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APPLICANT INFORMATION

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1 Applicant Phone Number: 514-397-7000 Name: BCE, Inc. Phone Number: 514-397-7000 DBA BCE, Inc. Fax-Number: 514-397-7000 Street: 1000 Rue de la Gauchetiere W. E-Mail: d.kidd@bell.ca Bureau 3700 State: Country: City: Montreal (Quebec) State: Country: USA Zipcode: H3B-4Y7 Attention: Data: Attention: David C. Kidd Phone Number: 202-371-9100 Company: Halprin, Temple, Goodman & Maher Fax Number: 202-371-9100 Company: Halprin, Temple, Goodman & Maher Fax Number: 202-371-1497 Strete: 555 12th Street, N.W. E-Mail: rtw@htgm.com Suite 950 North DC Country: USA Zipcode: 2004- City: Washington State: DC Countset States of Delaware Stratos Mobile Networks (USA), LLC, State of Delaware DO Countset State of DE State of DE 3. Place of Incorporation of Applicant Canada State of Delaware DE Eduator Type(6) (elock all that apply) 9 Global or Limite	5. Service Global Global Individu Individu	Aliant Ind MarineSa	4. Other Co Stratos M IDR Moh	3. Place of	Contact Title:	Country:	City:		Street:	Company:	Name:	2. Contact	Attention:	Country:	City:		Street:	DBA Name:	Name:	1. Applicant
Phone Number: 514-397-7000 Fax Number: 514-397-7263 E-Mail: d.kidd@bell.ca State: Zipcode: H3B-4Y7 Phone Number: 202-371-9100 Aaher Fax Number: 202-371-1497 E-Mail: rtw@htgm.com State: DC Zipcode: 20004- Relationship: Legal Counsel Marine Satellite Services, State of DE ./Marine Satellite Services, State of DE	 5. Service Type(s) (check all that apply) Global or Limited Global Facilities-Based Auth Global or Limited Global Resale Authority (Se Individual Facilities-Based Service (Section 63 Individual Switched Resale Service (Section 63 Individual Facilities-Based and Resale Service 	MarineSat Communications Network, Inc	ompany(ies) and Place(s) of Incorporati fobile Networks (USA), LLC, Sta vile Communications Inc. State	3. Place of Incorporation of Applicant Canada	Associate	USA	Washington	Suite 950 North	555 12th Street, N.W.	Halprin, Temple, Goodman & N	Richard T. White, Jr.		Attention: David C. Kidd	USA		Bureau 3700	1000 Rue de la Gauchetiere W.	BCE, Inc.	BCE, Inc.	nt
4-397-7000 4-397-7263 kidd@bell.ca 3B-4Y7 3B-4Y7 : 202-371-9100 : 202-371-1497 rtw@htgm.com DC 20004- 20004- Legal Counsel : Legal Counsel : Services, State of DE : (e)(1))	hority (Section 63.18 ction 63.18(e)(2)) 1.18(e)(4)) 3.18(e)(4)) (Section 63.18(e)(4)	./Marine Satellite	on ate of Delaware of Delaware		Relationship	Zipcode:	State:		E-Mail:	Maher Fax Number	Phone Numl				State:	- (Phone Number: 51	
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CERTIFICATION

17. By checking Yes, the applicant certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions directly or indirectly from a foreign carrier with respect to any U.S. international route where

^O Yes

O No

the foreign carrier possesses sufficient market power on the foreign end of the route to affect competition adversely in the U.S. market and will not enter into such agreements in the future.

Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, DC 20654

In the Matter of BCE Inc., Aliant Inc., Stratos Mobile Networks (USA), LLC, IDB Mobile Communications, Inc., MarineSat Communications Network, Inc., and Marine Satellite Services, Inc.

File No.

Section 214 Application for Transfer of Control

I. INTRODUCTION

Inc. ("MSSI") (collectively Licensees), and Aliant Inc. ("Aliant") to BCE.¹ of Stratos Mobile Networks (USA), LLC ("Stratos (USA)"), IDB Mobile Communications, Inc. ("IDB Mobile"), MarineSat Communications Network, Inc. ("MCN"), Marine Satellite Services, and the Commission's Rules, BCE Inc. ("BCE") hereby applies for authority to transfer control Pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended ("Act"),

Commission's dominant carrier regulations on the U.S.-Canada route.² Additionally, Applicant Applicant certifies by its signature to this Application that it will comply with the

control and the transaction is consummated. pursuant to Section 63.50 of the Commission's Rules once the Commission approves the transfer of In addition, with respect to any additional pending applications of the Licensees, they will be amended The Section 214 Authorizations held by the Licensees are set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto.

Telecommunications Markets." See, Petition of Bell Canada Inc., filed November 4, 1999. of Foreign Telecommunications Carriers that are Presumed to Possess Market Power in Foreign Canada recently filed a petition for declaratory ruling seeking its removal from the Commission's "List Order on Reconsideration, FCC 97-398 (rel. Nov. 28, 1997) at ¶ 322; 47 C.F.R. § 63.12(c)(1)(iii). Bell Rules and Policies on Foreign Participation in the U.S. Telecommunications Market, Report and

the relevant countries and, as such, are entitled to a presumption of non-dominance however, control less than 50 percent of the international transport and local access markets in has affiliates in various countries, as identified in the attached Exhibit C. These affiliates,

significantly affect either the Licensees' or Aliant's overall operation and management, increased choices satellite services marketplace, or ability to offer U.S. consumers both reduced prices and incentives for creating a platform for greater innovation and stronger competition in the mobile The transfer to BCE of both de jure and de facto control over the Licensees and Aliant will not As demonstrated below, the proposed transfer of control is in the public interest.

public interest. Part III provides the information required by 47 C.F.R. § 63.18. Part II of this Application demonstrates that grant of this Application is in the

П. **GRANT OF THIS APPLICATION IS IN THE PUBLIC INTEREST**

subsidiary Bell Canada,⁴ will provide BCE with control over Aliant and the Licensees. Aliant shareholders. These additional shares, combined with the 41.6% of Aliant held by BCE's Aliant through BCE's acquisition of an additional 11% of Aliant through a tender offer to the Subject to Commission approval, the Applicant will acquire control of the Licensees and The

47 C.F.R. § 63.12(c)(1)(i).

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SBC), exercises control over Bell Canada and hence the 41.6% of Aliant shares that are presently held by Commission approval of the transfer of control to Bell Canada and any necessary Section 271 approvals option may not be exercised unless all necessary regulatory approvals have been obtained, including whereby Bell Canada may later acquire the additional shares of Aliant held by BCE. However, that control the Licensees' authorizations. Bell Canada and BCE are entering into a put/call arrangement, BCE will own outright or control through its subsidiary over 50% of the shares of Aliant, and thus will the acquisition of the additional shares (and after Commission approval of this Section 214 application), Bell Canada. BCE can direct Bell Canada on voting of those shares (including votes for directors). BCE, by virtue of its 80% ownership of Bell Canada (with the other 20% of Bell Canada held by After

held. However, BCE intends to acquire an additional 11% of Aliant's stock, which will place subsidiary Bell Canada), holds a 41.6% interest in Aliant, with the remaining Aliant stock widely through an approximately 60% interest in Stratos Global Corp. BCE, in turn (through its additional 11% of the equity of Aliant, subject to receipt of the necessary regulatory approvals. provinces companies into Aliant, BCE's ownership of Aliant (and hence the Licensees) fell to NewTel.⁵ Subsequently, as a result of the reorganization of NewTel and the other Atlantic 41.6%.⁶ Pursuant to an offer to purchase shares from Aliant's shareholders, BCE will acquire an acquired control of Stratos (USA), because at that time BCE owned approximately 53% of have BCE in indirect control of Stratos (USA) when NewTel Enterprises Ltd. ("NewTel") satellite services. Previously, the Commission has found that it would be in the public interest to Currently, the Licensees are subsidiaries of Stratos Global Corp., which is controlled by Aliant satellite services, international aeronautical satellite services, and international, land-mobile Licensees are currently authorized under Section 214 to provide various international maritime

remain in control of Aliant and the Licensees (in light of the 20% ownership of Bell Canada by SBC). Until then, BCE (and not Bell Canada) will

Stratos Mobile Networks (USA) LLC, 13 FCC Rcd 14040, 140402 (1998).

in Aliant fell to 41.6%. See e.g., William S. Paley, 1 FCC Rcd 1025, 1026 (1986): analysis of de facto control, it is clear that BCE did not have de facto control when its ownership interest pro forma transfer of control. Upon a more careful assessment of the facts and the Commission's At that time, Stratos (USA), Aliant and BCE mistakenly sought approval of the transaction as a

the potential for some hypothetical future exercise of control jure transfer of control, where the mere potential to exercise majority vote requires prior occurred depends largely upon a review of the actual operation of the licensee - not upon influence does not excuse noncompliance, a finding that a de facto transfer of control has Commission consent and in which an abstention from any activity evidencing control or By definition, de facto control relies on facts, on events that have occurred. Unlike a de

diagram reflecting the previous and proposed ownership structure is attached as Exhibit B. Licensees' parent company, Stratos Global Corp., through its controlling interest in Aliant. A control of Aliant, BCE would also have indirect control of the Licensees via its control over the BCE in control of Aliant as an owner of approximately 53% of its stock.⁷ Once BCE acquires

necessary approvals are obtained. shares held in trust until such time as the Commission grants this Application and any other consistent with FCC requirements. BCE will not be able to exercise control over the Aliant application without violating the Act or the Commission's Rules, BCE may place the 11% of the Aliant stock it is purchasing into a separate voting trust, fully insulated from BCE's control. So that BCE may purchase the Aliant stock prior to the Commission acting on this

application and find that it is in the public interest to transfer control of Aliant and the Licensees of innovative, competitive satellite services, thereby advancing the public interest. For the to BCE foregoing reasons, the Applicant requests that the Commission expeditiously grant this Aliant and the Licensees, and will allow the Licensees to continue and to expand their provision Commission licensee.⁸ (USA), there are no issues regarding BCE's legal, technical or financial qualifications to be a As noted above, because the Commission previously approved BCE's control of Stratos The transaction will produce operational and financial benefits for BCE,

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interest."). ("Typically, de jure control is evidenced by ownership of 50.1 percent or more of an entity's voting E.g., Lockheed Martin Corporation, FCC 99-237, released September 15, 1999 at ¶ 30

Stratos Mobile Networks (USA) LLC, 13 FCC Rcd 14040, 140402 (1998).

III. INFORMATION REQUIRED BY SECTION 63.18 OF THE COMMISSION'S RULES

The following information is provided in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 63.18:

9 The name, address and telephone number of the proposed transferor is:

Aliant Inc. c/o Mr. Barrie Black General Counsel and Corporate Secretary P.O. Box 5030, Floor 18 Saint John, New Brunswick Canada E2L 4L4 (506) 694-2102

The name, address and telephone number of the proposed transferee is:

BCE, Inc. 1000, rue de La Gauchetière Ouest Bureau 3700 Montréal(Québec) Canada H3B 4Y7 (514) 397-7076

The names, addresses and telephone numbers of the Licensees are:

Stratos Mobile Networks (USA), LLC 6903 Rockledge Drive, Suite 500 West Bethesda, Maryland 20817 (301) 214-8700

IDB Mobile Communications, Inc. 6903 Rockledge Drive, Suite 500 West Bethesda, Maryland 20817 (301) 214-8726

MarineSat Communications Network, Inc. 3300 Corporate Avenue, Suite 108 Weston, Florida 33331 (954) 217-2256

Marine Satellite Services, Inc. 6903 Rockledge Drive, Suite 500 West Bethesda, Maryland 20817 (301) 214-8700

corporations. Ь. The Licensees are all Delaware corporations, and BCE and Aliant are Canadian

0 Correspondence concerning this Application should be directed to:

BCE, Inc. 1000, rue de La Gauchetière Ouest Bureau 3700 Montréal(Québec) Canada H3B 4Y7 Attn: Martine Turcotte

with copies to:

Albert Halprin Richard T. White, Jr. Halprin, Temple, Goodman & Maher 555 12th Street, N.W. Suite 950 North Washington, D.C. 20004

authorization. A detailed list of the authorizations is attached as Exhibit A. utilizing Inmarsat facilities. MCN also holds a global facilities-based and resale Section 214 mobile satellite services, and MCN is authorized to provide a variety of maritime services both facilities and resale bases. IDB Mobile is also authorized to provide various international provide international basic switched and private line services to various international points on also has a global facilities-based and resale Section 214 authorization. MSSI is authorized to aeronautical satellite services, and international land mobile satellite services. Stratos (USA) Stratos (USA) is authorized to provide international maritime satellite services, international e. Licensees are currently authorized to provide a variety of international services

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of Licensees from Aliant to BCE. 0 Applicant seeks authority, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(h)(3), to transfer control

f. Not Applicable

this Application under 47 C.F.R. § 1.1311. 47 C.F.R. § 1.1305. Accordingly, no environmental information is required to be submitted with to BCE. The grant of this Application will not constitute a major action as defined in àd Applicants are requesting authority to transfer control of Licensees from Aliant

companies. These affiliations are listed in Exhibit C. foreign carriers through the ownership interests of Aliant and BCE, which are Canadian holding þ. $(\underline{1})$ The Licensees will be affiliated with a number of Canadian and other

have the following direct and indirect 10-percent or greater shareholders: 2 Upon approval of this Application, BCE, Aliant, and the Licensees will

interest in Bell Canada and an 11 percent direct interest in Aliant company, with a 100 percent interest in NewTel; (7) Bell Canada, a Canadian company, with a company, with an approximately 64 percent interest in Stratos Global; (6) Aliant, a Canadian 41.6 percent interest in Aliant; and (8) BCE, a Canadian holding company, with an 80 percent (4) Stratos Global Corporation ("Stratos Global"), a Canadian holding company, with a (3) 3484955 Canada Inc. ("NumberCo"), with a 100 percent interest in Stratos Wireless holder of 100 percent of IDB Mobile's and 91 percent of Stratos (USA)'s shares; (2) Stratos 100 percent interest in NumberCo; (5) NewTel Enterprises Limited ("NewTel"), a Canadian Wireless Inc. ("Stratos Wireless"), a Canadian company, with a 100 percent interest in T-IIA; (1) T-II Aeronautical, Inc. ("T-IIA"), a Delaware Corporation and the

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Stratos Global and Stratos Wireless. directors, Derek Woods and George Kilguss, who are also directors of the Canadian companies With respect to interlocking directorates, Licensees note that they each have two

The principal place of business of T-IIA is as follows:

T-II Aeronautical, Inc. Suite 500 6903 Rockledge Drive West Bethesda, MD 20817

The principal place of business of Stratos Wireless is as follows:

Stratos Wireless Inc.-P.O. Box 5933 St. Johns, Newfoundland A1C5X4 CANADA

The principal place of business of Stratos Global is as follows:

Stratos Global Corporation Suite 5200 - Scotia Plaza 40 King Street West Toronto, Ontario M5H 3Y2 CANADA

The principal place of business of NewTel is as follows:

NewTel Enterprises Limited P.O. Box 2110 Fort William Building 10 Factory Lane St. John's, Newfoundland A1C5H6 CANADA

The principal place of business of Aliant Inc. is as follows:

Aliant Inc. One Brunswick Square P.O. Box 5030 Saint John, New Brunswick E2L 4L4 CANADA

basic telecommunications services in the United States. or beneficiaries of, a contractual relation affecting the provision or marketing of international that control foreign carriers) together own more than 25 percent of Applicant and are parties to, carrier; or (2) Applicant controls a foreign carrier; or (3) two or more foreign carriers (or parties that Licensees do not seek to provide service to any country in which (1) Applicant is a foreign Other than as stated above, Applicant certifies, by signature to this Application,

affiliated with foreign carriers in Canada, Mexico, India, Colombia and Brazil, which are all WTO member countries <u>.</u>.. Upon approval of the proposed transaction, Licensees will continue to

47 C.F.R. § 63.10(a)(3), to maintain non-dominant status on all international routs except Canada. As demonstrated in paragraph (m) below, Licensees are entitled, pursuant to

entitled, under Section 63.10(a)(3), to non-dominant status on all routes other than the with sufficient market power to affect adversely competition in the U.S. market, Licensees are affiliates clearly controls less than 50 percent of the local access and international transport with a newly authorized competing carrier of local and long distance services. Each of these carrier which provides heavy route space segment services. In Mexico, Licensees are affiliated affiliated with cellular carriers in India and Colombia. In Brazil, Licensees are affiliated with a on all other routes where they have affiliates. As noted on the attached Exhibit C, Licensees are maintain such classification. Additionally, Licensees continue to qualify for non-dominant status U.S.-Canada route. markets. In short, as Licensees are not affiliated with any foreign carrier (outside of Canada) Licensees are already classified as dominant on the US-Canada route, and agree to

that it is not subject to denial of any federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988. See 21 U.S.C. § 853a. By its signature to this Application, BCE certifies pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.2002

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IV. CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, BCE requests that the Commission promptly grant this

Application for a transfer of control.

Dated: December 3, 1999

Respectfully submitted,

BCE, INC.

By:_

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Counsel for BCE, Inc.

SERVICE AUTHORIZATIONS OF LICENSEES

STRATOS MOBILE NETWORKS (USA), LLC

	FCC FILE NO./	DATE OF
International AMSS and MMSS (AOR-E via Staten Island, NY); AOR-W and POR via Niles Canyon, CA); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions; domestic AMSS on an interim basis (<i>see</i> 7 FCC Rcd 1006, 1010 (1992)).	ITC-90-088	May 8, 1991
International MMSS (IOR via Perth, Australia); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions.	ITC-91-012	Oct. 21, 1991
International LMSS via INMARSAT (AOR-E via Staten Island; AOR-W and POR via Niles Canyon, CA; IOR via Perth, Australia); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship.	ITC-92-058 ITC-92-059	Feb. 2, 1993
INMARSAT Standard C (AOR-E <i>via</i> Netherlands, AOR-W <i>via</i> Southbury, CT; POR <i>via</i> Perth, Australia); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions.	ITC-93-014	Jan. 29, 1993
INMARSAT Standard C (IOR via Perth, Australia); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions.	ITC-93-013	Jan. 29, 1993
International Resale of switched voice, data and record services (AT&T, MCI, Sprint and CCI).	ITC-91-157	Jan. 16, 1992
INMARSAT Standards B and M (AOR-E and AOR-W via Laurentides, Canada (ship-to-shore only); POR via Hong Kong (ship-to-shore only); IOR via Hong Kong (ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship)).	ITC-93-188	Aug. 9, 1993
AMSS (AOR-E <i>via</i> Aussegal, France; IOR <i>via</i> Perth, Australia); ground-to-air direction.	ITC-95-359	Nov. 3, 1995
INMARSAT Standard-A (via COMSAT's LES in Anatolia, Turkey); ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions.	ITC-95-565	Feb. 21, 1996
Authority to interconnect LES facilities with AT&T for maritime services.	ITC-93-142	July 30, 1993
Authority to interconnect LES facilities with MCI for maritime services.	ITC-93-141	Nov. 26, 1993

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SERVICE AUTHORIZATIONS OF LICENSEES

Application to provide resale services between the United States and Canada.	Application to provide U.Soriginated Inmarsat Standard-B and -M services <i>via</i> foreign land earth stations.	Application to provide U.Soriginated Standard-B and -M services.	Application for modification of regulatory status from dominant to non-dominant between the United States and Canada and to provide resale services between the United States and Canada.	Application to provide U.Soriginated Inmarsat Standard-B and -M services <i>via</i> foreign land earth stations.	Application to provide U.Soriginated Standard-B and -M services.	Global authority to provide international facilities-based services between the United States and all unaffiliated international points.	Global authority for international resale services between the United States and all international points except Canada.	Authority to provide INMARSAT services via the INMARSAT third generation satellites.	INMARSAT Standard-B and -M (AOR-E and AOR-W via Comsat's LES in Southbury, CT (shore-to-ship direction); POR via Comsat's LES in Santa Paula, CA (shore-to-ship direction); POR via Telstra's LES in Perth, Australia (ship- to-shore direction); IOR via Telstra's LES in Perth, Australia (ship-to-shore and shore-to-ship directions)).	SERVICE	
ITC-214-19970804- 00455	ITC-214-19981030- 00053	ITC-214-19970924- 00580	ITC-97-450	ITC-98-103	ITC-97-594	ITC-97-373	ITC-96-580	ITC-96-041	ITC-95-596	FCC FILE NO./ CALL SIGN	
July 1, 1999	Sept. 30, 1999	Sept. 30, 1999	July 7, 1999	conditions Sept. 30, 1999	Granted in part on Sept. 30, 1999, subject to	Aug. 20, 1997	Dec. 6, 1996	Sept. 20, 1996	Feb. 21, 1996	DATE OF GRANT	

SERVICE AUTHORIZATIONS OF LICENSEES

IDB MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

SERVICE

System

Application for 214 authority and STA to provide domestic aeronautical mobile satellite services *via* the Inmarsat

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SERVICE AUTHORIZATIONS OF LICENSEES

MARINE SATELLITE SERVICES, INC.

SERVICE

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Global facilities-based and resale Section 214

authorization.

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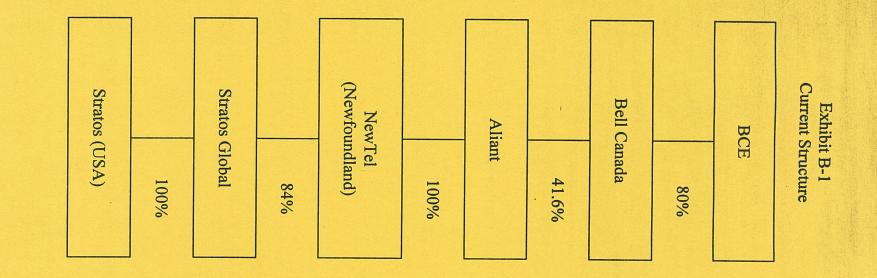
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SERVICE AUTHORIZATIONS OF LICENSEES

MARINE COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK, INC.

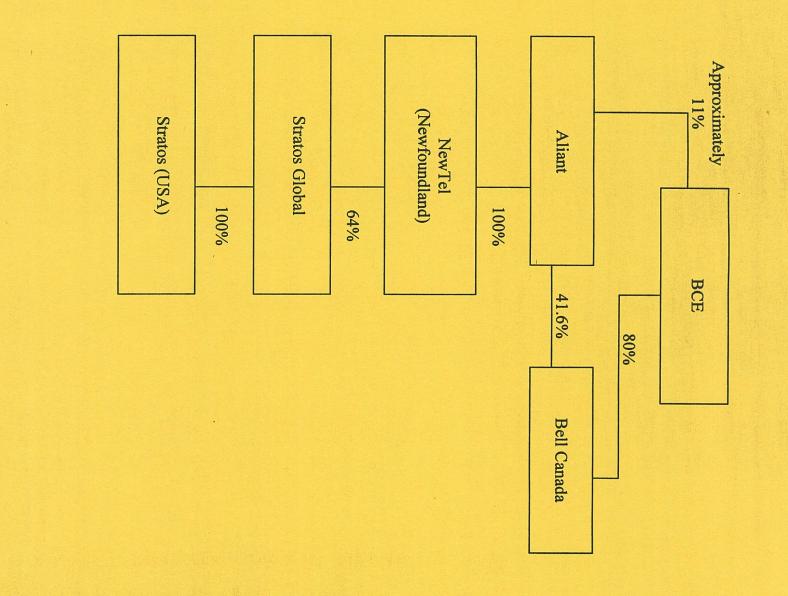
SERVICE	FCC FILE NO./ CALL SIGN	DATE OF GRANT
Authority to provide global facilities-based and resale	ITC-98-076	March 13, 1998
Authority to provide facilities-based and resale mobile-to- fixed and fixed-to-mobile Inmarsat-A, -B, -C, and -M	ITC-98-253	July 2, 1998

services in all ocean regions.



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Exhibit B-2 Proposed Structure



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EXHIBIT C - FOREIGN CARRIER AFFILIATES

Company	Description of Service	CALL STREET
BCE Nexxia Inc.	Provides high speed data services.	Canada
Bell Advanced Communications 1998 Inc.	Reseller of telecommunications services.	Canada
Bell Canada (*)	Provides local, long distance, and international voice and data services in Ontario and Québec, Canada (<i>See</i> Note 1 below).	Canada
Bell Mobility Cellular Inc.	Provides cellular and PCS services in Ontario and Québec, Canada	Canada
Bell Mobility Paging Inc.	Provides paging services in Ontario and Québec, Canada	Canada
Bell Satellite Services Inc.	Provides direct to home video and high speed data services.	Canada
Comunicacion Celular S.A. Comcel S.A. (Comcel)	Provides cellular services in the eastern region of Colombia	Colombia
ConneCTIvity Managed Network Services Inc.	Provides resold data services.	Canada
Darome Canada Inc.	Provides teleconferencing services for voice and video.	Canada
Infosat Telecommunications	Provides mobile satellite services.	Canada
Iridium Canada Communications Inc.	Provides mobile satellite services.	Canada
Island Telecom Inc.	Provides local, long distance and international services in Prince Edward Island, Canada (<i>See</i> Note 1 below.)	Canada
Maritime Tel & Tel Limited	Provides local, long distance and international services in Nova Scotia, Canada. (See Note 1 below.)	Canada
MT&T Mobility Inc.	Provides cellular, PCS, and international telecommunications services in Nova Scotia, Canada. (See Note 1 below.)	Canada
NBTel Inc.	Provides local, long distance, international, wireless, and high speed data services in New Brunswick, Canada. (See Note 1 below.)	Canada
NewTel Mobility Limited	Provides wireless services in Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada.	Canada

NewTel Communications Inc.	Provides local, long distance, and international services in	Canada
	Newfoundland and Labrador, Canada. (See Note 1 below.)	
NorTel Mobility Inc.	Provides cellular services in Northeastern Ontario, Canada.	Canada
Northern Telephone Limited	Provides local telephone service in Northeastern Ontario, Canada	Canada
Northwestel Inc.	Provides local and long distance services in the Yukon and	Canada
	Northwest Territories and British Colombia, Canada	and the second second
Northwestel Mobility Inc.	Provides the wireless services in the Yukon and Northwest	Canada
	Territories and British Colombia, Canada.	11.11.11.11
Occidente y Caribe Celular S.A. (Occel)	Provides cellular services in the western region of Colombia	Colombia
SkyTel Communications Corporation	Provides airline passenger communication services	Canada
Stratos Wireless, Inc.	Provides mobile and fixed satellite services.	Canada
Tata Communications Limited (Tata)	Provides cellular services in the state of Andhra Pradesh, India	India
Télébec Itée	Provides local and long distance services in Québec, Canada.	Canada
Télébec Mobilité Inc.	Provides cellular and other wireless services in Québec, Canada.	Canada
Telefonia Inalambrica del Norte S.A. de C.V.	Holds a concession (1996 telephony license) to offer local and long	Mexico
	distance services in Mexico	
Telesat Canada	Provides space segment satellite service in Canada.	Canada
Telesat Serviços de Telecommunicação S.A.	Provides heavy route space segment services in Brazil.	Brazil
TMI Communications and Company, L.P.	Provides mobile satellite services,	Canada

Note 1: Some long distance services are provided on a nationwide basis in Canada in conjunction with other members of Stentor Canadian Network Management (Stentor), a working association of nine Canadian telephone companies and Telesat Canada (Telesat). The Stentor members are: BCT, TELUS Communications, Inc., Bell Canada, Island Telecom Inc., Maritime Tel & Tel Limited, MTS Communications Inc., NBTel Inc., NewTel Communications Inc., and Saskatchewan Telecommunications. Northwestel, Quèbec-Tèlèphone and Telesat are associate members of Stentor. Telesat is the owner/operator of the Canadian Domestic Satellite System.