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Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation
File No. SAT-MS-20040210-00027

On May 18, 2004, Alan Auckenthaler, General Counsel, Inmarsat Ventures Limited ("Inmarsat"), and John Janka and Alex Hoehn-Saric of Latham & Watkins received a call from Neil Dellar of the Office of General Counsel and Stephen Duall of the International Bureau. During the call, the participants discussed facts of record regarding the transaction by which the ownership interests of Inmarsat's former Signatories were diluted and whether Inmarsat should file additional background material regarding the transaction.

If you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,


Alex Hoehn-Saric

cc: Neil Dellar
Stephen Duall

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