FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Experimental Licensing Branch 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 7A-321 Washington, D.C. 20554

January 17, 2001

Attn: John Kneuer Northrop Grumman Corporation c/o Verner, Liipfert, 901 15th St, N.W. Suite 700 Washington, DC 20005-2301

Dear John Kneuer,

The Experimental Licensing Branch hereby acknowledges receipt of your application for experimental authority filed on FCC Form 442 received January 10, 2001.

The file number assigned to your application is 0026-EX-PL-2001. Please allow approximately 90 days for processing of your filing.

Responses to this correspondence must contain the Reference number: 1071

Sincerely,

Mancy Hey

Examiner