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U.S. APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 86417308

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION DENIED

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The trademark examining attorney has carefully reviewed applicant's request for reconsideration and is denying the request for the reasons stated below. See 37 C.F.R. §2.63(b)(3); TMEP §§715.03(a)(ii)(B), 715.04(a). The requirement(s) and/or refusal(s) made final in the Office action dated August 16, 2015 are maintained and continue to be final. See TMEP §§715.03(a)(ii)(B), 715.04(a).

In the present case, applicant's request has not resolved all the outstanding issue(s), nor does it raise a new issue or provide any new or compelling evidence with regard to the outstanding issue(s) in the final

Office action. Rather, some of the evidence submitted with the response reinforces the merely descriptive nature of the wording in that it establishes that even some of applicant's own customers regard the wording CAMERA COPTERS as a descriptor of aerial photography services generally. In addition, applicant's analysis and arguments are not persuasive nor do they shed new light on the issues. Also, the attached evidence further demonstrates that the term CAMERA COPTERS is merely descriptive of the goods and services at issue and is used by others in the marketplace. Accordingly, the request is denied.

If applicant has already filed a timely notice of appeal with the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board, the Board will be notified to resume the appeal. See TMEP §715.04(a).

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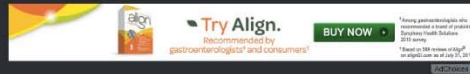
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DJI's best known for its versatile photography drones, but the company's bringing its stabilization technology to ground-based shoots with the Ronin camera gimbal. The compact device, which appears to be a more consumer-friendly version of last year's *Movi Freefly*, is designed to work with a variety of compact cameras, from DSLRs to a Red Epic. The handheld gimbal is based on the firm's ZenMuse tech, which you'll find in select camera copters. A single videographer can control the rig, or you can have a second operator manage pan and tilt wirelessly. Ronin can be configured in less than five minutes using a companion smartphone app, which enables auto calibration after balancing the camera. Pricing should come in under \$5,000, and DJI says to expect the device to ship later this quarter.

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WANT TO EDIT VIDEO? HERE'S SOME TIPS FROM THE GADGET GURU TO GET YOU STARTED

It seems that with the sudden popularity of drones there's a growing number of users who are beginning to discover the wonderful world of video production. While that's a good thing, as today's camera equipped copters make it easier than ever to create breathtaking video, converting that footage into a production that your friends will enjoy watching is another story.

In fact, seeing that so many users are taking unedited video and simply uploading the raw footage to YouTube reminds me of the days when people would take an insurmountable number of still images during a Summer vacation and invite friends over to watch what seemed like an endless display of slides projected on a silver screen in the living room.



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In this video, I thought it best to go over some of the basics of video production that new owners of [camera copters](#) may find useful. I also highlighted some of the products I use to simplifying the chore of editing video.

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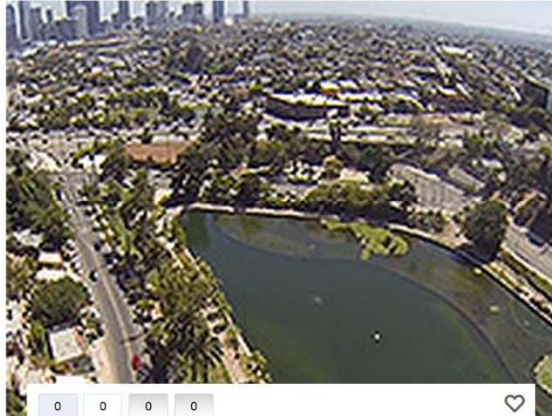
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Snagging a bird's eye view of L.A.'s coast—or lakes, beaches, forests, canyons, etc.—was once a luxury reserved for helicopter pilots, skydivers, or, well, birds. But technology (and the times) are a-changin'. Thanks to the invention and mass availability of remote controlled drones, miniature aircrafts affixed with cameras, there's no need to spring for a one-time ride in a chopper (unless, of course, you're striving to achieve **ultimate Angeleno status**). Residents all over town can spend as little as \$107 on the small camera-copters to take video footage from hundreds of feet above L.A. Just yesterday, **Eastsider LA** shared the video above taken by Daniel Lingua, who used his drone to capture stunning panoramic views of Echo Park Lake. Seems harmless enough. But a recent story in the **Los Angeles Times** is raising red flags when it comes to privacy.

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Torrance resident Daniel Saulmon uses a drone to patrol police DUI checkpoints and traffic stops in the South Bay. Neither Saulmon nor his lawyer are concerned with legal repercussions of such videos. "My attorney told me there isn't really much regulation on them," he says. While Saulmon may be using his drone powers for what he perceives as good, others may not be so golden hearted: last year at Hermosa Beach, a woman confronted a lifeguard regarding a drone that snapped pictures of her and her daughter while the two were tanning on the beach. Yikes.

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The LAPD is aware of the growing popularity of drones, but they aren't especially prepared to impose blanket rules for the devices. "I have to weigh it on a case by case basis," said Lt. Phil Smith, assistant commanding officer for the LAPD's air support division. Moral of the story? Fly drones responsibly. The vlogosphere will thank you.



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Camera.copters like the ultra-popular DJI Phantom pretty much take the cake for being aerobically carry and not fringing reality into packs. Luckily, if it's one thing Think Tank does, it's find ways to carry awkward, sensitive gear neatly in packs. The Airport Helipack was built with the Phantom in mind. The quadcopter slides nicely into the bottom of the 14-by-20-by-9-inch pack without having to remove the landing skids (though the propellers, not surprisingly, must come off), and there are dedicated compartments for hardware, extra batteries, remote control, charger, and more. The dividers are deeper and more rigid than in a typical camera pack, a nod to all the accessories that drones require (and the teeny tiny camera), but are serviceable if you want to slip your DSLR in there, too.

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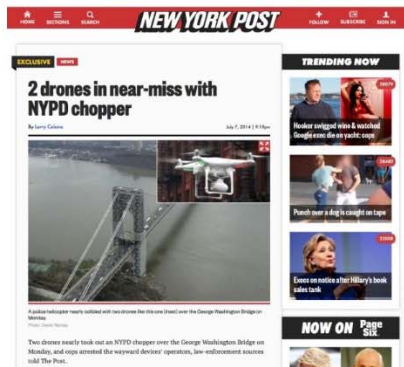


NYPD Helicopter Narrowly Avoids Crashing Into Two Camera Drones

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According to the NY Post, the NYPD Aviation Unit chopper was taking its usual patrol route when, at approximately 12:15am, the pilot of the helicopter noticed two small UAVs headed in its direction.

The pilot had to change course in an attempt to avoid the two drones, because despite the camera copters, weighing only a few pounds a pop, the damage the chopper would've sustained from them could've been fatal. After changing its course and getting a safe distance away, the helicopter's pilot follow one of the drones to its landing site and coordinated officers to its location.



The two men behind the drones ended up being Remy Castro and Wilkins Mendosa, both of whom were arrested on the spot.

Arraigned on felony reckless endangerment charges and released without bail, the two don't seem too phased by the situation. "We were just playing with it," Mendosa told the NYPost. "[The charges are] crazy." On top of that, the Post also reports that Castro told the Manhattan Criminal Court that, "[The Drone] is just a toy."

It only takes a small few to screw it up for everyone and it looks like these two gentlemen may be that 'small few' for NYC and the NYPD's stance on drones. Drones are a continually hot topic that isn't going to simmer down anytime soon if pilots aren't responsible.

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