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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Re: Orbital Debris Mitigation; SkyBridge L.L.C., Application
for Authority to Launch and Operate the SkyBridge
Satellite System – File Nos. SAT-LOA-19970228-00021;
SAT-AMD-19970703-00058; SAT-AMD-19980630-00056;
SAT-AMD-19990108-00004; SAT-AMD-20020917-00167;
SAT-AMD-20040719-00135; Call Sign S2241.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This letter is written on behalf of SkyBridge L.L.C. ("SkyBridge"), in response to: (1) a letter from Thomas Tycz to the undersigned, dated October 1, 2004 (the "FCC Letter");¹ and (2) subsequent telephone conversations with the Commission staff regarding the FCC Letter.

The FCC Letter requested that SkyBridge provide, by October 15, 2004, additional information regarding its orbital debris mitigation plan for the SkyBridge satellite system. However, as the result of conversations with the Commission staff, SkyBridge came to understand that the information requested need not be provided until 30 days after the effective date of the new, generally applicable rules governing

¹ Letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, to Jeffrey Olson, File Nos. SAT-LOA-19970228-00021; SAT-AMD-19970703-00058; SAT-AMD-19980630-00056; SAT-AMD-19990108-00004; SAT-AMD-20020917-00167; SAT-AMD-20040719-00135, dated October 1, 2004 (the "FCC Letter").