George Diller/GLAST Launch Commentator: TenÖnineÖeightÖsevenÖsixÖfiveÖfourÖthreeÖengines start. OneÖ

zero and liftoff of the Delta rocket carrying
GLAST, a gamma-ray telescope searching
for unseen physics in the stars of the galaxies.

(Rumbling)

Mission Control: Thirty-nine seconds into the flight, now in the area of maximum dynamic pressure, max Q.

The solids are just a few seconds from ignition. Ground solids are continuing to perform well.

Standing by for separation. We have separation. The solids are igniting.

One-minute 29 seconds into the flight. 13.6 nautical miles in altitude, 33.6 nautical miles downrange,

now travelling at 3,075 miles per hour.

Air solids now dropping in chamber pressure as we’re standing by to separate.

Engine steering is good. Seconds now from the burnout of the air-lit solids.

We now have burnout and we have jettison of the air solids. Mission events are occurring very close to the actual predicted times.