

From: Daniel Willetts

To: Behnam Ghaffari

Date: November 22, 2013

Subject: FCC File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013

Message:

Laurel Technologies Partnership
File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013 (Ref. 21420)

Mr. Ghaffari:

As you will recall, in my October 24 email below, I advised that Laurel Technologies Partnership would go back to FAA and request a re-freshed FAA coordination for the frequencies 9050 MHz and 9350 MHz on Station WE2XQM, based on your previous email dated October 18 (see below).

This is to advise you that the company did promptly make such supplemental request for FAA coordination for these frequencies, and is continuing to follow-up with FAA to obtain such coordination as soon as possible. To date, however, the coordination report has not yet been provided by FAA.

In light of the fact that Laurel Technologies Partnership is continuing to pursue to FAA coordination in good faith, it is respectfully requested that an additional 15 days be afforded to complete the coordination.

Thank you in advance for your favorable consideration of this request.

Best regards,

Jeff Rummel
Attorney for Laurel Technologies Partnership

From: Rummel, Jeffrey
Sent: Thursday, October 24, 2013 12:50 PM
To: 'Behnam Ghaffari'
Subject: RE: Laurel Technologies Partnership - File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013 (Ref. 21420)

Mr. Ghaffari:

Thank you for your note on this.

I will go back to FAA and ask them to conduct a new regional coordination based on your comments.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could allow an additional 30 days for us to seek this coordination – would that be acceptable?

Best regards,

Jeff Rummel

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From: Behnam Ghaffari [mailto:Behnam.Ghaffari@fcc.gov]
Sent: Friday, October 18, 2013 12:10 PM
To: Rummel, Jeffrey
Cc: Stephanie.Thomas@faa.gov
Subject: RE: Laurel Technologies Partnership - File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013 (Ref. 21420)

Mr. Rummel,

The referenced 2 frequencies will be expired in GMF as well as on the experimental license on Dec 1, 2013, in which these 2 records (freq.’s) will be kicked out of it thereafter. Nevertheless, in order for your renewal application to be processed with respect to these 2 frequencies, a prior coordination with the regional FAA office and obtaining NGT numbers is required.

Regards
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From: Rummel, Jeffrey [mailto:Jeffrey.Rummel@arentfox.com]
Sent: Wednesday, October 02, 2013 10:10 AM
To: Behnam Ghaffari
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Subject: Laurel Technologies Partnership - File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013 (Ref. 21420)

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Ref. 21420

Mr. Ghaffari:

In reply to your inquiry issued on 9/5/2013 (Ref. 21420) requesting FAA coordination of the frequencies 9050 MHz and 9350 MHz on Station WE2XQM, in connection with the pending renewal application under File No. 0318-EX-RR-2013, this is to advise you that the FAA has transmitted the following reply:

From: Charles.Thornton@faa.gov [mailto:Charles.Thornton@faa.gov]
Sent: Friday, September 27, 2013 3:55 PM
To: Rummel, Jeffrey
Cc: Stephanie.Thomas@faa.gov; Thomas.Ahn@faa.gov
Subject: Re: Laurel Technologies Partnership - Request for FAA Coordination - Pending Renewal of FCC Experimental License WE2XQM

Mr. Rummel,

Because the licenses do not expire until December 2013, there is no further action required of the FAA at this time. I have sent a response to our HQ requesting confirmation.

Normally I would await a response, but given the requested due date and the possibility of a government shutdown I wanted to provide you with some information.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me (or my manager, Stephanie Thomas) if we are shutdown.

Regards,

Charles A. Thornton, Jr.

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Accordingly, at this time, the FAA apparently believes that no additional coordination is required due to the timing of the license's expiration. Although Mr. Thornton indicates that he has requested confirmation from FAA headquarters, we have not received further information from FAA, as the government shut-down has just commenced.

Please advise what additional steps you wish for the applicant to take, if any, with respect to your request for FAA coordination.

Finally – please note that to ensure that this message is transmitted within the 30 day period specified in Ref. 21420, this message is being sent to you directly via email. Once the government shutdown is over, a copy of this reply will be submitted via ELS.

Respectfully submitted,

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