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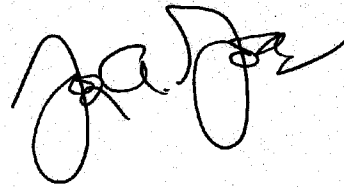
**Re: SAT-MOD-19961204-00139, SAT-AMD-20050816-00160, and
SAT-AMD-20051118-00236**
Ex parte filing

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 15, 2012, Mr. Thomas Tycz, representing Iridium, had a telephone conversation with Ms. Kathryn Medley and Mr. Sankar Persaud of the International Bureau, Satellite Division, that touched on matters relating to Iridium's above-referenced application for the provision of AMS(R)S. Mr. Tycz discussed the history of Iridium's request for authority to provide AMS(R)S, including the status of Iridium's application; RTCA's development of standards for the provision by Iridium of AMS(R)S; the history of the international coordination of Iridium's system; ICAO's approval and the FAA's authorization of the provision of AMS(R)S on Iridium's satellite system; and the areas covered by the ICAO and FAA actions.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter to the undersigned.

Sincerely,



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cc: Kathryn Medley
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