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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Notification of Inclined Orbit Operations of EUTELSAT 133WA;
File No. SAT-PPL-20180302-00018, Call Sign S3031**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Eutelsat S.A. (“Eutelsat”), pursuant to Section 25.280(a) of the Commission’s rules, 47 C.F.R. § 25.280(a), and Condition 15 of the U.S. market access grant for the EUTELSAT 133WA satellite,¹ we hereby advise the Commission:

- EUTELSAT 133WA arrived at the nominal 133° W.L. orbit location on September 1, 2018;
- EUTELSAT 133WA currently operates at an inclination of 0.5°, which is expected to increase at a rate of 0.87° per year; and
- EUTELSAT 133WA’s end-of-life is expected to be no earlier than October 2022, and the satellite will operate at the nominal 133°WL orbit location in accordance with the limitations included in Eutelsat’s U.S. market access grant.

The inclined orbit operations will not affect the EUTELSAT 133WA satellite’s expected end-of-life operations and disposal plan provided to the Commission.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Carlos M. Nalda". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Carlos M. Nalda
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On behalf of Eutelsat S.A.

cc: Stephen Duall, FCC International Bureau

¹ Eutelsat, S.A., *Grant of Petition for Declaratory Ruling*, File No. SAT-PPL-20180302-00018, Call Sign S3031 (August 16, 2018).