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VIA HAND DELIVERY

Federal Communications Commission
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RE: Ingalls Shipbuilding Inc. Application For Emergency Special Temporary
Authorization For Experimental Radio Service License WB9XKJ - XD
REQUEST EXPEDITED ACTION BEFORE MARCH 23, 2001

Dear Sir/Madam:

On behalf of NNG, Inc., Transferee, the undersigned hereby submits the attached request of Ingalls Shipbuilding Inc., Licensee, for Special Temporary Authority. Also enclosed is the Form 159 and the requisite filing fee for this request. The filing of this request is necessary to conclude a transaction whereby NNG, Inc. will assume a controlling interest in Litton Industries, Inc., the controlling interest in Ingalls Shipbuilding Inc.

Please direct any questions regarding this request to the undersigned, at 202-371-6332.

Respectfully,


John M. R. Kneuer

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Ingalls Shipbuilding Inc. ("Ingalls"), the Licensee and Transferor, and NNG, Inc, the Transferee, hereby requests Special Temporary Authorization ("STA") to operate the Experimental Radio Service License WB9XKJ - XD prior to the Commission's grant of the transfer of control application which is being filed simultaneously with this STA request. Grant of an STA is necessary to ensure continued, uninterrupted operation of these communications facilities which are vital to the ongoing daily operations of Ingalls.

Ingall's transfer of control application is being filed in light of recent changes in the structure of Northrop Grumman Corporation's proposed acquisition of Litton Industries Inc. ("Litton"), the controlling interest in Ingalls, pursuant to the Amended and Restated Agreement and Plan of Merger among Northrop Grumman, Litton, NNG, Inc. and LII Acquisition Corp. On March 23, 2001, immediately prior to the proposed purchase of Litton stock in a tender offer, Northrop Grumman is scheduled to be reorganized, whereby the ultimate control of Northrop Grumman will rest in a new corporate holding company, NNG, Inc.

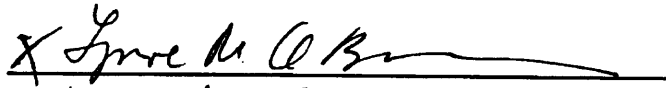
Due to the recent changes in the structure of the proposed reorganization of Northrop Grumman and the acquisition of Litton, complete information regarding the number and types of licenses that would be subject to this transaction only recently became available. As a result, Ingalls was not able to finalize the applications for permanent transfer of control of the all licenses subject to the merger agreement so that such applications could be filed and granted prior to the anticipated closure date of March 23, 2001. Accordingly, Ingalls requests an Emergency STA to close on the transaction on or before March 23, 2001 and to operate the facilities pursuant to the technical and operational parameters set forth in the license for a period of up to 180 days or until the transfer of control application is granted.

Expeditious grant of the STA is in the public interest as it would permit the

Parties to close on the transaction as anticipated and would allow Northrop Grumman to operate the above-noted experimental systems in order to ensure continued and necessary operation of these communications facilities pending FCC action on the transfer application.

I certify that I am an officer of Ingalls Shipbuilding Inc.

INGALLS SHIPBUILDING INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Lynne M. O. Brickner", is written over a horizontal line.

LYNNE M. O. BRICKNER

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

ANTI-DRUG ABUSE ACT CERTIFICATION

The applicant certifies that, in the case of an individual applicant, he or she is not subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. § 862a, or, in the case of a non-individual applicant (e.g. corporation, partnership or other unincorporated association), no party to the application is subject to a denial of federal benefits pursuant to that section. For the definition of a "party" for these purposes, see 47 C.F.R. § 1.2002(b).

☒ YES

☐ NO

Name of Applicant:	Signature: <i>Lynne M. O. Brickner</i>
Ingalls Shipbuilding, Inc.	X LYNNE M. O. BRICKNER
Date: 3/20/01	Title: ASSISTANT SECRETARY