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Federal Communications Commission
Experimental Radio Services
P.O. Box 358320
Pittsburgh, PA 15251-5320

Re: Application for Experimental License (FCC File No. 0108-EX-PL-2000)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Enclosed on behalf of Hughes Network Systems, Inc., is a Form 159 Remittance Advice and a check in the amount of \$45.00 to cover the filing fee for the above referenced Application for an Experimental License. The enclosed application was submitted electronically on Form 442 on May 10, 2000.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact me or our Paralegal Assistant, Ben Thomas, at 202-637-2200.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures

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