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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
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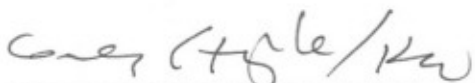
Re: *Inmarsat Global Limited, Petition for Declaratory Ruling to Provide Mobile Satellite Service to the United States Using the 2 GHz and Extended Ku-bands, FCC File Nos. SAT-PPL-20050926-00184, SAT-PDR-20050926-00184, SAT-AMD-20051116-00221*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

TMI Communications and Company Limited Partnership and its affiliate, TerreStar Networks Inc. (collectively, "TMI/TerreStar")¹ hereby oppose the petition for reconsideration of the dismissal of the above-captioned application filed on January 9, 2006 by Inmarsat Global Limited ("Inmarsat"). The substantive reasons for TMI/TerreStar's opposition will be consolidated with its opposition to Inmarsat's petition for reconsideration of the decision in IB Dockets 05-220 and 05-221, which, pursuant to a public notice released by the Commission on January 23, 2006, will be due for filing after publication of the decision at issue in the Federal Register. This opposition is merely being filed out of an abundance of caution.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions concerning this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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¹ TerreStar is the prospective assignee of TMI's 2 GHz MSS authorization and has contracted with Space Systems/Loral Inc. for a satellite that will operate in this band.