

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554

In the Matter of:

INTELSAT LLC

Further Amendment to Application to Modify Authorization to Operate, and to Further Construct, Launch, and Operate C-band and Ku-band Satellites that Form a Global Communications System in Geostationary Orbit

File Nos. SAT-A/O-200001 19-00013; SAT-AMD-20000119-00032; SAT-MOD-20010509-00034; SAT-MOD-200 1122 1 - 00143; **SAT-MOD-20020418-00063**; SAT-AMD-20020731-00146

File# SAT AMD-20020731-00146
SAT AMD-20020822-00159

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(or other identifier) With Attached Conditions

**Further Amendment to Application of Intelsat LLC
To Modification**

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International Bureau

From _____ To: _____
Approved: [Signature]

Intelsat LLC ("Intelsat"), pursuant to Section 25.116 of the Federal Communications

Commission's ("FCC" or "Commission") rules, hereby submits the following request to further amend the pending application for modification of its authorization for **INTELSAT 603**, which was submitted on April 18, 2002 ("Modification Application")¹ and amended on July 31, 2002 ("Amendment")². The Modification Application sought Commission approval to relocate **INTELSAT 603** from 24.5° W.L. to 178.0° E.L. The Amendment sought authorization to relocate **INTELSAT 603** from 24.5° W.L. to 20.0° W.L rather than to 178.0° E.L. By this Further Amendment, **Intelsat** seeks authorization to relocate **INTELSAT 603** to 19.95° W.L.

¹ See *Applications of Intelsat LLC To Modify Authorizations*, File No. SAT-MOD-20020418-00063 (filed April 18, 2002). The Modification Application was placed on Public Notice on April 24, 2002 and no comments were filed. See *Satellite Policy Branch Information, Applications Accepted for Filing*, Report No. SAT-00109 (April 24, 2002) (Public Notice).

² See *Amendment to Application of Intelsat LLC to Modify Authorization*, File No. SAT-AMD-20020731-00146 (filed July 31, 2002). The Amendment was placed on Public Notice on August 15, 2002. See *Policy Branch Information, Satellite Space Applications Accepted for Filing*, Report No. SAT-00117 (Aug. 15, 2002) (Public Notice).

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File Nos. SAT-MOD-20020418-00063

SAT-AMD-20020731-00146;

SAT-AMD-20020822-00159

Intelsat LLC was given special temporary authority, with conditions, to operate the INTELSAT 603 satellite at the 19.95" W.L. orbital location.¹ Today, we grant Intelsat LLC's request, as amended by its August 22, 2002 filing,² to modify its license and operate the INTELSAT 603 satellite at the 19.95" W.L. orbital location, subject to the following condition:

- 1) **Intelsat LLC will operate its INTELSAT 603 satellite in compliance with all existing coordination agreements.**

¹ See Request for Special Temporary Authority for *INTELSAT 603*, File No. SAT-STA-20020822-00150, (stamp grant by Jennifer Gilseman, Chief, Policy Branch, Satellite Division, on August 28, 2002).

² On April 18, 2002, Intelsat LLC filed a modification application (File No. SAT-MOD-20020418-00063) requesting authority to relocate the INTELSAT 603 satellite from 24.5" W.L. to 178" E.L. On July 31, 2002, Intelsat LLC filed an amendment (SAT-AMD-20020731-00146) to the underlying modification application requesting authority to relocate INTELSAT 603 from 24.5" W.L. to 20.0" W.L. rather than to 178.0" E.L. Intelsat LLC started drifting the INTELSAT 603 satellite and placed it at the 20.0" W.L. location on August 10, 2002, pursuant to the Special Temporary Authority granted verbally on August 1, 2002. On August 22, 2002, Intelsat LLC filed a further amendment ((SAT-AMD-20020822-00159) seeking authority to relocate the INTELSAT 603 satellite from 20.0" W.L. to 19.95" W.L.