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May 26, 2017

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Intelsat 701, Call Sign: S2400

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Intelsat License LLC ("Intelsat") hereby notifies the Commission that it has successfully de-orbited its Intelsat 701 satellite. De-orbit was completed on May 25, 2017. The final measured orbit of the Intelsat 701 satellite is 271.5 km above the geostationary arc, with an apogee and perigee of 264 km and 279 km above the arc, respectively. In the course of de-orbiting the satellite, Intelsat depleted the propellant tanks, discharged the batteries, disconnected the power from the bus, and shut off the transmitters.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned should you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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