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Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

Re: Telesat Canada

Telstar 12, Call Sign (S2642) Telstar 11, Call Sign (S2670)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Skynet Satellite Corporation, a subsidiary of Telesat (collectively, "Telesat"), hereby notifies the Commission that the Satellite Control Center ("SCC") for Telstar 11 and Telstar 12 is about to be relocated. It is anticipated that this change will be made on March 25, 2008.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> On October 31, 2007, Telesat acquired the assets of Loral Skynet Corporation. Upon consummation of the transaction, the authorizations held by Loral Skynet Corporation were transferred to Skynet Satellite Corporation. For convenience, this letter refers to Telesat rather than Loral Skynet Corporation or Skynet Satellite Corporation.

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The new SCC is located at 1601 Telesat Court, Gloucester, ON K1B 5P4. Telephone inquiries from the Commission concerning the health of the satellite should be directed to SCC personnel at (613) 747-6104. Telephone inquiries from the Commission concerning intersatellite interference issues should be directed to Telesat's Allan Park personnel at 519-364-1013.

There is no change in the earth stations used to provide tracking, telemetry, and control ("TT&C") to Telstar 11 and Telstar 12, which have been and will continue to be located in Mount Jackson, Virginia.<sup>2</sup> A terrestrial connection links the TT&C earth stations to the SCC. A satellite link is in the process of being established that will serve as a back-up to the terrestrial connection.

Please direct any questions concerning this filing to the undersigned.

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cc: Robert Nelson, FCC

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Mount Jackson is the site of the primary TT&C station. A back-up TT&C station is located in Allan Park, Ontario, Canada.