

October 1, 2004

Broadband Division
Wireless Telecommunications Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
1270 Fairfield Road
Gettysburg, PA 17325-7245

Re: Consent for Application for Special
Temporary Authority for Northrop
Grumman Inc.

Dear Sir or Madam:

Nextel Spectrum Acquisition Corp., ("Nextel"), has entered into an agreement ("Agreement") with Northrop Grumman, Inc., pursuant to which Northrop Grumman is submitting an application to the Commission for the grant of Special Temporary Authority ("STA") for testing operations on BRS Channel H3 in Washington, DC.

Nextel is the Basic Trading Area licensee of BTA 461, and BRS station WHJ920, on Channel H3 in the Washington, DC area. Nextel hereby consents to the application for Special Temporary Authority for such operations on BRS Channel H3 in Washington, DC. Nextel certifies that it has received a copy of the application.

If there are any questions regarding this matter or additional information is required, please contact Charles Anderson at (703) 433-8052.

Sincerely,

NEXTEL SPECTRUM ACQUISITION
CORP.

By: Robert Finch

Print Name: ROBERT FINCH

Title: V.P.
