

STA LICENSE LETTER APPLICATION

**Ms. Magalie R. Sales, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, NW, Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554**

**ATTN: Frank Wright,
Office of Engineering and Technology
Re: Request for Special Temporary Authority
For Radio Station License**

Dear Ms. Salas:

Textron Systems, (Robert Steadman) herein requests a grant of special temporary authority for a new mobile radio station license beginning July 19, 1999 and extending until January 19, 2000 to operate two land-based INMARSAT ship earth station(s) from temporary – fixed locations in the United States. In support of this request, Textron Systems, (Robert Steadman) submits the following information:

- 1. Applicant's name and Address:
Textron Systems, 201 Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887**
- 2. Name and Address of the person for inquiries regarding this request:
Robert Steadman C/O Textron Systems, 201 Lowell Street, Wilmington, MA 01887**
- 3. Particulars of Operation:**

Frequency	Power	Modulating	Necessary Bandwidth
1626.5-1646.5MHZ	12W	BPSK-6KBPS	12KHZ

4. Geographical location of the proposed operation:
U.S.
5. Antenna Type: Directional (RHCP) Non-Directional
Width of the beam in degrees at the half-power point: $\pm 15^\circ$
Orientation: Horizontal plan _____ Vertical Plane
6. Transmitting equipment to be installed:
- | Manufacturer | Type | Numbers |
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| <u>Trane & Trane</u> | <u>Mini-M 03060A</u> | <u>ISN#76TT0199C6B2</u>
<u>ISN#76TT0118OEB1</u> |

Textron Systems, a Division of Textron, Inc. a U.S. corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware affirmatively states that it does not in any manner act as a representative of a foreign government or a subdivision thereof nor would the authorization sought herein be used for the exclusive purpose of developing radio equipment for export that would come under the jurisdiction of the foreign government. The applicant has never had any FCC station license revoked or any application for permit, license, or renewal ever denied by the Commission.

Textron Systems, further states that grant of this request would not have a significant environmental impact and, this, does not require an environmental Statement under Section 1.1307 of the commission's Rules. Unless otherwise indicated in an attachment to this request, the authorization sought herein will not be sought for fulfilling the requirements of a government contract with an agency of the United States Government.

In addition Textron Systems, further certifies that neither the applicant, nor any other party to this application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. & 853a.

This temporary license is sought by Textron Systems, a developer and manufacturer of weapon systems and advanced materials, to operate two (2) INMARSAT Mini-M 3060A terminal(s) from temporary-fixed location in the United States to provide land mobile services. Simultaneous to this request, COMSAT has submitted to the Common Carrier Bureau a request for special temporary authority to provide satellite communications services to the subject terminal(s) via the INMARSAT system for the purposes stated herein.

Accordingly, Textron Systems respectfully submits that the public interest would be served by the operation of the subject terminal for the aforementioned purposes and, thus, request that the commission grant the instant request for temporary authority.

The requisite filing fee of \$45 is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert Steadman

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cc: Sylvia Lam
Carl Huie