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

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Federal Communications Commission  
Office of Secretary

**RE: File Nos. SAT-PDR-20020425-00071 *et al.*  
Notification of SES Americom, Inc. and Columbia  
Communications Corp. pursuant to Section 1.65**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

SES Americom, Inc. ("SES Americom") and Columbia Communications Corp. ("Columbia"), by their attorneys and pursuant to Section 1.65 of the Commission's rules, hereby update their pending space station applications to reflect recent changes in the ownership of their parent company, SES Global S.A. These changes affect the information previously provided in the pending proceedings in exhibits to FCC Form 312. Revised exhibits for SES Americom and Columbia are attached to this letter, along with a list of the affected applications.

Please direct any questions regarding this submission to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Karis A. Hastings  
Counsel for SES Americom, Inc. and  
Columbia Communications Corp.

Attachments

PENDING SPACE STATION APPLICATIONS

SES AMERICOM INC.

SAT-PDR-20020425-00071

COLUMBIA COMMUNICATIONS CORP.

SAT-MOD-20020517-00078

SAT-MOD-20020517-00079

SAT-AMD-20030801-00140

SAT-AMD-20040429-00087

SAT-AMD-20040826-00161

**ALIEN OWNERSHIP**  
**(Response to Item 34)**

The applicant, SES Americom, Inc. ("SES Americom"), is a wholly-owned, indirect subsidiary of SES Global S.A. ("SES Global"), a Luxembourg company. Non-U.S. citizens hold an economic interest of approximately 70% and voting power of approximately 80% in SES Global.

Currently, the major non-U.S. shareholders of SES Global are:

Banque et Caisse d'Epargne de l'Etat ("BCEE") and Société Nationale de Crédit et d'Investissement ("SNCI"), each of which is an institution created by act of the Luxembourg Parliament and 100% owned by the State of Luxembourg, own shares of SES Global, as does the State of Luxembourg. Together, the State and these two institutions own a combined total economic interest of 16.67% and voting power of 34.90% in SES Global. The principal business of both BCEE and SNCI is financial services.

The remaining shares of SES Global owned by non-U.S. holders are held either directly or through Fiduciary Depositary Receipts ("FDRs") traded on the Paris and Luxembourg stock exchanges.<sup>1</sup> These holdings constitute approximately 53% of the economic interest and 44% of the voting interest.

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<sup>1</sup> SES Global has de-listed its FDRs from the Frankfurt stock exchange effective December 7, 2004.

**LIST OF STOCKHOLDERS, OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS**  
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The applicant, SES Americom, Inc. ("SES Americom"), is an indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of SES Global S.A. ("SES Global"). SES Global-Americas, Inc. and four wholly-owned subsidiaries of SES Global-Americas, Inc. (SES Subsidiary Inc. 23, SES Subsidiary Inc. 24, SES Subsidiary Inc. 25 and SES Subsidiary Inc. 26) together directly hold 100% of the capital stock of SES Americom. SES Global Americas Holdings GP, a Delaware general partnership that is wholly owned by SES Global, holds 100% of the capital stock of SES Global-Americas, Inc. With the exception of SES Global, all of these entities are U.S. corporations or partnerships.

SES Global is a Luxembourg company, formed for the purpose of holding indirectly 100% of the shares of SES Americom and directly 100% of the shares of SES ASTRA (formerly Société Européenne des Satellites S.A.), as well as other non-European and non-U.S. satellite interests that were formerly owned by SES Americom and SES ASTRA. Through its subsidiaries and affiliates, SES Global engages in the provision of satellite services in North and South America, Europe and Asia.

SES Global has offices at L-6815 Château de Betzdorf, Luxembourg. The address of the intermediary holding companies is 4 Research Way, Princeton, NJ 08540.

The directors of SES Americom are:

Romain Bausch  
Robert Bednarek  
Ferdinand Kayser  
Mark Rigolle  
René Steichen

The address of Messrs. Bausch, Bednarek, Steichen, Rigolle and Kayser is SES Global S.A., L-6815 Château de Betzdorf, Luxembourg. Mr. Bednarek is a U.S. national; Messrs. Bausch, Steichen and Kayser are Luxembourg nationals; and Mr. Rigolle is a Belgian and British national.

The officers of SES Americom are:

NAME	TITLE
Paula Fairley	Senior Vice President
Andreas M. Georghiou	Senior Vice President
Anders Johnson	Senior Vice President
Robert J. Kisilywicz	Senior Vice President/CFO
Bryan McGuirk	Senior Vice President
Brent Bruun	Senior Vice President
Michael Agostinelli	Vice President
William Berman	Vice President
Carl Capista	Vice President
Cynthia Dickins	Vice President
Nancy J. Eskenazi	Vice President/Assistant Secretary
Peter Gustafson	Vice President
Daniel J. Harel	Vice President
Richard A. Langhans	Vice President
David J. Lidstone	Vice President/Assistant Secretary
Monica Morgan	Vice President
Sergy Mummert	Vice President
John A. Nelsen	Vice President
Michael J. Noon	Vice President
Maureen Offord	Vice President
Orlando Skelton	Vice President
Elias Zaccack	Vice President
Steve Corda	Vice President
Stanley Konopka	Assistant Treasurer - Taxes
Hanaa Nasr	Assistant Treasurer - Taxes

The address of all the officers is SES Americom, Inc., 4 Research Way, Princeton, NJ 08540. All of the officers are U.S. nationals.

The names, addresses, and citizenship of stockholders owning of record and/or voting 10 percent or more of SES Global's voting stock are:

1. General Electric Capital Corporation ("GE Capital") holds shares of SES Global representing an economic interest of 30.73% and voting power of 20.10%. GE Capital is a corporation organized under the laws of New York. GE Capital engages in a broad spectrum of financial services, including distribution, sales financing, commercial and industrial financing, real estate, transportation and reinsurance. GE Capital's address is as follows:



General Electric Capital Corporation  
260 Long Ridge Road  
Stamford, CT 06927

2. The State of Luxembourg and Banque et Caisse d'Epargne de l'Etat ("BCEE") and Société Nationale de Crédit et d'Investissement ("SNCI"), each of which is an institution created by act of the Luxembourg Parliament and 100% owned by the State of Luxembourg, hold shares of SES Global, representing a combined total economic interest of 16.67% and voting power of 34.90%. The principal business of both BCEE and SNCI is financial services. The addresses of BCEE and SNCI are as follows:

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The address for the State of Luxembourg is Ministry of State, 4 rue de la Congrégation, L-2910, Luxembourg.

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The directors of Columbia are Romain Bausch and Robert J. Kisilywicz. The address of Mr. Bausch is SES Global S.A., L-6815 Château de Betzdorf, Luxembourg. The address of Mr. Kisilywicz is Columbia Communications Corporation, 4 Research Way, Princeton, NJ 08540. Mr. Kisilywicz is a U.S. national. Mr. Bausch is a Luxembourg national.

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Robert J. Kisilywicz	Vice President
Stanley Konopka	Assistant Treasurer – Taxes
Hanaa Nasr	Assistant Treasurer – Taxes
David J. Lidstone	Acting Secretary
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