

**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
March 4, 2009**

**ORDER GRANTING CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT  
UNDER THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934**

**Ocean Power Technologies, Inc.**

**File No. 001-33417 - CF# 22710**

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Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. submitted an application under Rule 24b-2 requesting an extension of a previous grant of confidential treatment for information it excluded from the Exhibit to a Form 8-K filed on June 8, 2007.

Based on representations by Ocean Power Technologies, Inc. that this information qualifies as confidential commercial or financial information under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. 552(b)(4), the Division of Corporation Finance has determined not to publicly disclose it. Accordingly, excluded information from the following exhibit(s) will not be released to the public for the time period(s) specified:

Exhibit 99.1                      through May 24, 2009

For the Commission, by the Division of Corporation Finance, pursuant to delegated authority:

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