

August 7, 2020

Mr. Jose P. Albuquerque Chief, Satellite Division International Bureau Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, DC 20554

Re: New Spectrum Satellite, Ltd. IBFS File No. SAT-APL-20200526-00060 (Call Sign S3019) (Filed via MyIBFS)

Dear Mr. Albuquerque,

New Spectrum Satellite, Ltd. ("NSS") hereby responds to the Commission's letter of July 28, 2020, seeking clarification on two points arising out of NSS's Amendment to its Application filed May 26, 2020 ("Amendment Application"). Our responses are below.

- 1. Your letter asks: "Please clarify if New Spectrum intends to use the 12.75-13.25 GHz and 17.7-17.8 GHz bands, and if so provide an updated Schedule S." **Response**: NSS does not intend to use the 12.75-13.25 GHz or the 17.7-17.8 GHz bands. Thus, the Schedule S submitted with the Amendment Application does not need to be updated. Those frequencies were erroneously included in the Amendment Application because NSS had inadvertently included a Table in the Amendment Application from the original Application. Attached is a Corrected version of the Amendment Application that fixes that mistake, as well as a few other similar, non-substantive errors we detected in reviewing the Amendment Application in responding to your questions. For ease of your review, also attached is a chart that indicates what changes were made in the Corrected version from the original Amendment Application filed on May 26, 2020, and the reasons for the changes.
- 2. Your letter asks: "Given the redesign of the proposed NGSO FSS system, and that New

Spectrum does not incorporate by reference any portions of the initial petition, please clarify that only the information in the amendment is necessary to process New Spectrum's request for U.S. market access." **Response**: The Amendment Application (as corrected) should provide all of the required information necessary to process our request for U.S. market access, and it supersedes the original Application filed in 2017. We thus clarify that only the information in the Amendment Application is necessary to process NSS's request for market access.

As specified in the Commission's letter, this response is submitted on this 7th day of August, 2020. NSS requests that it be given the opportunity to supplement this submission, should the Commission determine that any additional information or clarifications are needed.

Respectfully submitted

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