

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief (then) First Lt. Coman W. Rothrock, Jr. 0-793381 made the world's first automatic zero-zero blind landing under precision, auto-pilot coupled, conditions (ILS). This happened in the fall of 1944 or January 1945 at Pinecastle Army Field, Florida.

At this time, I was the "Test & Development Officer" in charge of the day-to-day operations of the 159 Tactical Suitability Tests performed in two years by the B-17 Test Squadron provided for at-hand testing for the "Air Forces Board", which was stationed adjunct to the "Air Forces School of Applied Tactics" at Orlando, Florida during World War II.

Edward R. Neff, Jr.

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(Then) Capt. AC
0-393674

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 5th day of May, 1986.

Kathleen A. Indely
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