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Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary

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Marlene H. Dortch Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re:

Commencement of Operation of DIRECTV 10 and DIRECTV 11

(Call Signs S2641 and S2640)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to inform you that, in accordance with the authorizations granted by the Commission, (1) the DIRECTV 10 satellite (call sign S2641) was successfully placed into orbit and subsequently began commercial operations at the 102.775° W.L. orbital location on September 14, 2007; and (2) the DIRECTV 11 satellite (call sign S2640) was successfully placed into orbit and subsequently began commercial operations at the 99.225° W.L. orbital location on July 22, 2008.

If you have any questions, please direct them to me.

Sincerely yours,

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