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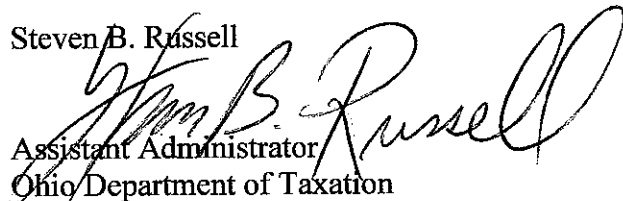
August 12, 2013

Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation
2980 Fairview Park Dr.
Falls Church, VA 22042-4511

Re: Ohio Direct Payment Permit Number 98002590

The above named person has applied for authority to pay sales and use taxes, levied under Chapters 5739 and 5741 of the Ohio Revised Code, directly to the State of Ohio pursuant to the provisions of Section 5739.031 of the Ohio Revised Code. The Tax Commissioner hereby granted Northrop Grumman Systems Corporation the authority to pay sales and use taxes directly to the State of Ohio on purchases made on or after May 1, 1996, under Ohio Direct Payment Permit Number 98002590.

Steven B. Russell


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