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Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Re: ***Surrender of Space Station Authorization for DIRECTV RB-3***
IBFS File Nos. SAT-LOA-19970605-00049, SAT-AMD-20051118-00226,
SAT-AMD-20080114-00015, and SAT-AMD-20080321-00078 (Call Sign S2242)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

DIRECTV Enterprises, LLC ("DIRECTV") hereby surrenders the authorization issued by grant stamp on July 28, 2009 to launch and operate DIRECTV RB-3, a 17/24 GHz BSS satellite, at the nominal 107° W.L. orbital location.

Please direct any questions regarding this matter directly to the undersigned.

Sincerely yours,

William M. Wiltshire
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cc: Stephen Duall
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