

Exhibit A

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA
ATLANTA DIVISION**

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO., FISHER-ROSEMOUNT SYSTEMS, INC., and ROSEMOUNT INC.

Plaintiffs,

v.

SIPCO, LLC, AND IP CO, LLC (d/b/a INTUS IQ),

Defendants.

SIPCO, LLC, AND IP CO, LLC (d/b/a INTUS IQ),

Plaintiffs,

v.

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO., EMERSON PROCESS MANAGEMENT LLLP, FISHER-ROSEMOUNT SYSTEMS, INC., ROSEMOUNT INC., BP p.l.c., BP AMERICA, INC., and BP AMERICA PRODUCTION COMPANY,

Defendants.

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) No. 1:15-cv-00319-AT

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) No. 1:16-cv-02690-AT

**DECLARATION OF EMILY E. TOOHEY IN SUPPORT OF
EMERSON/BP JOINT OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO TRANSFER**

I, Emily E. Toohey, declare that:

1. I am a Paralegal at the law office of Davidson Berquist Jackson & Gowdey, LLP, counsel for the Emerson and BP parties in the above-referenced matters.
2. Attached as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of an Order denying the Motion to Transfer in Civil Action No. 1:06-cv-0585 in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia, Atlanta Division.
3. Attached as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of the Opinion in *SIPCO, LLC v. Control4 Corp* (2012 WL 526074).
4. Attached as Exhibit D is a true and correct copy of Dustin Weeks' biography from the Troutman Sanders website.
5. Attached as Exhibit E is a true and correct copy of the Notice of Deposition of Robert Karschnia served by SIPCO and IPCO.
6. Attached as Exhibit F is a true and correct copy of the Notice of Deposition of Ted Schnaare served by SIPCO and IPCO.
7. Attached as Exhibit G is a true and correct copy of the Notice of Deposition of Eric Rotvold served by SIPCO and IPCO.
8. Attached as Exhibit H is a true and correct copy of the Notice of Deposition of John Groves served by SIPCO and IPCO.

9. Attached as Exhibit I is a true and correct copy of the Declaration of Thomas J. Fredricks.

10. Attached as Exhibit J is a true and correct copy of the Rule 45 Subpoena to Linear served by SIPCO and IPCO.

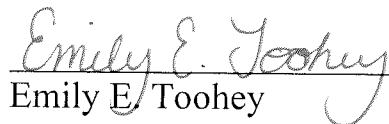
11. Attached as Exhibit K is a true and correct copy of an excerpt from Linear's Website.

12. Attached as Exhibit L is a true and correct copy of the Declaration of David Lafferty.

13. Attached as Exhibit M is a true and correct copy of the Declaration of Robert Karschnia.

14. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on August 9, 2016


Emily E. Toohey