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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
 APPLICATION FOR SPACE STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY  
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APPLICANT INFORMATION

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 Request for extension of Special Temporary Authority for In-Orbit Drift of DIRECTV 12 (S2797) from 76

1. Applicant

<b>Name:</b>	DIRECTV Enterprises, LLC	<b>Phone Number:</b>	310-964-3982
<b>DBA Name:</b>		<b>Fax Number:</b>	310-964-4883
<b>Street:</b>	2230 E. Imperial Hwy CA/LAI/N340	<b>E-Mail:</b>	bmregan@directv.com
<b>City:</b>	El Segundo	<b>State:</b>	CA
<b>Country:</b>	USA	<b>Zipcode:</b>	90245 -
<b>Attention:</b>	Mr Brian M Regan		


**ATTACHMENT**  
**Conditions of Authorization**  
**IBFS File No. SAT-STA-20100331-00060**  
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The request of DIRECTV Enterprises, LLC (DIRECTV) for special temporary authority (STA), IBFS File No. SAT-STA-20100331-00060, IS GRANTED. Accordingly, DIRECTV is authorized, for a period of 30 days commencing on April 26, 2010, to conduct telemetry, tracking, and telecommand (TT&C) operations on the 29255.00 MHz and 29497.00 MHz command uplinks and the 18302.25 MHz and 18302.75 MHz telemetry and beacon downlinks, during the relocation of the DIRECTV 12/RB-2A satellite from the 76° W.L. orbital location to the 102.765° W.L. orbital location. This authorization is granted in accordance with the terms, conditions, and technical specifications set forth in DIRECTV's application and supplement, the conditions set forth in this Attachment, and the Commission's rules.

1. DIRECTV shall coordinate all TT&C operations during drift with other potentially affected in-orbit operators.
2. During the drift from the 76° W.L. orbital location to the 102.765° W.L. orbital location, operations of the DIRECTV 12/RB-2A satellite shall be on an unprotected and non-harmful interference basis, *i.e.*, DIRECTV shall not cause harmful interference to, and shall not claim protection from interference caused to it, by any other lawfully operating radiocommunication system.
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4. During the drift from the 76° W.L. orbital location to the 102.765° W.L. orbital location, DIRECTV may not operate the communications payload aboard DIRECTV 12/RB-2A.
5. DIRECTV shall notify the Chief of the Satellite Division, International Bureau, Federal Communications Commission, in writing, on the date that the DIRECTV 12/RB-2A satellite arrives at the 102.765° W.L. orbital location, and the date on which it initiates operations pursuant to its authorization at that orbital location. Courtesy copies of this filing shall be sent via email to [Chip.Fleming@fcc.gov](mailto:Chip.Fleming@fcc.gov) and [Mark.Young@fcc.gov](mailto:Mark.Young@fcc.gov).
6. DIRECTV shall notify Scott Kotler (202-482-7983, [skotler@ntia.doc.gov](mailto:skotler@ntia.doc.gov)) when it initiates operations pursuant to its authorization at the 102.765° W.L. orbital location.
7. Any action taken or expense incurred as a result of operations pursuant to this STA is at DIRECTV's own risk.
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<b>2. Contact</b>			
<b>Name:</b>	William M. Wiltshire	<b>Phone Number:</b>	202-730-1350
<b>Company:</b>	Wiltshire & Grannis LLP	<b>Fax Number:</b>	202-730-1301
<b>Street:</b>	1200 18th Street, NW	<b>E-Mail:</b>	wwiltshire@wiltshiregrannis.com
<b>City:</b>	Washington	<b>State:</b>	DC
<b>Country:</b>	USA	<b>Zipcode:</b>	20036 -
<b>Attention:</b>	William M. Wiltshire	<b>Relationship:</b>	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 SATSTA2009120100133 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 type="radio"/> Extend Expiration Date	
		<input checked="" type="radio"/> Other	
6. Temporary Orbit Location		7. Requested Extended Expiration Date	
76 W.L.			

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.)

DIRECTV Enterprises, LLC requests an extension of its Special Temporary Authority to drift the DIRECTV 12 satellite from the 76 degree W.L. orbital location to its licensed orbital location. DIRECTV accepts the same terms and conditions applicable under the STA currently in force.

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"; party to the application; for these purposes.

Yes  No

10. Name of Person Signing  
James Butterworth

11. Title of Person Signing  
Senior Vice President

12. Please supply any need attachments.

Attachment 1:

Attachment 2:

Attachment 3:

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