

Response to Question 34

Question 33 of Form 312 asks whether the applicant, Telesat Canada, is a corporation of which more than 25 percent of the capital stock is owned of record or voted by aliens or their representatives or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any corporation organized under the laws of a foreign country. The question is intended to ascertain whether the applicant complies with Section 310(b)(4) of the Communications Act, which establishes a 25 percent limit on foreign ownership for companies controlling the licensees of broadcast, common carrier, aeronautical *en route*, and aeronautical fixed licenses. Section 310(b)(4) is inapplicable to Telesat Canada's request, because the satellite is not an aeronautical *en route* or aeronautical fixed station and Telesat Canada does not propose to provide broadcast or common carrier service via the satellite.