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**Re: Commencement of Drift of Satcom C-4
File No. SAT-STA-20060302-00018, Call Sign S2446**

Dear Mr. Nelson:

SES Americom, Inc. ("SES Americom"), by its attorneys, hereby notifies the Commission that pursuant to authority granted in the above-referenced proceeding, SES Americom on May 15, 2006 commenced drifting Satcom C-4 away from 85° W.L. in the direction of 103.1° W.L.

Please direct any questions regarding this submission to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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