

Kuiper Systems LLC
WA9XHE
Application for Experimental License

Narrative Statement

On Feb. 20, 2026, the Commission granted Kuiper Systems LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Amazon.com Services LLC (“Amazon.com” or “Amazon”), experimental special temporary authority (“STA”) to conduct link functionality and performance testing between custom terminals and Amazon’s Part 25 licensed satellite constellation (the “Amazon Leo System”) in King County, WA. *See* ELS File No. 2062-EX-ST-2025, Call Sign WA9XHE. The STA expires Aug. 1, 2026.

As provided under Section 5.61(c) of the Commission’s rules, this application for experimental license is intended to serve as a continuance or extension of the STA. *See* 47 C.F.R. § 5.61(c). The extension, which Amazon seeks for an additional two years, is necessary to allow the company to continue its testing.

As part of the instant request, Amazon incorporates by reference the narrative information describing the complete program of research and experimentation provided as part of its STA. *See* ELS File No. 2062-EX-ST-2025, Call Sign WA9XHE. Amazon does not propose to change the parameters described in the STA as part of the instant experimental license request.