

Exhibit A
Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation
Request for Special Temporary Authority (STA)

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Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation requests Special Temporary Authority for a 2-month period to test a pair of 5-watt data sets (3.2 watts ERP) to verify their capability for close-in corrections for re-fueling the Naval Unmanned Combat Air Vehicle (N-UCAS). This work is under U.S. Navy Contract N00019-C-0055. Coordination will be conducted with other users of the 1760 MHz frequency. The stop buzzer will be Mr. Fred Berrong at (661) 810-4428.