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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
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Re: Telesat Canada, Notification of Milestone Completion for Anik F3; File No. SAT-PPL-20060516-00061; Call Sign S2703

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Telesat Canada ("Telesat"), by its attorney, hereby notifies the Commission that all milestones for the Anik F3 satellite¹ have been satisfied. By letter of February 14, 2007, Telesat informed the Commission that three of these four milestones had been completed.² In compliance with the fourth and final milestone, the Anik F3 satellite was successfully launched from the Baikonur Cosmodrome in Kazakhstan on April 10, 2007, and commenced operations from its authorized orbital location at 118.7° W.L. on April 30, 2007.³ Telesat has therefore satisfied all milestones for the Anik F3 satellite.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ On January 19, 2007, the Commission granted Telesat's request for a declaratory ruling to add the C- and Ku-band payloads of Anik F3 to the Commission's Permitted Space Station List ("Permitted List"). *Telesat Canada Petition for Declaratory Ruling for Inclusion of ANIK F3 on the Permitted Space Station List*, Order, File No. SAT-PPL-20060516-00061, DA 07-118 (January 19, 2007).

² See Letter from Jennifer D. Hindin, Counsel for Telesat Canada, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Re: Telesat Canada, Notification of Milestone Completion for Anik F3; File No. SAT-PPL-20060516-00061; Call Sign S2703 (filed Feb. 14, 2007).

³ See Letter from Pantelis Machalopoulos, Counsel for EchoStar Satellite L.L.C. to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, Re: Release from Performance Bond for Satisfaction of Launch-and-Operate Milestone; File Nos. SES-LFS-20040831-01253 and SES-LIC-20050621-00799 (filed May 2, 2007).