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

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Federal Communications Commission Office of Secretary

Re:

File No. SAT-MOD-20050926-00182

Notice of Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Wednesday, April 19, 2006, Intelsat Global Service Corporation ("Intelsat") representatives Susan H. Crandall, Assistant General Counsel; Humberto Henriques, Director, Telecommunications Policy and Regulatory Affairs; and Ram Manohar, Department Manager, Frequency Management, met with representatives of the Commission's International Bureau. The Commission representatives were as follows: Andrea Kelly, Chief, Policy Branch; Kathyrn Medley, Acting Chief, Satellite Engineering Branch; Alyssa Roberts, Policy Branch; Steven Spaeth, Satellite Division; and Sylvia Lam, Engineering Branch.

The Intelsat representatives reiterated arguments made in the company's March 27, 2006 letter asking the Commission to dismiss, or deny, ICO's request to utilize conventional C-band frequencies for LEOP, transfer orbit, and emergency TT&C on an ICO satellite that ICO seeks to collocate with Intelsat's IA-6 satellite at the nominal 93° W.L. location. The Intelsat representatives also described a meeting that had taken place between Intelsat and ICO in early April, in which the operators had exchanged technical information about their respective satellites. The Intelsat representatives explained why ICO's proposed use of certain conventional C-band frequencies at the nominal 93° W.L. location would cause harmful interference into the telecommand and communications operations of IA-6. Finally, the Intelsat representatives identified potential center frequencies for ICO's telecommand carriers in the extended C-band, which, depending on the sense of polarization used, might ensure technical compatibility with collocated Intelsat satellites.

Consistent with Section 1.1206 of the FCC's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, an original and two copies of this letter are being filed for inclusion in the record of the above-referenced proceeding.

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If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

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