

**Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of )  
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Inmarsat plc Petition for Declaratory Ruling to )  
Modify ISAT List with Respect to Inmarsat-4 ) SAT-PDR-\_\_\_\_\_  
F3 at 98° W.L. )  
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**PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RULING**

Pursuant to Section 25.137(d) of the Commission’s rules, 47 C.F.R. § 25.137(d) and the Commission’s order establishing the ISAT List,<sup>1</sup> Inmarsat plc (“Inmarsat”) seeks to modify the ISAT List to specify the location of the Inmarsat-4 F3 satellite (“I4F3”) to be 98.0° W.L. I4F3 currently is identified in the ISAT List as being located at the nominal 98° W.L. location, with an offset to 97.65° W.L. to avoid overlapping the station-keeping volume of the Inmarsat-2 F2 spacecraft that was previously located at 98.0° W.L.<sup>2</sup>

I4F3 originally was placed on the ISAT List to reflect the grant of authority for earth stations KA25 and E080059 to communicate with that spacecraft. Inmarsat currently has applications pending to modify the authorizations for those earth stations to reflect the operation of I4F3 at 98° W.L. with no station-keeping offset, as well as related requests for STA. Inmarsat respectfully requests that the ISAT List maintained by the Commission with respect to Inmarsat’s L band satellite operations (1525-1559 MHz, 1626.5-1660.5 MHz) be updated upon the grant of those earth station applications. Grant of this Petition for Declaratory Ruling would

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<sup>1</sup> See 47 C.F.R. § 25.137(d); *Inmarsat, Inc. Request to Streamline Licensing of L-band Mobile-Satellite Service Terminals Using Inmarsat Satellites as Points of Communication*, Order, 23 FCC Rcd 15268 (2008).

<sup>2</sup> See IBFS File No. SES-AFS-20080915-01200.

serve the public interest by conforming the ISAT list to the earth station authorizations that underlie that list.

Respectfully submitted,

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