193237150	GLUCOFILM BLD TST STRO 2371 50S	BAYER CONSUMER
30193237021	GLUCOFILM BLD TST STRP2370 100S	BAYER CONSUMER
30193362721	GLUCOMETER DEX TEST SENSOR 100S	BAYER CONSUMER
30193388501	GLUCOMETER ELITE SYSTM MDL 3885 X	BAYER CONSUMER
30193394221	GLUCOMETER ELITE TST STRPS 100S X	BAYER CONSUMER
30193237321	GLUCOSTIX RGENT STRIP 2373 100S	BAYER CONSUMER
30193288050	KETOSTIX STRIPS 2880 50S X	BAYER CONSUMER
31981000166	EXCEDRIN EX/STR TABS 7827 100S	BRISTOL MYERS
31981000866	EXCEDRIN MIGRAINE CAPLETS 100S	BRISTOL MYERS
31981000184	EXCEDRIN P.M. TABS 7644 100S	BRISTOL MYERS
31981000023	EXCEDRIN EX/STR CAPLTS 0028 100S	BRISTOL MYERS
02260090125	FIRST RESPNS 1STP PRG KT 90125	CARTER PRODUCTS
02260094950	TROJAN RIBBED LUB 94950 36S X	CARTER PRODUCTS
35301484261	DELSYM 3OZ	CELLTECH
75084572080	CANON I/CRT BL BCI21BJC4200/4550	DAISYTEK INTL
75084572081	CANON I/CRT CL BCI21BLC4200/4550	DAISYTEK INTL
75084572137	CANON INK CART COLOR BC-05 X	DAISYTEK INTL
01034381232	EPSON I/CRT STY BLK 400/500/600 X	DAISYTEK INTL
08869858509	HP INK CART DJ/DW850/855C BLACK	DAISYTEK INTL
08869800428	HP INK CRT BL DJ/DW850/855/1600 X	DAISYTEK INTL
08869819196	HP INK CRT H/CP DJ/DW500 628324	DAISYTEK INTL
08869819197	HP INK CRT H/CP DJ/DW600 628332	DAISYTEK INTL

08869868727	HP INK CRT TR/C SER 720-722-890 X	DAISYTEK INTL
08869800302	HP INK CRT TR/CL DJ/DW800 630256	DAISYTEK INTL
73464612062	LEXMARK INKJET CART BLACK 1970 X	DAISYTEK INTL
73464612061	LEXMARK INKJET CART COLOR 1980 X	DAISYTEK INTL
04177817807	KODAK 35MM CAMERA KE30	EASTMAN KODAK
04177840410	KODAK ADVANTIX APS CAMERA C400 X	EASTMAN KODAK
04177814951	KODAK ADVANTIX APS CAMERA F350 X	EASTMAN KODAK
04177180033	KODAK ADVANTIX APS CAMERA T550 X	EASTMAN KODAK
04177136168	KODAK ADVANTIX FILM 200 3PK 25EXP	EASTMAN KODAK
)4177116889	KODAK ADVANTIX FILM 400 3PK 25EXP	EASTMAN KODAK
)4177162668	KODAK ADVANTIX ZOOM CAMERA F600 X	EASTMAN KODAK
)4177156826	KODAK ADVANTX FLM 400/40 ACIX240C	EASTMAN KODAK
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)4177155699	KODAK GOLD MAX 35MM FLM 400/24EXP	EASTMAN KODAK
04177164156	KODAK MAX 400 35MM 4PK 96EXP X	EASTMAN KODAK
04177835313	KODAK MAX HQ 35MM OTUC 27EXP	EASTMAN KODAK
)4177873755	KODAK MAX OTUC W/FLASH 27EXP X	EASTMAN KODAK
04177839485	KODAK OTUC W/FLSH 39EXP W/BNS 15X	EASTMAN KODAK
03980001132	ENERGIZER ADV BATTERY AA 4S	EVEREADY
3980003287	ENERGIZER ADV BATTERIES AA 8S	EVEREADY
03980005669	ENERGIZER ADV BATTERIES AAA 8S	EVEREADY
03980002707	ENERGIZER E2 BATTERIES AA 4S	EVEREADY
3980002706	ENERGIZER E2 BATTERIES AA 8S	EVEREADY
07410103444	FUJI QUICKSNAP PAN FLSH CAM 15EXP	FUJI PHOTO
07410103434	FUJI SUPER HQ 200 1FR W/3S 96EXP	FUJI PHOTO
07410120224	FUJI SUPER HQ 35MM FILM 200/24EXP	FUJI PHOTO
04133358001	DURACELL ULTRA AA MX1500 B2U AA 2'S	GILLETTE
06905581513	BRAUN ORAL-B 3D PLQ REMV D17525 X	GILLETTE
06905581676	BRAUN ORAL-B PLQ REM D15511 3D X	GILLETTE
06905581584	BRAUN ORAL-B PLQ REM D6011 X	GILLETTE
06905581262	BRAUN ORAL-B PLQ REM ULTR D9525 X	GILLETTE
06905581480	BRAUN ORAL-B PLQ REM ULTRA D9511	GILLETTE

06905580922	BRAUN ORAL-B REPL BRSH HD EB17-3	GILLETTE
06905581942	BRAUN SYNCRO SYSTEM SHAVER 7505 X	GILLETTE
04133341501	DURACELL BATTERIES AA 4S	GILLETTE
04133364100	DURACELL BATTERIES AA PPR 12S X	GILLETTE
04133342401	DURACELL BATTERIES AAA 4S	GILLETTE
04133364200	DURACELL BATTERIES AAA PPR 12S	GILLETTE
04133382501	DURACELL BATTERY AA MN1500B8 8S	GILLETTE
04133384401	DURACELL BATTERY AAA MN2400B8 8S	GILLETTE
04133360001	DURACELL ULTRA AA MX1500B4 4S	GILLETTE
04133361001	DURACELL ULTRA AA MX1500B8U 8S	GILLETTE
04133361101	DURACELL ULTRA AAA MX2400 B8U 8S	GILLETTE
04133363001	DURACELL ULTRA AAA MX2400B4U 4S	GILLETTE
04740011035	GIL GOODNEWS RAZR 1035 10S	GILLETTE
04740018020	GIL MACH 3 CART 4S X	GILLETTE
04740018005	GIL MACH 3 CART 8S X	GILLETTE
04740018560	GIL MACH 3 CART 12S X	GILLETTE
04740017980	GIL MACH 3 RZR X	GILLETTE
04740010503	GIL SENSOR CARTRIDGE 5S X	GILLETTE
04740011487	GIL SENSOR CARTRIDGE 1487 10S X	GILLETTE
04740011489	GIL SENSOR CARTRIDGE 1489 15S X	GILLETTE
04740011471	GIL SENSOR EXCEL CART REF 10S X	GILLETTE
04740011473	GIL SENSOR EXCEL CART REF 15S X	GILLETTE
04740010498	GIL SENSOR EXCEL CART REFILL 5S X	GILLETTE
04740011446	GIL SENSOR WM EXCL CAR 10S X	GILLETTE
04740011461	GIL SENSOR WMN CARTG 1461 10S X	GILLETTE
04740014009	GIL VENUS WMN RZR SYSTEM	GILLETTE
04740014129	GIL VENUS WMN RZR/CART 4S	GILLETTE
04740014130	GIL VENUS WMN RZR/CART 8S	GILLETTE
06905581758	THERMOSCAN EAR THERMTR IRT3520 X	GILLETTE
75084572556	CANON COLOR B/JET PRINTER BJC2100	I BRANDS
35388504810	FAST TAKE BLOOD GLCS T/STRIP 100S	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388544450	FAST TAKE TEST STRPS 10-444 50S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388510207	LIFESCAN LANCETS 10-207 200S	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30062543005	MONISTAT 3 DSP CMBO 543005 3S X	Personal Products Co JOHNSON & JOHNSO
35388510325	ONE TCH BSC BLD GLUC SYS 10-325 X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388524701	ONE TCH ULT BLD GLC SYS 020-247 X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388510197	ONE TOUCH TEST STRIP 10-197 25S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388510198	ONE TOUCH TEST STRIP 10-198 50S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON

35388537410	ONE TOUCH TST STRPS 10-374 100S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388524450	ONE TOUCH ULTRA TEST STRIPS 50S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
71683785690	PEPCID AC GELCAP 90S	JJ-Merck - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
71683785661	PEPCID AC GELCAPS 60S	JJ-Merck - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
71683787260	PEPCID AC TABS 60S	JJ-Merck - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
71683787290	PEPCID AC TABS 87290 90S	JJ-Merck - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
71683788850	PEPCID COMPLETE 88850 50S	JJ-Merck - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388505210	SURESTEP BLOOD GLUCOSE STRIP 100S	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
35388535950	SURESTEP BLOOD GLUCOSE STRP 50S X	LifeScan - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045083810	TYLENOL ARTHRITIS CAPS 100S	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045044909	TYLENOL EX/STR CAPLETS 100S	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045044955	TYLENOL EX/STR CAPLETS 50S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045044959	TYLENOL EX/STR CAPLETS 250S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045046861	TYLENOL EX/STR GELCAPS 225S	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045046850	TYLENOL EX/STR GELCAPS 50S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045046870	TYLENOL EX/STR GELCAPS 100S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045046865	TYLENOL EX/STR GELCAPS 150S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045012410	TYLENOL EX/STR GELTABS 100S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045048210	TYLENOL EX/STR PM CPLTS 100S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30045048215	TYLENOL PM CAPLETS 150S X	McNeil Consumer & Speciality Pharmaceuticals - JOHNSON & JOHNSON
30087030101	ENFML LIQ W/IRN 13OZ MAKES 26OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30087033101	ENFML PWD W/IR 16OZ MAKES 120OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30087030501	ENFML RTU W/IRON 305-32 32OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30087061614	LACTFREE PWDR 14OZ MAKES 105OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30087033801	NUTRAMIGN PWDR 160Z MAKES 1020Z	MEAD JOHNSON
30087036701	PREGESTIML PWD 16OZ MAKES 112OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30087310121	PRO SOB PWDR 14OZ MAKES 102OZ	MEAD JOHNSON
30259030350	MEDERMA SCAR SKIN CARE 1.76OZ	MERZ SKIN CARE
31191703221	METABOLE\$\$ CAPS TWIN PACK PPR180S	METABOLIFE INTL
81724500001	METABOLIFE 356 CAPLET 90S X	METABOLIFE INTL
07502020562	NORELCO ADVANTAGE RECH RAZOR X	NORELCO
07502020522	NORELCO REFLEX ACTION 5801XL X	NORELCO
35987960912	GLUCOSAMINE/CHONDTN DS CAP 120S X	PECOS/MEDTECH
30081001824	ACTIFED TABLETS 24S X	PFIZER CONSUMER
05280032962	E.P.T. 2-TEST PREG TST KT 32962 X	PFIZER CONSUMER
05280032957	E.P.T. STICK PREG TST KIT 32957 X	PFIZER CONSUMER
30081960027	SUDAFED 24HR TABS 10S X	PFIZER CONSUMER
30081087024	SUDAFED COLD/ALLERGY 22879 24S X	PFIZER CONSUMER

30081960024	SUDAFED TABLETS 30MG 96S X	PFIZER CONSUMER
31254768462	ZANTAC 75 75MG BOTTLE 68462 60S	PFIZER CONSUMER
31254768440	ZANTAC 75 75MG BTL #68440 80S X	PFIZER CONSUMER
31254768430	ZANTAC-75 75MG #68430 30S X	PFIZER CONSUMER
03784991032	PHILIPS 4 HEAD VCR VR420CAT X	PHILIPS/MAGNAVOX
38490322373	SONICARE ADVANCE T/B QP-3	PHILLIPS ORAL
38490301501	SONICARE PERSONAL MODEL PS-1 X	PHILLIPS ORAL
38490322207	SONICARE PLUS PLQ REM T/B PL-4 X	PHILLIPS ORAL
07410004863	POL FUN FLASH 640 DIGITAL CAM KIT	POLAROID CORP
07410000042	POL IZONE POCKET FILM STICKY 3S	POLAROID CORP
07410008670	POL ONE STEP EXPRESS CAM 109044	POLAROID CORP
07410024242	POL SPECTRA PLT FILM 624243 2PK X	POLAROID CORP
07410014465	POL WEBSTER IZONE SCANNER 117338	POLAROID CORP
03700036367	CREST WHITESTRIPS SYSTEM 56S	PROTER & GAMBLE
32390000875	DAYQUIL LIQUICAP N/DRWS 20S	PROTER & GAMBLE
32390000063	VICKS NYQUIL COLD MEDICINE 60Z X	PROTER & GAMBLE
32390000844	VICKS NYQUIL LIQUICAP 0844 20S	PROTER & GAMBLE
32390000182	VICKS NYQUIL ORIG TWIN PK 100Z X	PROTER & GAMBLE
30034121060	SENOKOT S TABLETS 60S X	PURDUE FREDERICK
30034121030	SENOKOT S TABLETS 1210-30 30S X	PURDUE FREDERICK
30034120080	SENOKOT TABLETS 100S X	PURDUE FREDERICK
30997238210	REV CUTICLE NIPPER FULL 2382-10 X	REVLON IMPLEMENTS
30997238310	REV CUTICLE NIPPER HALF 2383-10 X	REVLON IMPLEMENTS
03076802432	SUNDOWN METAB O LITE TABS 90S X	REXALL SUNDOWN
07553730381	ACCU-CHEK ADV/CMP CMFT STRP 100 X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553730373	ACCU-CHEK ADV/CMP CMFT STRP 50S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553700860	ACCU-CHEK ADVANTGE CARE KIT 860 X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553700877	ACCU-CHEK INSTANT TST STRP 100S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553730276	ACCU-CHEK SIMPLCTY TEST STR 50S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553700508	CHEMSTRIP BG 508 ACUII STP 100S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553700971	SOFTCLIX STERILE LANCETS 100S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07553700535	TRACER-BG REAGENT STRPS 535 50S X	ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS
07007440264	SIMILAC LIQ L/I CONC 130ZMAKES260Z	ROSS LABORATORIES
07007442110	ISOMIL CONC LIQ 130Z MAKES 260Z	ROSS LABORATORIES
07007420107	ISOMIL POWDER 140Z MAKES 1020Z	ROSS LABORATORIES
07007451851	SIMLAC NEOSURE PWD 14OZ MAKES 92Z	ROSS LABORATORIES
07007452277	SIMLAC PD W/I 14.1Z MAKES 105OZ	ROSS LABORATORIES
30085360101	CORICIDIN COUGH/COLD TABLET 16S X	SCHERING PLOUGH

02724258294	SONY CD WALKMAN BLUE D-E 220 X	SONY CORP
02724257829	SONY DIG AM/FM WLKM WMFX281/277 X	SONY CORP
02724258085	SONY PRESSMAN MCROCASS M477 PPR X	SONY CORP
03076803137	OSTEO BI FLEX DBL STR CAPLT 50S	SUNDOWN VITAMINS
03076803134	OSTEO BI FLX RG STRNGTH CAPLT120S	SUNDOWN VITAMINS
03076803139	OSTEO BI FLEX DBL STR CAPLT 150S	" SUNDOWN, INC"
69907311001	FREESTYLE BLD GLUCOSE SYSTEM X	THERASENSE
69907313001	FREESTYLE LANCETS 100S	THERASENSE
69907312050	FREESTYLE TEST STRIPS 50S X	THERASENSE
69907312001	FREESTYLE TEST STRIPS 100S X	THERASENSE
04431980128	GE 25 CH CRDLS PHNE/CALL ID 26730	THOMSON MULTIMEDIA
04431900114	GE FRS 3 CHANNEL 3-5800GP3 2S	THOMSON MULTIMEDIA
04431900257	RCA CD AM/FM CASS RDC110/7968 X	THOMSON MULTIMEDIA
04431910135	RCA PERS CD PLAYER RP2419/2360 X	THOMSON MULTIMEDIA
04431942360	RCA PERS CD PLYR 45ESP RP260/2242	THOMSON MULTIMEDIA
63347200278	CLEARBLUE ESY DBLE PREG TST KIT X	UNIPATH DIAGNOSTICS
63347202220	CLEARPLAN EASY FERTILTY MONITR X	UNIPATH DIAGNOSTICS
71510613816	BELL SOUTH CRDLS PHN 2.4GHZ X	US ELECTRONICS
71510612953	BELL SOUTH DESK PHN/CALLID 8823 X	US ELECTRONICS
71510613334	BELL SOUTH RANGER 2WAY COMM X	US ELECTRONICS
71510613175	BELL SOUTH CRDLS PHN 900MHZ BLK X	US ELECTRONICS INC
66612000052	DIG VOICE RCRDR 80MIN PPR DA300 X	VOICE 2000S INC
66612000062	VOICE 2000 900MHZ CRDLS MINI PH X	VOICE 2000S INC
30573016020	ADVIL CAPLETS 24S	WYETH
30573016030	ADVIL CAPLETS 50S X	WYETH
30573016040	ADVIL CAPLETS 100S X	WYETH
30573016046	ADVIL CAPLETS 250S X	WYETH
30573018010	ADVIL COLD/SINUS CAPLETS 20S	WYETH
30573015020	ADVIL TABLETS 24S	WYETH
30573015030	ADVIL TABLETS 50S X	WYETH
30573015046	ADVIL TABLETS 250S X	WYETH
30573015040	ADVIL TABLETS 100S X	WYETH
30005417723	CENTRUM SILVER TABLET 100S	WYETH
30005417758	CENTRUM SILVER TABLET 150S	WYETH
30005423930	CENTRUM VITAMINS 130S	WYETH
30005423936	CENTRUM VITAMINS 180S	WYETH
30031223032	DIMETAPP COLD/ALLERGY 4OZ	WYETH
30766080100	ABREVA COLD SORE CREAM 2GM X	GSK

34580023822	CONTAC 12HR CAPLETS 20S	GSK
30766146020	NICODERM C Q 14MG/PATCH 14S X	GSK
30766145010	NICODERM C Q 21MG/PATCH 7S X	GSK
30766145020	NICODERM C Q 21MG/PATCH 14S X	GSK
30766147012	NICODERM C Q 7MG/PATCH 14S X	GSK
30766143020	NICODERM CQ CLEAR 14MG 14S X	GSK
30766142020	NICODERM CQ CLEAR 21MG 14S X	GSK
30766144020	NICODERM CQ CLEAR PATCH 7MG 14S X	GSK
30766004330	NICORETTE MINT 2MG REFL KIT 48S X	GSK
30766004430	NICORETTE MINT 4MG REFL KIT 48S X	GSK
30766004460	NICORETTE ORANGE REFILL 4MG 48S X	GSK
30766004350	NICORETTE ORNG STR KT 2MG 108S X	GSK
30766004450	NICORETTE ORNG STR KT 4MG 108S X	GSK
30766004548	NICORETTE REFILL 2MG 48S X	GSK
30766004560	NICORETTE REFILL 2MG 168S X	GSK
30766004748	NICORETTE REFILL 4MG 48S X	GSK
30766004760	NICORETTE REFILL 4MG 168S X	GSK
30766004508	NICORETTE STARTER KIT 2MG 108S X	GSK
30766004708	NICORETTE STARTER KIT 4MG 108S X	GSK
30766004320	NICORETTE STRTR KT MNT 2MG 108S X	GSK
30766004420	NICORETTE STRTR KT MNT 4MG 108S X	GSK
30021442909	PHAZYME ULT/STR SFTGL 180MG 60S	GSK
30766501630	TAGAMET 200MG 501630 30S	GSK

Exhibit #3a

Decision & ROI Model Narrative

Average weeks on-hand for the item (used in calculating inventory carrying costs) Base Increase in Cost per Item Cost increase independent of decision to protect Cost increase independent of decision to protect Cost to source Tag in (includes cost of tag, labor, etc.) Cost to cenhance packaging with theft deterrent packaging Total incremental cost per item Total of above two items Reduction in Sweeping Theft* Reduction in Sweeping Theft* Reduction in Sackroom Adj.* Reduction in Sackroom Adj.* Reduction in Theft enhancements are imple Inventory Carrying Interest % Payables/Inventory Ratio Proportion of inventory the supplier is financing for us Proportion of inventory the supplier is financing for us Processed in Retail Price per Item Incremental Increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Base sales % increase in Retail Price per Item Cost to WM to buy one item Purchases (Items) Sale Number of items actually available for sale and sold Number of items lost due to sweeping theft instances (result of Retail Link Query) In-Stock Coverage Overstock Items purchased but not sold that would have been stolen without either of the measures Total Increase (S) Same as above calculated in dollars instead of units Sale Number of items lost due to package defeat thefts instances (result of the measures) Items purchased for the measures Total Increase in Retail Price per Item Decrease of the measures Total Increase in Retail Price per Item Cost to WM to buy one item Purchases (S) Same as above calculated in dollars instead of units Sale Number of items lost due to package defeat thefts instances (result of the measures) Total Retail Sales times Gross Profit Percent Total Retail Sa	Category	Explanation
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NY1 =Next Year w/o enhancements - only reflects forecasted sales increase NY2 =Next Year with enhancements and forecasted sales increase

TY = This Year

* Merchandise theft methods:

Inventory Adjustments: the product is removed from the premises in it's original package - no residue remains at the retailer. This type of theft includes instances of single quantity removal such as a single DVD stolen or instances in which more professional groups removed large quantities of product as defined below:

Sweeping theft: instances of sweeping theft are those in which large quantities of product are removed primarily for resale at flea markets or other means of mass re-distribution (overseas diversion, internet sales {ebay} or other means). Products particularly susceptible to sweeping theft are replacement razor cartridges, DVD, VHS, CD, ink jet cartridges, some cosmetics and some tools.

Backroom Adjustments: the product is removed from it's original packaging in the store (residual packaging remains in store or on premises). These instances are those of typical shoplifting where the customer removes the merchandise from the packaging for personal use such as a single video game cartridge, two-way radio, high-end power tool, prestige cologne, camera, watch, etc.

The University of Florida National Retail Security Survey may be of interest:

www.soc.ufl.edu/srp.htm

Assumptions:

NY1 = Next Year w/o program NY2 = Next Year w/program

Avg Weeks-On-Hand 10.74 Base increase in cost per item Source Tag increase \$ 0.03 Pkg Enhancement increase Total incremental cost per item 0.03 % Reduction in Sweeping Theft -40.00% % Reduction in Backroom Adj. 0.00% Total % reduction in Theft -13.19% Inventory Carrying Interest % 4.00% Payables/Inventory Ratio 55% Base Increase in retail price per item Incremental increase in retail price per item \$ Total increase in retail price per item Base sales % increase 10.00% % "items no longer stolen" that are purchased 50.00% % sell-through 80.00%

Exhibit #3b

ROI Calculation Model

Example 1 ROI Positive

								Re	sults					
		TY		NY1		NY1 vs. T	Υ		NY2	N	Y2 vs TY		NY2 vs N	Y1
						+/-	%			+/-	%		+/-	%
Cost per item	\$	7.70	\$	7.70	\$	-	0.00%	\$	7.75	\$ 0.05	0.35%	\$	0.03	0.39%
Purchases (Items)														
Sale		1,120,143		1,232,157		112,014	10.00%		1,232,157	112,014	10.00%		-	0.00%
Sweeping Theft		19,495		21,445		1,950	10.00%		12,867	(6,628)	-34.00%		(8,578)	-40.00%
Backroom Adj.		39,614		43,575		3,961	10.00%		43,575	3,961	10.00%		-	0.00%
In-Stock Coverage		-		-		-	0.00%		3,431	3,431			3,431	
Overstock		-		-		-	0.00%		858	858			858	
Total		1,179,252		1,297,177		117,925	10.00%		1,292,888	113,636	9.64%		(4,289)	-0.33%
Purchases (\$)														
Sale	\$	8,625,101	\$	9,487,611	\$	862,510	10.00%	\$	9,524,576	899,475	10.43%	\$	36,965	0.39%
Sweeping Theft	\$	150,112	\$	165,123	\$	15,011	10.00%	\$	99,460	(50,652)	-33.74%	\$	(65,663)	-39.77%
Backroom Adj.	φ Φ	305,028	\$	335,531	\$	30,503	10.00%	\$	336,838	31,810	10.43%	\$	1,307	0.39%
In-Stock Coverage	¢	303,026	¢.	333,331	Φ	30,303	0.00%	\$	26,523	26,523	10.43 /	Ф	26,253	0.37/6
Overstock	¢ v	-	¢.	-	Φ	-	0.00%	\$	6,631	6,631		\$	6,631	
Total	\$	9,080,240	\$	9,988,264	\$	908,024	10.00%	\$	9,994,027	913,786	10.06%	\$	5,762	0.06%
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Avg retail price on goods sold	\$	8.93	\$	8.93	\$	-	0.00%	\$	8.93	-	0.00%	\$	-	0.00%
Retail Sales	\$	9,999,984	\$	10,999,982		999,998	10.00%	\$	11,030,613	1,030,629	10.31%		30,631	0.28%
GP\$	\$	919.744	¢ D	1,011,718	\$	91,974	10.00%	\$	1,036,587	116,843	12.70%	\$	(24,869	2.46%
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GF %		7.20/6		7.20%		0.00%	0.00%		7.40 /0	0.20%	2.17/0		0.20%	2.17/0
Inventory Carrying Costs	\$	33,758	\$	37,133	\$	3,376	10.00%	\$	37,155	3,397	10.06%	\$	21	0.06%
Net Profit Contribution	\$	885,986	\$	974,585	\$	88,599	10.00%	\$	999,432	113,446	12.80%	\$	24,847	2.55%
%		8.86%		8.86%		0.00%	0.00%		9.06%	0.20%	2.26%		0.20%	2.26%

Assumptions:

% sell-through

NY1 = Next Year w/o program NY2 = Next Year w/program

Avg Weeks-On-Hand 10.74 Base increase in cost per item 0.05 Source Tag increase Pkg Enhancement increase Total incremental cost per item 0.05 % Reduction in Sweeping Theft -35.00% % Reduction in Backroom Adj. 0.00% Total % reduction in Theft -11.54% Inventory Carrying Interest % 4.00% Payables/Inventory Ratio 55% Base Increase in retail price per item Incremental increase in retail price per item \$ Total increase in retail price per item Base sales % increase 10.00% % "items no longer stolen" that are purchased 50.00%

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Exhibit #3b

ROI Calculation Model

Example 2 ROI Negative

								Re	sults					
		TY		NY1		NY1 vs.	ΓΥ		NY2		NY2 vs TY		NY2 vs N	IY1
						+/-	%			+/-	%		+/-	%
Cost per item	\$	7.70	\$	7.70	\$	-	0.00%	\$	7.75	\$ 0.05	0.65%	\$	0.05	0.65%
Purchases (Items)														
Sale		1,120,143		1,232,157		112,014	10.00%		1,232,157	112,014	10.00%		-	0.00%
Sweeping Theft		19,495		21,445		1,950	10.00%		13,939	(5,556)	-28.50%		(7,506)	-35.00%
Backroom Adj.		39,614		43,575		3,961	10.00%		43,575	3,961	10.00%		-	0.00%
In-Stock Coverage		-		-		-	0.00%		3,002	3,002			3,002	
Overstock		-		-		-	0.00%		751	751			751	
Total		1,179,252		1,297,177		117,925	10.00%		1,293,424	114,172	9.68%		(3,753)	-0.29%
Purchases (\$)														
Sale	\$	8,625,101	\$	9,487,611	\$	862,510	10.00%	\$	9,549,219	924,118	10.71%	\$	61,608	0.65%
Sweeping Theft	\$	150,112	\$	165,123	\$	15,011	10.00%	\$	108,027	(42,085)	-28.04%	\$	(57,096)	-34.58%
Backroom Adj.	\$	305,028	\$	335,531	\$	30,503	10.00%	\$	337,709	32,682	10.71%	\$	2,179	0.65%
In-Stock Coverage	¢	303,020	¢	333,331	¢	50,505	0.00%	\$	23,267	\$23,267	10.7 170	Ψ	2,177	0.0370
Overstock	\$		\$		\$		0.00%	\$	5,817	Ψ25,207		\$	5,817	
Total	\$	9,080,240	\$	9,988,264	\$	908,024	10.00%	\$	10,024,039	943,799	10.39%	\$	35,775	0.36%
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Avg retail price on goods sold	\$	8.93	\$	8.93	\$	-	0.00%	\$	8.93	-	0.00%	\$	-	\$0.00%
Retail Sales	\$	9,999,984	\$	10,999,982		999,998	10.00%	\$	11,026,785	1,026,801	10.27%		26,802	0.24%
GP\$	\$	919,744	\$	1,011,718	\$	91,974	10.00%	\$	1,002,745	83,002	9.02%	\$	(8,973)	-0.89%
GP%	*	9.20%	Ψ	9.20%	Ψ	0.00%	0.00%	*	9.09%	-0.10%	-1.13%	Ψ	-0.10%	-1.13%
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Inventory Carrying Costs	\$	33,758	\$	37,133	\$	3,376	10.00%	\$	37,266	3,509	10.39%	\$	133	0.36%
Net Profit Contribution	\$	885,986	\$	974,585	\$	88,599	10.00%	\$	965,479	79,493	8.97%	\$	(9,106)	-0.93%
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Retailer/ <u>Manufacturer</u>	Contact <u>Name</u>	Contact <u>Title</u>	<u>Phone</u>		
CVS	Ernie Deyle	Vice President, Asset Protection	401-770-4039		
GlaxoSmithKline	Roland Regnier	Vice President Corporate Development	856-596-4004		
Johnson & Johnson Sales & Logistics Co.	Pat Rizzotto	Vice President, Global Customer Initiatives	908-904-3564		
Kmart	Greg Saputo	DVP, Loss Prevention Administration	248-463-7264		
Kodak	Victor Wasilov	U.S. E-Business Manager	770-522-2514		
Kroger	Tim Nelson	Loss Prevention	513-762-1531		
Novartis	Mark Wilson	VP of Drug for Novartis Consumer	201-405-0243		
P&G	Larry Kellam	Director, B2B Supply Network Innovation	513-983-4171		
Pfizer	Frank Maione	VP Trade Relations	973-385-3709		
Rite Aid	Chuck Kibler	Group Vice President, Loss Prevention	717-975-5715		
Target	Amy Forsberg Teresa Lanenberg	Manager, MerchandiseProtection (temporary)	ON LEAVE 612-761-7328		
Unilever	Jerry Brown	Vice President, Industry and Business Development	203-596-4004		
Walgreens	Jack Donoval	Manager, EAS Tagging	847-661-2000		
Wal-Mart	Brand Elverston	Director, Loss Prevention	ON LEAVE		
	Rick Johnson	Operations Department Director of LP Administration	479-277-2728		
Wyeth Consumer Healthcare	Gavin Jeffs	AVP Logistics/e-Business	804-257-2100		



Q1	If we have the manufacturers decide on the best tagging method we may not get everything we want. I don't like fractional tagging for example?
Α	We are seeking the best total system solution. There are many manufacturing issues like line speed, reliability, additional capital costs, etc. which need to be considered. This will likely mean that different items from the same manufacturer may be handled differently. From the retailer's perspective getting items protected that are not protected today is a big win, even if it is not ideal
Q2	My product is not tagged and it's on the Top 250 List. What should I do?
Α	If you receive requests to commence tagging, then work with the retailers making the requests to evaluate the most viable and cost-effective method of protection - for example EAS tagging, protective packaging, etc - and put your options through the Decision Support Model to determine viability
Q3	Why was there so much focus on new items?
Α	Deciding what items need protection and how best and most economically to achieve that before the item is introduced is critical. This allows all the planning, costing, and execution of the protection solution to be in complete when the product comes to market
Q4	Why should we consider cost sharing?
Α	The costs on both sides of the partnership are real and as with any business solution, they must be identified, calculated, and dealt with by the parties involved if equitable solutions are to be found
Q5	My product is on the Top 250 List but EAS tagging makes no sense from a cost perspective. What do the Guidelines say I must do?
Α	They don't say you must do anything. If your assertion regarding tagging cost is correct, the Decision Support Model will agree with it. You could also evaluate other protection strategies that may be more cost-effective
Q6	What was the big breakthrough that led to the document?
Α	Very simply, we looked at the issues as supply chain business issues without all of the emotion, and collaboratively worked through solutions for each. It was the participants' commitment to openly working together on the process and finding a solution that was the breakthrough
Q7	If I have difficulty with the ROI Calculation Model who can I call for advice?
Α	Call one of the members of the Retail Intelligence Sub-Committee - they are listed in the Guidelines package
Q8	If we know the item is stolen, why is an ROI model needed?
Α	None of us want to add unnecessary costs to the supply chain, together manufacturers and retailers need to make decisions, which add consumer value. An ROI model will help ensure that true total system cost is considered and that the cost of protection is relevant to the cost of the loss
Q9	ILRT recommends that Retailers share costs of tagging and resultant complexity. Has any standard been agreed?
Α	No standard has been agreed. There is agreement in principal to the concept of sharing costs. You should collaborate with the affected retailers regarding your proposal, and endeavor to achieve a common agreement