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Mr. Thomas S. Tycz  
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Federal Communications Commission  
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Washington, DC 20554

Dear Mr. Tycz:

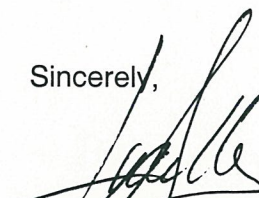
I write on behalf of Satelites Mexicanos, S.A. de C.V. ("Satmex"<sup>1</sup>) to request that the FCC add the following Satmex satelites to the "Permitted Space Station List" to enable all authorized ALSAT-designated U.S earth stations to communicate with these satellites, pursuant to the Commission's recent order creating such a list<sup>2</sup>:

- 1.- Solidaridad 1 at 109.2° W:L:
- 2.- Solidaridad 2 at 113.0° WL
- 3.- Satmex 5 (Morelos 2R) at 116.8° W.L.

All of the satellites listed above have already been coordinated with the U.S. and have been granted access to the U.S. market<sup>3</sup> via prior FCC earth station authorizations.<sup>4</sup>

Thank you for your prompt attention to our request.

Sincerely,



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General Counsel

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<sup>1</sup> Loral Space & Communications Ltd. ("Loral") and Principia, S.A. de C.V., a Mexican company, together acquired 75 percent of the outstanding capital stock of Satmex in 1997.

<sup>2</sup> In re Amendment of the Commission's Regulatory Polices to Allow Non-U.S. Licensed Space Stations to Provide domestic and International Satellite Service in the United States, First Order on Reconsideration, IB Docket No. 96-111 (rel. Oct. 29, 1999).

<sup>3</sup> For Satmex 5 authorizations see e.g., File Nos. SES-MOD-19990401-00537, SES-MOD-19990401-00539, SES-MOD-19990401-00544; For Solidaridad 1 & 2 see e.g., PN Rep. No. DS-1864 (Jul. 29, 1998) (File Nos. 796-DSE-P/L-98; 78-DSE-MP/L-98; 618-DSE-MP/L-98)

<sup>4</sup> According with article IV, paragraph 1.1. of the Agreement Between the Government of the United Mexican States and the Government of the United States of America Concerning the Transmission and Reception of Signals from Satellites for the Provision of Satellite services to Users in the United Mexican States and the United States of America, signed April 28, 1996.