Before the **Federal Communications Commission** Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of	
Intelsat License LLC	File No. SAT-AMD-
Application to Modify Authorization for Intelsat 905 (S2409)	

AMENDMENT TO APPLICATION OF INTELSAT LICENSE LLC TO MODIFY AUTHORIZATION FOR INTELSAT 905

Intelsat License LLC ("Intelsat"), pursuant to Section 25.116 of the rules of the Federal Communications Commission ("Commission" or "FCC"), hereby seeks to amend its application to modify the authorization for Intelsat 905 satellite (Call Sign S2409), a C- and Ku-band satellite operating at 24.5° W.L.² Specifically, pursuant to Commission staff's request, Intelsat is providing a Schedule S. All other information in the modification application remains unchanged and Intelsat incorporates by reference the information previously provided.

In accordance with the requirements of the Commission's rules,³ this application has been filed electronically as an attachment to FCC Form 312. Consistent with Section 1.62 of the Commission's rules,⁴ Intelsat will continue to operate the Intelsat 905 satellite pursuant to the

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 25.116.

See Policy Branch Information; Satellite Space Applications Accepted for Filing, Report No. SAT-01238, File No. SAT-MOD-20170502-00069 (May 19, 2017) (Public Notice).

³ 47 C.F.R. § 25.116(e).

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 1.62 (permitting continued operations by a licensee where there is a proper and timely pending application for renewal of the license).

terms and conditions of its expiring license until such time as the Commission makes a determination with respect to this request.

I. <u>CONCLUSION</u>

For the reasons set forth above, Intelsat respectfully requests that the Commission grant this application.

Respectfully submitted,

Intelsat License LLC

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Exhibit A

FCC Form 312, Response to Question 34: Foreign Ownership

The Commission previously approved foreign ownership in Intelsat License LLC ("Intelsat"), in the *Intelsat-Serafina Order*. In December 2009 and October 2011, the Commission also approved *pro forma* changes in Intelsat's foreign ownership. There have been no other material changes to Intelsat's foreign ownership since the date of the *Intelsat-Serafina Order*.

¹ Intelsat Holdings, Ltd. and Serafina Holdings Limited, Consolidated Application for Consent to Transfer of Control of Holders of Title II and Title III Authorizations, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 22 FCC Rcd 22,151 (2007).

² See Intelsat North America LLC, Intelsat LLC, PanAmSat Licensee Corp., PanAmSat H-2 Licensee Corp., and Intelsat New Dawn Company, Ltd., Applications for Pro Forma Transfer of Control, File Nos. SAT-T/C-20091125-00128, SAT-T/C-20091125-00124, SAT-T/C-20091125-00127, SAT-T/C-20091125-00125, SAT-T/C-20091125-0126, SES-T/C-20091125-01505, SES-T/C-20091125-01502, SES-T/C-20091125-01506, SES-T/C-20091125-01504 and SES-T/C-20091125-01503 (granted Dec. 3, 2009); Intelsat Application for Pro Forma Transfer of Control, File Nos. SAT-T/C-20110810-00160, SAT-T/C-20110811-00161, SES-T/C-20110812-00963 (granted Oct. 13, 2011), and 0004825139 (granted Oct. 19, 2011).

Exhibit B

FCC Form 312, Response to Question 36: Cancelled Authorizations

Intelsat License LLC ("Intelsat") has never had an FCC license "revoked." However, on June 26, 2000, the International Bureau "cancelled" two Ka-band satellite authorizations issued to a former Intelsat entity, PanAmSat Licensee Corp. ("PanAmSat"), based on the Bureau's finding that PanAmSat had not satisfied applicable construction milestones. In that same order, the Bureau denied related applications to modify the cancelled authorizations. PanAmSat filed an application for review of the Bureau's decision, which the Commission denied, and subsequently filed an appeal with the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit, which was dismissed in January 2003 at PanAmSat's request. Notwithstanding the fact that the Bureau's action does not seem to be the kind of revocation action contemplated by question 36, Intelsat is herein making note of the decision in the interest of absolute candor and out of an abundance of caution. In any event, the Bureau's action with respect to PanAmSat does not reflect on Intelsat's basic qualifications, which are well-established and a matter of public record.

All licenses previously held by PanAmSat Licensee Corp. have been assigned to Intelsat License LLC. *See* IBFS File Nos. SAT-ASG-20101203-00252 (granted Dec. 23, 2010), SES-ASG-20101203-0150 (granted Dec. 20, 2010), and SES-ASG-20101206-01502 (granted Dec. 20, 2010).

² See PanAmSat Licensee Corp., Memorandum Opinion and Order, 15 FCC Rcd 18720 (IB 2000).

Exhibit C FCC Form 312, Response to Question 40: Officers, Directors, and Ten Percent or Greater Shareholders

The officers and directors/managers of Intelsat License LLC are as follows:

Officers:

Jacques Kerrest, Chairman Franz Russ, Deputy Chairman Michelle Bryan, Secretary Mirjana Hervy, Director, Finance

Board of Managers:

Jacques Kerrest Franz Russ Michelle Bryan

The business address of all Intelsat License LLC officers and members of the Board of Managers is:

4 rue Albert Borschette L-1246 Luxembourg

Intelsat License LLC is a Delaware limited liability company that is wholly owned by Intelsat License Holdings LLC, also a Delaware limited liability company. Intelsat License Holdings LLC is wholly owned by Intelsat Jackson Holdings S.A., a Luxembourg company. Intelsat Jackson Holdings S.A. is wholly owned by Intelsat (Luxembourg) S.A., a Luxembourg company. Intelsat (Luxembourg) S.A. is wholly owned by Intelsat Investments S.A., a Luxembourg company. Intelsat Investments S.A. is wholly owned by Intelsat Holdings S.A., a Luxembourg company. Intelsat Holdings S.A. is wholly owned by Intelsat Investment Holdings S.à r.l., a Luxembourg company. Intelsat Investment Holdings S.à r.l. is wholly owned by Intelsat S.A., a Luxembourg company. Each of these entities may be contacted at the following address: 4 rue Albert Borschette, L-1246 Luxembourg.

Intelsat S.A.'s ownership was approved by the Commission as part of the *Intelsat-Serafina Order* and the recent Intelsat Pro Forma and is incorporated by reference. *See Intelsat Holdings, Ltd. and Serafina Holdings Limited, Consolidated Application for Consent to Transfer of Control of Holders of Title II and Title III Authorizations,* Memorandum Opinion and Order, 22 FCC Rcd 22,151 (2007) ("*Intelsat-Serafina Order*"); *Intelsat Application for Pro Forma Transfer of Control,* File Nos. SAT-T/C-20110810-00160, SAT-T/C-20110811-00161, SES-T/C-20110811-00948, SES-T/C-20110812-00963 (granted Oct. 13, 2011), and 0004825139 (granted Oct. 19, 2011) ("Intelsat Pro Forma"). On May 16, 2012, the International Bureau granted an application to transfer control of Intelsat pursuant to a public offering of newly issued voting shares by Intelsat, subsequent voting share sales by current shareholders and possible private placements of newly issued voting shares. *In the Matter of Intelsat Global Holdings, S.A., Applications to Transfer Control of Intelsat Licenses and Authorizations from BC Partners Holdings Limited to Public Ownership*, Order, 27 FCC Rcd 5,226 (IB 2012).. This change of control has not yet been fully consummated.