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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Re:

The Boeing Company

Authority For Use of the 1990-2025/2165-2200 MHz and Associated Frequency Bands for a Mobile-Satellite System

File Nos. SAT-MOD-20030711-00128, SAT-MOD-20020726-0013,

179-SAT-P/LA-97(16), 90-SAT-AMEND-98, SAT-LOA-19970926-00149,

SAT-AMD-19980318-00021

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Boeing Company ("Boeing"), through its attorneys and pursuant to Section 25.143(e)(3) of the Commission's rules, hereby provides its required certification that it has satisfied its second milestone for its 2 GHz MSS license by completing the Critical Design Review ("CDR") for its geosynchronous 2 GHz MSS satellite on July 17, 2003. The CDR documentation for Boeing's 2 GHz MSS satellite reflects the modified authorization that the Commission issued to Boeing on June 24, 2003,² as amended by Boeing's Application for Modification that was filed with the Commission on July 11, 2003.³

³ See The Boeing Company, Application For Modification of Authority For Use of the 1990-2025/2165-2200 MHz and Associated Frequency Bands for a Mobile-Satellite System, FCC File No. SAT-MOD-20030711-00128 (July 11, 2003).



¹ See 47 C.F.R. § 25.143(e)(3) (2002).

² See The Boeing Company, For Modification of Authority For Use of the 1990-2025/2165-2200 MHz and Associated Frequency Bands for a Mobile-Satellite System, DA 03-2073 (June 24, 2003).

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Please let us know if you have any questions. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

David A. Nall

Counsel for The Boeing Company

cc: Thomas Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division

Enclosure

AFFIDAVIT

The Boeing Company 2 GHz MSS Milestone Compliance

As required by Section 25.143(e)(3) of the Commission's rules,¹ I hereby certify that on July 17, 2003, The Boeing Company ("Boeing") satisfied its second milestone requirement for its 2 GHz Mobile-Satellite Service ("MSS") license² by completing, through its wholly owned subsidiary, Boeing Satellite Systems, the Critical Design Review ("CDR") for its 2 GHz MSS geosynchronous ("GSO") satellite.

By:

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¹ See 47 C.F.R. § 25.143(e)(3) (2002).

² See Application of The Boeing Company Concerning Use of the 1990-2025/2165-2200 MHz and Associated Frequency Bands for a Mobile-Satellite System, Order and Authorization, 16 FCC Rcd 13691 (2001); The Boeing Company, For Modification of Authority For Use of the 1990-2025/2165-2200 MHz and Associated Frequency Bands for a Mobile-Satellite System, DA 03-2073 (June 24, 2003).