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Federal Communications Commission
Experimental Licensing Branch
2000 M Street, N.W. Suite 230
Washington, D.C. 20554

Gentlemen:

Subject: Submission of Form 442 Application for use of Inmarsat Terminals

Enclosed please find a Form 442 Application and Form 159 Remittance Advice with check for \$45 fee. We are applying for licensing to operate four (4) Inmarsat Dual Channel M4 terminals, recently type approved by Inmarsat. MTI is a long time developer, manufacturer, and provider of Inmarsat terminals and equipment. We look forward to this latest addition to the Inmarsat product line.

We are requesting the terminal licensing for use in test and demonstration purposes. Our clientele includes most branches of the US government, many of which are anxious to view, test, and obtain the new terminals for their requirements. We look forward to receiving the licensing in a timely manner.

Your assistance, as always provided to us in the past is appreciated. If there are any questions, please contact the undersigned at telephone 301-590-8522.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "J. Douglas Thomas".

J. Douglas Thomas
Director, Operations

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