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APPLICATION FOR SATELLITE SPACE STATION AUTHORIZATIONS FCC 312 MAIN FORM FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY	FCC Use Only
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**APPLICANT INFORMATION**

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Intelsat - IA-9 - Application to Replace T-4 at 77 Degrees W.L.

1-8. Legal Name of Applicant			
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Robert G. Nelson Satellite  
Division

**Attachment**  
**Conditions of Authorization**  
**IBFS File Nos.: SAT-RPL-20041015-00201**  
**SAT-AMD-20050621-00131**  
**SAT-AMD-20051118-00237**  
**SAT-AMD-20060407-00040**  
**INTELSAT AMERICAS-9 (IA-9)**  
**Call Sign S2647**  
**December 1, 2006**

Intelsat North America LLC's (Intelsat North America) request, File No. SAT-RPL-20041015-00201, as amended by SAT-AMD-20050621-00131, SAT-AMD-20051118-00237, and SAT-AMD-20060407-00040, IS GRANTED. Accordingly, Intelsat North America is AUTHORIZED to operate the IA-9 satellite in the C-band (5925-6425 MHz and 3700 – 4200 MHz), and Ku-band (14.0-14.5 GHz and 11.7-12.2 GHz) frequencies at the 97° W.L. orbital location, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and technical specifications set forth in its application, this Attachment and the Federal Communications Commission's (Commission) Rules.

1. Intelsat North America shall operate the IA-9 satellite at the 97° W.L orbital location in compliance with all existing coordination agreements for that location.
2. Intelsat North America shall prepare the necessary information, as may be required, for submission to the International Telecommunication Union (ITU) to initiate and complete the advance publication, international coordination, due diligence, and notification process of this space station, in accordance with the ITU Radio Regulations. Intelsat shall be held responsible for all cost-recovery fees associated with these ITU filings. We also note that no protection from interference caused by radio stations authorized by other administrations is guaranteed unless coordination and notification procedures are timely completed or, with respect to individual administrations, by successfully completing coordination agreements. Any radio station authorization for which coordination has not been completed may be subject to additional terms and conditions as required to effect coordination of the frequency assignments of other administrations. See 47 C.F.R. §25.111(b).
3. The license term for the space station is 15 years and will begin on the date Intelsat North America certifies to the Commission that the satellite has been successfully placed into orbit and its operation fully conforms to the terms and conditions of this authorization.
4. This action is issued pursuant to Section 0.261 of the Commission's rules on delegated authority, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261, and is effective upon release. Petitions for reconsideration under Section 1.106 or applications for review under Section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.106, 1.115, may be filed within 30 days of the date of the public notice indicating that this action was taken.

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*Mr. Robert C. Nelson*      *Chief Satellite Division*

9-16. Name of Contact Representative (If other than applicant)

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Contact Title:	Partner	Relationship:	Legal Counsel

CLASSIFICATION OF FILING

17. Choose the button next to the classification that applies to this filing for both questions a. and b. Choose only one for 17a and only one for 17b.

a.

- (N/A) a1. Earth Station  
 a2. Space Station

b.

- b1. Application for License of New Station  
(N/A) b2. Application for Registration of New Domestic Receive-Only Station  
(N/A) b3. Amendment to a Pending Application  
(N/A) b4. Modification of License or Registration  
(N/A) b5. Assignment of License or Registration  
(N/A) b6. Transfer of Control of License or Registration  
(N/A) b7. Notification of Minor Modification  
(N/A) b8. Application for License of New Receive-Only Station Using Non-U.S. Licensed Satellite
- b9. Letter of Intent to Use Non-U.S. Licensed Satellite to Provide Service in the United States  
 b10. Replacement Satellite Application – no new frequency bands  
 b11. Replacement Satellite Application – new frequency bands (Not eligible for streamlined processing)  
 b12. Petition for Declaratory Ruling to be Added to the Permitted List  
(N/A) b13. Other (Please specify)



TYPE OF SERVICE

20. NATURE OF SERVICE: This filing is for an authorization to provide or use the following type(s) of service(s): Select all that apply:	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. Fixed Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> b. Mobile Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> c. Radiodetermination Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> d. Earth Exploration Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> e. Direct to Home Fixed Satellite <input type="checkbox"/> f. Digital Audio Radio Service <input type="checkbox"/> g. Other (please specify)	
21. STATUS: Choose the button next to the applicable status. Choose only one. <input checked="" type="radio"/> Common Carrier <input type="radio"/> Non-Common Carrier	22. If earth station applicant, check all that apply. Not Applicable
23. If applicant is providing INTERNATIONAL COMMON CARRIER service, see instructions regarding Sec. 214 filings. Choose one. Are these facilities: <input type="radio"/> Connected to a Public Switched Network <input type="radio"/> Not connected to a Public Switched Network <input checked="" type="radio"/> N/A	
24. FREQUENCY BAND(S): Place an "X" in the box(es) next to all applicable frequency band(s). <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> a. C-Band (4/6 GHz) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> b. Ku-Band (12/14 GHz) <input type="checkbox"/> c. Other (Please specify upper and lower frequencies in MHz.) Frequency Lower:   Frequency Upper: (Please specify additional frequencies in an attachment)	

**TYPE OF STATION**

25. CLASS OF STATION: Choose the button next to the class of station that applies. Choose only one.

- (N/A) a. Fixed Earth Station
- (N/A) b. Temporary-Fixed Earth Station
- (N/A) c. 12/14 GHz VSAT Network
- (N/A) d. Mobile Earth Station
- e. Geostationary Space Station.
- f. Non-Geostationary Space Station
- g. Other (please specify)

26. TYPE OF EARTH STATION FACILITY: Not Applicable

**PURPOSE OF MODIFICATION**

27. The purpose of this proposed modification is to: (Place an "X" in the box(es) next to all that apply.) Not Applicable

**ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY**

28. Would a Commission grant of any proposal in this application or amendment have a significant environmental impact as defined by 47 CFR 1.1307? If YES, submit the statement as required by Sections 1.1308 and 1.1311 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1308 and 1.1311, as an exhibit to this application. A Radiation Hazard Study must accompany all applications for new transmitting facilities, major modifications, or major amendments.

Yes  No  
Exhibit A

**ALIEN OWNERSHIP**

Earth station applicants not proposing to provide broadcast, common carrier, aeronautical en route or aeronautical fixed radio station services are not required to respond to Items 30-34.

<p>29. Is the applicant a foreign government or the representative of any foreign government?</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A</p>
<p>30. Is the applicant an alien or the representative of an alien?</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A</p>
<p>31. Is the applicant a corporation organized under the laws of any foreign government?</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A</p>
<p>32. Is the applicant a corporation of which more than one-fifth of the capital stock is owned of record or voted by aliens or their representatives or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any corporation organized under the laws of a foreign country?</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A</p>
<p>33. Is the applicant a corporation directly or indirectly controlled by any other corporation of which more than one-fourth of the capital stock is owned of record or voted by aliens, their representatives, or by a foreign government or representative thereof or by any corporation organized under the laws of a foreign country?</p>	<p><input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No <input type="radio"/> N/A</p>
<p>34. If any answer to questions 29, 30, 31, 32 and/or 33 is Yes, attach as an exhibit an identification of the aliens or foreign entities, their nationality, their relationship to the applicant, and the percentage of stock they own or vote. <span style="float: right;">Exhibit B</span></p>	

**BASIC QUALIFICATIONS**

<p>35. Does the Applicant request any waivers or exemptions from any of the Commission's Rules? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, copies of the requests for waivers or exceptions with supporting documents.</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>
<p>36. Has the applicant or any party to this application or amendment had any FCC station authorization or license revoked or had any application for an initial, modification or renewal of FCC station authorization, license, or construction permit denied by the Commission? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explanation of circumstances.</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>
<p>37. Has the applicant, or any party to this application or amendment, or any party directly or indirectly controlling the applicant ever been convicted of a felony by any state or federal court? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explanation of circumstances.</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>
<p>38. Has any court finally adjudged the applicant, or any person directly or indirectly controlling the applicant, guilty of unlawfully monopolizing or attempting unlawfully to monopolize radio communication, directly or indirectly, through control of manufacture or sale of radio apparatus, exclusive traffic arrangement or any other means or unfair methods of competition? If Yes, attach as an exhibit, an explanation of circumstances</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>
<p>39. Is the applicant, or any person directly or indirectly controlling the applicant, currently a party in any pending matter referred to in the preceding two items? If yes, attach as an exhibit, an explanation of the circumstances.</p>	<p><input type="radio"/> Yes <input checked="" type="radio"/> No</p>



40. If the applicant is a corporation and is applying for a space station license, attach as an exhibit the names, address, and citizenship of those stockholders owning a record and/or voting 10 percent or more of the Filer's voting stock and the percentages so held. In the case of fiduciary control, indicate the beneficiary(ies) or class of beneficiaries. Also list the names and addresses of the officers and directors of the Filer. Exhibit C

41. By checking Yes, the undersigned certifies, that neither applicant nor any other party to the application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862, because of a conviction for possession or distribution of a controlled substance. See 47 CFR 1.2002(b) for the meaning of "party to the application"; for these purposes.  Yes  No

42a. Does the applicant intend to use a non-U.S. licensed satellite to provide service in the United States? If Yes, answer 42b and attach an exhibit providing the information specified in 47 C.F.R. 25.137, as appropriate. If No, proceed to question 43.  Yes  No

42b. What administration has licensed or is in the process of licensing the space station? If no license will be issued, what administration has coordinated or is in the process of coordinating the space station?

43. Description. (Summarize the nature of the application and the services to be provided). (If the complete description does not appear in this box, please go to the end of the form to view it in its entirety.)

Intelsat North America hereby applies to launch and operate a replacement C/Ku-band satellite, to be known as IA-9, at the 77 degree W.L. orbital location. Intelsat North America also seeks a declaratory ruling that its acquisition of this replacement authorization complies with the foreign ownership requirements of Section 310(b)(4) of the

Legal Narrative

#### CERTIFICATION

The Applicant waives any claim to the use of any particular frequency or of the electromagnetic spectrum as against the regulatory power of the United States because of the previous use of the same, whether by license or otherwise, and requests an authorization in accordance with this application. The applicant certifies that grant of this application would not cause the applicant to be in violation of the spectrum aggregation limit in 47 CFR Part 20. All statements made in exhibits are a material part hereof and are incorporated herein as if set out in full in this application. The undersigned, individually and for the applicant, hereby certifies that all statements made in this application and in all attached exhibits are true, complete and correct to the best of his or her knowledge and belief, and are made in good faith.

44. Applicant is a (an): (Choose the button next to applicable response.)

- Individual
- Unincorporated Association
- Partnership
- Corporation
- Governmental Entity
- Other (please specify)      Limited Liability Company

45. Name of Person Signing  
Patrick J. Cerra

46. Title of Person Signing  
Vice President

47. Please supply any need attachments.		
1:	2:	3:
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