Question 4:

This 2-year experimental license request is necessary to begin test and evaluation of a C2 (Command & Control) datalink between the ground control station and the Bell APT70 UAV over a specific unpopulated area, with the intention to expand the testing area with a later request.

Previously, an evaluation of the datalink has been done under FCC File Number 0105-EX-ST-2020 & Call Sign WP9XYL, using a manned airborne test article to ensure that datalink quality and reliability meet operational requirements prior to testing with an unmanned UAS.

<u>Testing with an unmanned UAS will be performed under this license request for operation up to 1000</u> <u>ft AGL</u>.

Reference FAA A70-099-003-PL Program Letter for West Trinity COA.

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