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**BY HAND**

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Office of the Secretary  
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**Re: TRW Inc.'s Certification Concerning its Initial Ka-Band Satellite System Implementation Milestone (Call Sign S2258; FCC File Nos. SAT-LOA-19970904-00083 and SAT-AMD-19971222-00229)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Transmitted herewith on behalf of TRW Inc. ("TRW") is the original certification letter, submitted pursuant to Section 25.161(a) of the Commission's Rules, notifying the Commission that TRW has met its initial Ka-band satellite system implementation milestone. A facsimile copy of this letter was filed with the Commission yesterday, September 3, 2002.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter as indicated in the attached letter.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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**Re: Satisfaction of Initial Ka-Band Satellite System Implementation  
Milestone (Call Sign S2258; FCC File Nos. SAT-LOA-19970904-  
00083 and SAT-AMD-19971222-00229)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Consistent with the terms of Section 25.161(a) of the Commission's Rules (47 C.F.R. § 25.161(a)), TRW Inc. hereby certifies that it has satisfied the August 2002 system implementation milestone relating to its initial satellite in accordance with the terms of its Ka-band satellite authorization. *TRW Inc.*, 16 FCC Rcd 14407, at ¶ 30 (IB 2001).

Should there be any questions concerning this matter, please contact Peter Hadinger, Director of Telecom Strategy for TRW Space & Electronics, at (703) 276-5156, or TRW's Regulatory Counsel, Stephen Baruch, at (202) 429-8970.

Respectfully submitted,

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