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## VIA IBFS

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Ex Parte Letter File No. SAT-LOA-20151123-00078

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 22, 2016, Harrison Caudill, Jonathan Rosenblatt, and Spiro Sarris, each of Spire Global, Inc. ("Spire"), and Trey Hanbury and Tony Lin, counsel for Spire, participated in a conference call with Karl Kensinger, Deputy Division Chief of the International Bureau ("Bureau") Satellite Division. Spire requested that the Bureau modify the recent partial grant of the above application<sup>1</sup> to include additional authority for data downlink and telemetry, tracking and command (or TT&C) transmissions in the 402-403 MHz band (space-to-Earth), as requested in the application.<sup>2</sup>

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed electronically in the above-referenced proceeding.<sup>3</sup> Please direct any questions regarding this submission to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: (via email) Karl Kensinger

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See Stamp Grant, SAT-LOA-20151123-00078 (granted Mar. 18, 2016).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See, e.g., Application of Spire Global, Inc., Exhibit B, File No. SAT-LOA-20151123-00078 (filed Nov. 23, 2015) (identifying all the proposed frequency bands).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> On March 22, 2016, the Bureau, on its own motion, changed the status of the application proceeding to "permit-but-disclose."

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