

# INFOSAT

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February 22, 1999

Ms. Magalie R. Salas, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
The Portals Building  
445 12th Street, SW  
TW-A325  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:    Infosat Communications, Inc.  
      Withdrawal of Request for Special Temporary  
      Authority

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Dear Ms. Salas:

On January 28, 1999, Infosat Communications, Inc. ("Infosat") requested special temporary authority ("STA") for a period of up to 180 days to allow it to provide international common carrier services in accordance with the terms of, and pending grant of, an application for Section 214 authority (FCC File No. 19990128-00041) to provide mobile satellite services using the MSAT-1 satellite. Infosat is withdrawing its Section 214 application to provide service via MSAT-1 and, for that reason, hereby withdraws its associated STA request.

Please note that Infosat is **not** withdrawing a second, simultaneously-filed Section 214 application (File No. 19990128-00050) and associated STA request seeking: (i) global authority to provide facilities-based international communications services; and (ii) authority to operate as a resale carrier.

*Alicia - What do we do now? I guess you make some notation in the system withdrawing the ~~STA~~<sup>214</sup> but what do I do with the original STA that I have on my desk? Throw it away? Thanks. TORINA*

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Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
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In re Application of )  
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INFOSAT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. ) FCC File No. 19990128-00041  
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for authority pursuant to Section 214 )  
of the Communications Act of 1934, )  
as amended, for authority to )  
provide facilities-based international )  
communications services )

## Withdrawal Of Application

Infosat Communications, Inc. ("Infosat"), hereby withdraws its above-captioned application seeking Section 214 authority to provide mobile satellite services using the MSAT-1 satellite. Infosat is not withdrawing a second Section 214 application (File No. 19990128-00050), filed simultaneously with the above-captioned application, seeking: (i) global authority to provide facilities-based international communications services; and (ii) authority to operate as a resale carrier.

Respectfully submitted,

INFOSAT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

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Questions with respect to this matter should be directed to Joseph A. Godles, Esq., Infosat's counsel, at Goldberg, Godles, Wiener & Wright, 1229 19th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, (202) 429-4900.

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