

June 29, 2016

Mr. Jed Margolin 1981 Empire Road Reno, NV 89521-7430

Re: Letter to Darryl Davis dated 20 June, 2016 regarding US patents

Dear Mr. Margolin:

Thank you for your interest in Boeing.

As you might imagine, we receive many messages each year, including offers and ideas about how to improve our products and services. We are thankful that so many people, like you, share our passion for aerospace.

However, like many large companies, we do not accept unsolicited ideas. We have found that there could be unintended consequences to simply accepting an idea. All of our employees are hard at work building a better Boeing, and processing the substantial numbers of ideas from outside our company takes a lot of time, cost and brings risk.

So while we appreciate your interest, we regret to inform you that we disposed of your message and retained no copies. Please understand that this was done on the basis of an established company policy, and not on the merit of your idea.

We very much appreciate the time and effort you took to write us, but we ask for your understanding in this matter. Thank you again for your support.

Sincerely,

Taralyn Trimpey

Chief Counsel

The Boeing Company