FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Experimental Licensing Branch 445 12th Street, S.W., Room 7A-321 Washington, D.C. 20554

December 20, 2017

Attn: Riki Munakata The Planetary Society 85 South Grand Avenue Pasadena, CA 91105

DISMISSED-WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Dear Riki Munakata,

This refers to application, File No. 0651-EX-CN-2017, for an experimental authorization.

You are advised that the Commission is unable to grant your application for the facilities requested. Your mission was coordinated with IARU prior to their revised policy and is no longer valid. Please consider alternate spectrum for your mission that is consistent with the purpose of the mission. If you still wish to pursue use of this spectrum, you will need to conduct a compatibility analysis to demonstrate you can operate on a non-interference basis to amateur operations. Your mission lifetime is shown as 6 weeks, therefore, please use the STA form if you choose to reapply.

Responses to this correspondence must contain the Reference number: 40104

Sincerely,

Anthony Serafini Chief Experimental Licensing Branch