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U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region I
Commercial, Industrial, R&D, and Academic Branch
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety
2100 Renaissance Boulevard, Suite 100
King of Prussia, PA 19406-2713

CERTIFIED MAIL

Attention: Mr. Dennis Lawyer

Re: Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC
NRC License Number: SUB-1440

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Dear Mr. Lawyer:

Pursuant to the provisions of the Atomic Energy Act of 1954, as amended, and regulations in Title 10 of the Code of Federal Regulations (10 CFR) Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC, located at 210 State Route 956, Rocket Center, WV, 26726, holder of NRC License Number SUB-1440 is hereby providing notice of an impending transaction involving its parent company, Orbital ATK, Inc. (Orbital ATK). Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC is a wholly owned subsidiary of Orbital ATK.

On September 17, 2017, Orbital ATK entered into an Agreement and Plan of Merger (the "Merger Agreement") with Northrop Grumman Corporation (Northrop Grumman). Upon the terms and subject to the conditions set forth in the Merger Agreement, after the transaction Orbital ATK will continue as a surviving corporation and a wholly-owned subsidiary of Northrop Grumman. Upon consummation of the transaction, the name of Orbital ATK will change to Northrop Grumman Innovation Systems, Inc.

After the transaction, Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC will continue to exist as a wholly owned subsidiary of Orbital ATK (renamed Northrop Grumman Innovation Systems, Inc.). Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC will not change its name as a result of the transaction.

Alliant Techsystems Operations LLC will continue as the Licensee. The transaction will not result in any change to the license, its management, or its personnel (including the radiation safety officer). The Licensee will continue to operate in the same manner at the same address and with the same contact information.

If you require further information regarding this notice, please contact me at 304-726-7746.

Sincerely,



Joshua C. Walbert
Radiation Safety Officer
Alliant Techsystems Operations, LLC

Cc: David Shead
Larry Lyon

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT - RECEIPT OF CORRESPONDENCE

Name and Address of Applicant and/or Licensee Alliant Techsystems Operations, LLC Attn: Joshua C. Walbert Radiation Safety Officer 210 State Route 956 Rocket Center, WV 26726	Date 05/03/2018
	License Number(s) SUB-1440
	Mail Control Number(s) 608605 - Notification
	Licensing and/or Technical Reviewer or Branch Comm, Industrial, R&D, and Academic Branch

This is to acknowledge receipt of your: Letter and/or Application Dated: 04/26/2018

The initial processing, which included an administrative review, has been performed.
 Amendment Termination New License Renewal

There were no administrative omissions identified during our initial review.

This is to acknowledge receipt of your application for renewal of the material(s) license identified above. Your application is deemed timely filed, and accordingly, the license will not expire until final action has been taken by this office.

Your application for a new NRC license did not include your taxpayer identification number. Please complete and submit NRC Form 531, Request for Taxpayer Identification Number, located at the following link: <http://www.nrc.gov/reading-rm/doc-collections/forms/nrc531.pdf>
Follow the instructions on the form for submission.

The following administrative omissions have been identified:

Your application has been assigned the above listed MAIL CONTROL NUMBER. When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number. Your application has been forwarded to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review, which is normally completed within 180 days for a renewal application (90 days for all other requests), may identify additional omissions or require additional information. If you have any questions concerning the processing of your application, our contact information is listed below:

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