

**United States of America
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
EXPERIMENTAL
SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORIZATION**

EXPERIMENTAL

(Nature of Service)

WM9XGY

(Call Sign)

XT MO

(Class of Station)

0192-EX-ST-2018

(File Number)

NAME Virginia Tech MAAP - FAA UAS Test Site

This Special Temporary Authorization is granted upon the express condition that it may be terminated by the Commission at any time without advance notice or hearing if in its discretion the need for such action arises. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as a finding by the Commission that the authority herein granted is or will be in the public interest beyond the express terms hereof.

This Special Temporary Authorization shall not vest in the grantee any right to operate the station nor any right in the use of the frequencies designated in the authorization beyond the term hereof, nor in any other manner than authorized herein. Neither the authorization nor the right granted hereunder shall be assigned or otherwise transferred in violation of the Communications Act of 1934. This authorization is subject to the right of use of control the Government of the United States conferred by Section 706 of the Communications Act of 1934.

Special Temporary Authority is hereby granted to operate the apparatus described below:

Purpose Of Operation:

The purpose of the operation is to test the performance of the MESA-DAA RADARs located on the ground or on airborne platforms for navigation, detect and avoid and counter UAS

Station Locations

- (1) MOBILE: Blacksburg, VA, within 2 km, centered around NL 37-11-50; WL 80-34-41
- (2) MOBILE: Blacksburg, VA, within 2 km, centered around NL 37-10-45; WL 80-23-01

Frequency Information

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Frequency	Station Class	Emission Designator	Authorized Power	Frequency Tolerance (+/-)
24.45-24.65 GHz	MO	190MFXN	243 W (ERP)	

This authorization effective February 22, 2018 and
will expire 3:00 A.M. EST August 21, 2018

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Special Conditions:

- (1) In lieu of frequency tolerance, the occupied bandwidth of the emission shall not extend beyond the band limits set forth above.
- (2) Licensee should be aware that other stations may be licensed on these frequencies and if any interference occurs, the licensee of this authorization will be subject to immediate shut down.
- (3) The radars shall not be used for air traffic control purposes or separation of aircraft.
- (4) The authorized station must be in compliance with environmental requirement set forth in Section 1.1307 of the Commission's Rules.
- (5) Experimental station shall use the minimum power level necessary to establish communications links to minimize potential interference to licensed users.
- (6) This authorization is without prejudice to any determination that the Commission may make regarding pending or future experimental satellite earth station applications.
- (7) The stop buzzer contact for this project is 540-552-5646 (Primary), 615-400-0064 (Secondary).
- (8) Operations are on a non-interference basis (NIB) and shall not cause harmful interference to, and shall not claim protection from, interference caused to it by any other lawfully operating station and it shall cease transmission(s) immediately upon notice of such interference and notify the FCC in writing.
- (9) No automatic renewal for this authorization.