United States of America FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Experimental Licensing Branch

Experimental Licensing Branch 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 7-A321 Washington, DC 20554

March 29, 2002

Attn: Robert A. Mansbach COMSAT Corporation d/b/a COMSAT World Systems 6560 Rock Spring Drive Bethesda, MD 20817

Dear Mr. Mansbach:

On April 20, 2001, you filed an Application for Consent to Assign an Experimental Authorization for a station with call sign WB2XDE and file number 0040-EX-AL-2001. We were unaware at the time that the approval by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for the information collection on this form had expired at the time of your filing. We have now received OMB approval for the continued use of this revised 702 form. You are requested to either resubmit your application on the newly approved form or file a letter requesting that the previously filed application be considered. Such a letter request must be in writing, must contain the application file number.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me at (202) 418-2445 or by email at jburtle@fcc.gov.

Sincerely,

James Burtle, Chief, Experimental Licensing Branch

FCC NOTICE TO INDIVIDUALS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT

The FCC is authorized under the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, to collect the personal information we request in this form. We will use the information provided in the application to determine whether approving this application is in the public interest. If we believe there may be a violation or potential violation of a FCC statute, regulation, rule or order, your application may be referred to the Federal, state or local agency responsible for investigating, prosecuting, enforcing or implementing the statute, rule, regulation or order. In certain cases, the information in your application may be disclosed to the Department of Justice or a court or adjudicative body when (a) the FCC or (b) any employee of the FCC or (c) the United States Government is a party to a proceeding before the body or has an interest in the proceeding. In addition, all information provided in this form will be available for public inspection.

If you owe a past due debt to the federal government, any information you provide may also be disclosed to the Department of Treasury Financial Management Service, other federal agencies and/or your employer to offset your salary, IRS tax refund or other payments to collect that debt. The FCC may also provide this information to these agencies through the matching of computer records when authorized.

If you do not provide the information requested on this form, the application may be returned without action having been taken upon it or its processing may be delayed while a request is made to provide the missing information. Your response is required to obtain the requested authorization.

We have estimated that each response to this collection of information will take 5 hours. Our estimate includes the time to read the instructions, look through existing records, gather and maintain the required data, and actually complete and review the form or response. If you have any comments on this estimate, or on how we can improve the collection and reduce the burden it causes you, please write the Federal Communications Commission, AMD-PERM, Paperwork Reduction Project (3060-0996), Washington, DC 20554. We will also accept your comments via the Internet if you send them to jboley@fcc.gov. Please DO NOT SEND COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO THIS ADDRESS. Remember - you are not required to respond to a collection of information sponsored by the Federal government, and the government may not conduct or sponsor this collection, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number or if we fail to provide you with this notice. This collection has been assigned an OMB control number of 3060-0996.

THE FOREGOING NOTICE IS REQUIRED BY THE PRIVACY ACT OF 1974, P.L. 93-579, DECEMBER 31, 1974, 5 U.S.C. 552a(e)(3), AND THE PAPERWORK REDUCTION ACT OF 1995, P.L. 104-13, OCTOBER 1, 1995, 44 U.S.C. Section 3507.