

Request for Expedited Consideration

AeroVironment asks the understanding of the Commission and NTIA and other agencies.

AeroVironment recently learned of this request regarding the allied government customer and the specific requirement. We did not anticipate the requirement and ask for consideration so that we are able to accommodate it.

As personnel and equipment must travel to Hazel Green, AL, AeroVironment requests that the Commission's consideration of the pending application be concluded by September 27 so that the necessary logistic and other efforts can be fulfilled effectively and the tests can commence the week of October 1, 2019. Commencement of the testing as planned is in the public interest. Performing the tests with the allied government representatives is part of the meaningful relationship fostered by sharing the UAS technology with allied governments.