

Explanation of Application

Port Authority of New York and New Jersey (Applicant) is seeking Commission authorization to test radiolocation systems at various locations within Newark Airport (EWR). The purpose of the testing is to identify locations for permanent installation of the systems.

The radar beacons will be used to detect suspicious movement within the premises of EWR, analyze the data using certain proprietary software, and communicate with surveillance video cameras to enable security personnel to more effectively track and monitor traffic within the Airport.

This proposal is part of a major project that Applicant is working on in support of the United States Government's Homeland Security initiative called Perimeter Intrusion Detection System or "PIDS".

This proposal is critical to the security of Newark Airport.

Applicant respectfully requests that the Commission process and grant this application as expeditiously as possible.