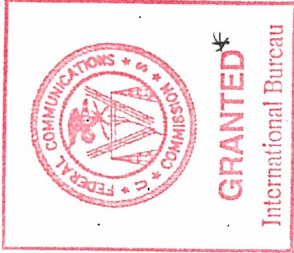


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APPLICATION FOR SPACE STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

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APPLICANT INFORMATION

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Request for Extension of STA to Continue Operating Intelsat 702 (S2388)


1. Applicant

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Country:	USA	Zipcode:	20008 -3006
Attention:	Susan H Crandall		

Intelsat North America LLC
IBFS File No. SAT-STA-20090324-00037
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April 03, 2009

Intelsat North America LLC (Intelsat) is granted special temporary authority, for a period of 14 days commencing on April 7, 2009, to continue operating the Intelsat 702 space station (Call Sign S2388) at the 54.85° E.L. orbital location.¹ Operations pursuant to this authorization shall be in accordance with Intelsat 702's existing authorization, *see* IBFS File No. SAT-AMD-20040310-00029 (granted March 19, 2004), and are subject to the following conditions:

- 1) Grant of this authorization is without prejudice to any action that the Commission may make regarding pending applications to re-locate the Intelsat 702 space station to the 66° E.L. orbital location (IBFS File No. SAT-MOD-20081217-00233).
- 2) This authority is granted pursuant to Section 0.261 of the Commission's rules on delegated authority, 47 C.F.R. § 0.261, and is effective immediately. 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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	From <u>04/07/09</u> To: _____
	Approved: <u><i>Stephen J. Duall</i></u> Stephen J. Duall Chief, Policy Branch

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¹ Intelsat is currently operating Intelsat 702 at the 54.85° E.L. orbital location for a 30-day period that commenced on March 9, 2009, pursuant to special temporary authority (IBFS File No. SAT-STA-20090206-00017). *See Public Notice*, Report No. SAT-00588 (rel. March 13, 2009).

2. Contact	
Name:	Intelsat North America LLC
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Relationship:	Legal Counsel
(If your application is related to an application filed with the Commission, enter either the file number or the IB Submission ID of the related application. Please enter only one.)	
3. Reference File Number or Submission ID	
4a. Is a fee submitted with this application?	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form 159. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1114).	
<input type="radio"/> Governmental Entity <input type="radio"/> Noncommercial educational licensee	
<input type="radio"/> Other (please explain):	
4b. Fee Classification CRY - Space Station (Geostationary)	
5. Type Request	
<input type="radio"/> Change Station Location	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Extend Expiration Date
	<input type="radio"/> Other
6. Temporary Orbit Location	
7. Requested Extended Expiration Date	
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<p>8. Description (If the complete description does not appear in this box, please go to the end of the form to view it in its entirety.)</p> <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;"> <p>Intelsat North America LLC, pursuant to Section 25.120 of the rules of the FCC, herein requests a two-week extension, through 04/21/2009, of the STA previously granted to Intelsat to continue operating the Intelsat 702 satellite at its current location of 54.85 E.L.</p> </div>	
<p>9. 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.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No </p>	
<p>10. Name of Person Signing Susan H. Crandall</p>	
<p>11. Title of Person Signing Asst. General Counsel, Intelsat Corporation</p>	
<p>12. Please supply any need attachments.</p>	
Attachment 1: STA Request	Attachment 2:
	Attachment 3:
<p style="text-align: center;"> WILLFUL FALSE STATEMENTS MADE ON THIS FORM ARE PUNISHABLE BY FINE AND / OR IMPRISONMENT (U.S. Code, Title 18, Section 1001), AND/OR REVOCATION OF ANY STATION AUTHORIZATION (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 312(a)(1)), AND/OR FORFEITURE (U.S. Code, Title 47, Section 503). </p>	

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March 24, 2009

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554



INTELSAT.

Re: Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authority to Continue
Operating the Intelsat 702 Satellite, Call Sign S2388

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Intelsat North America LLC ("Intelsat"), pursuant to Section 25.120 of the rules of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or "Commission"),¹ herein requests a two-week extension – through April 21, 2009 – of the Special Temporary Authority ("STA") previously granted to Intelsat to continue operating the Intelsat 702 satellite (Call Sign S2388) at its current location of 54.85° E.L.² Intelsat currently is drifting Intelsat 706 (Call Sign S2401) to 54.85° E.L.³ Once traffic has been transferred from Intelsat 702 to Intelsat 706, and following grant of a pending application for authority, Intelsat plans to relocate Intelsat 702 to 66.0° E.L. in April 2009.⁴ The scheduled start-of-drift date for Intelsat 702 currently is April 15, 2009.

Grant of this STA extension is in the public interest. This STA extension will ensure continuity of service to Intelsat's customers in the Indian Ocean Region pending regulatory approval and completion of redeployment maneuvers. During this temporary period, Intelsat agrees to comply with the existing conditions of its authorization to operate Intelsat 702 at 54.85° E.L. Moreover, grant of this temporary request will not result in increased risk of harmful interference because Intelsat 702's operations at 54.85° E.L. are already on a non-harmful interference basis. Intelsat will also continue to operate in

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 25.120.

² See Policy Branch Information; Actions Taken, Report No. SAT-00588, File No. SAT-STA-20090206-00017 (Mar. 13, 2009) (Public Notice).

³ See Intelsat North America LLC, Application to Modify Authorization for Intelsat 706, File No. SAT-MOD-20081124-00218 (stamp grant issued Mar. 20, 2009 by Stephen J. Duall, with conditions).

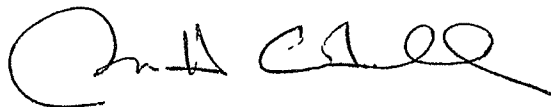
⁴ See Policy Branch Information; Satellite Space Applications Accepted for Filing, Report No. SAT-00583, File No. SAT-MOD-20081217-00233 (Feb. 27, 2009) (Public Notice).

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accordance with India's existing coordination agreements regarding the nominal 55° E.L. location.

For the reasons set forth herein, Intelsat respectfully requests that the Commission expeditiously grant this request for a two-week extension of special temporary authority to continue to operate the Intelsat 702 satellite at 54.85° E.L.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Susan H. Crandall". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "S" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Susan H. Crandall
Assistant General Counsel
Intelsat Corporation

Attachment

cc: Bob Nelson
Stephen Duall
Kathryn Medley
Jay Whaley