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(3) PAYOR NAME (If paying by credit card, enter name exactly as it appears on your card)  
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(4) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 1  
295 North Maple Avenue

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(5) STREET ADDRESS LINE NO. 2  
Room 3236B1

(6) CITY  
Basking Ridge

(7) STATE NJ (8) ZIP CODE 07920

(9) DAYTIME TELEPHONE NUMBER (Include area code)  
908-221-6384

(10) COUNTRY CODE (if not U.S.A.)

**ITEM #1 INFORMATION**

(11A) NAME OF APPLICANT, LICENSEE, REGULATEE, OR DEBTOR AT&T Corp.	FCC USE ONLY
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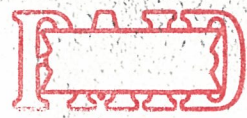
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July 16, 1996

BY OVERNIGHT

Federal Communications Commission  
International Bureau Satellites  
P.O. Box 358210  
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15251-5210

Re: TELSTAR 303 Domestic Fixed Satellite Service:  
Application for Special Temporary Authority

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is our Application for Special Temporary Authority to Allow the TELSTAR 303 Domestic-Fixed Satellite to Continue to Operate in an Inclined Orbit Mode. Also enclosed is the FCC Remittance Advice Form 159 with appropriate credit card information for payment of the \$575 filing fee.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this document by date-stamping the extra copy and returning it in the self-addressed envelope.

Very truly yours,

*R. V. Bernstein /rv*

Enclosures

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Washington, D.C. 20554

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Satellite Policy Branch  
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Application for Special Temporary Authority )  
to Allow the TELSTAR 303 Domestic-Fixed )  
Satellite to Continue to Operate in an )  
Inclined Orbit Mode )  
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AT&T APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

AT&T Corp. ("AT&T"), pursuant to Sections 214, 308 and 309 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 214, 308 and 309, hereby requests the Commission to grant further Special Temporary Authority ("STA") to allow AT&T to continue to operate the TELSTAR 303 domestic-fixed satellite in an inclined orbit mode for an additional period of 6 months.<sup>1</sup> AT&T makes this request for all the reasons and subject to the same conditions set

<sup>1</sup> The Commission has previously granted STAs to AT&T and other carriers who have requested permission to operate their satellites in an inclined orbit mode and beyond their original license term. See, e.g., Comsat General Corporation, 4 FCC Rcd. 3820, 3821 (¶¶ 8-9) (1989) ("Comsat Maneuver Order").

forth in its previous application for an STA for Telstar 303, dated March 1, 1996.

AT&T's current STA for TELSTAR 303 will expire on August 7, 1996.<sup>2</sup>

TELSTAR 303 has been operating successfully in inclined orbit at 120 degrees W.L. since July 14, 1996. With continued inclined orbit operation, AT&T currently estimates that the in-orbit life of TELSTAR 303 could last through December 1997.

Grant of this application is in the public interest in that it will enable AT&T to meet satellite customers' needs, will not result in adverse interference to the operations of adjacent satellites, and will make available C-band transponder capacity during the current industry-wide capacity shortage. AT&T requests expeditious action on this application because its current STA expires on August 7, 1996.

Respectfully submitted,

AT&T CORP.

By 

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July 16, 1996

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<sup>2</sup> Pursuant to authority granted AT&T, effective at the end of the most recent STA, viz. February 7, 1996.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Karen L. Reilly, hereby certify that the foregoing "AT&T Application for Special Temporary Authority to Allow the TELSTAR 303 Domestic-Fixed Satellite to Continue to Operate in an Inclined Orbit Mode" was hand delivered this 16th day of July, 1996, to the following:

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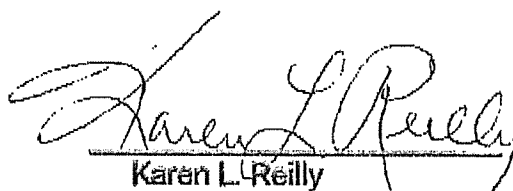
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