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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Permitted Space Station List Name Change Request – SATMEX 8;  
File No. SAT-PPL-20120823-00140**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Satélites Mexicanos, S.A. de C.V. (formerly “Satmex,” now operating as “Eutelsat Americas”) respectfully requests that the SATMEX 8 space station name on the Permitted Space Station List be changed to “Eutelsat 117 West A” (“E117WA”) to reflect its acquisition by Eutelsat Communications (“Eutelsat”).<sup>1</sup>

Updating the SATMEX 8 space station name as requested herein will more accurately align its name with the nomenclature of the Eutelsat fleet, ensure brand consistency and avoid commercial confusion, and establish uniform designations for present and future Eutelsat Americas’ satellites.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> See File No. SAT-PPL-20131120-00137.