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February 11, 2019

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

Re: Application to Modify Authorization for Galaxy 11; Call Sign S2253
File No. SAT-MOD-20181231-00095

Dear Ms. Dortch:

At the request of Federal Communications Commission (“Commission”) staff, Intelsat License LLC (“Intelsat”) hereby supplements its above-referenced Application. Specifically, Intelsat updates the Commission on a recent anomaly and revises the license extension term requested in the Application.

On January 18, 2019, Galaxy 11 experienced a position-control anomaly.¹ The anomaly has been corrected and the thrusters currently are working as expected. Further, the satellite’s subsystems and solar panels are functioning normally, and there are no single points of failure on Galaxy 11 that would result in an inability to de-orbit the satellite. Intelsat does not expect this event to affect the drift of Galaxy 11 or its future operations.²

Additionally, Intelsat revises its requested Galaxy 11 license term extension. Intelsat now seeks to extend the Galaxy 11 license term through December 2022.³ To the extent the satellite’s projected end of service life is extended in the future, Intelsat will seek an additional extension of the license term. All

¹ See Email from Vejon Cummings, Federal Communications Commission Operations Center, to Cynthia Grady, Intelsat US LLC (Jan. 18, 2019); Letter from Cynthia J. Grady, Intelsat US LLC, to Marlene H. Dortch, Federal Communications Commission (Jan. 18, 2019).

² See *Intelsat License LLC Modification of Authorization to Redeploy Galaxy 11 to 93.1 W.L., Add New Frequencies, and Extend License Term*, File No. SAT-MOD-20181231-00095 (filed Dec. 31, 2018); *Intelsat License LLC Request for Special Temporary Authority to Drift Galaxy 11 to 93.1 W.L.*, File No. SAT-STA-20190204-00004 (filed Feb. 2, 2019).

³ In its Application, Intelsat sought to extend the license term of Galaxy 11 through July 2025 to accommodate the satellite’s inclined-orbit operations.

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other information in the above-referenced Application remains unchanged.

Please direct any further questions regarding this supplement to the undersigned at (703) 559-6949.

Sincerely,

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