

Exhibit A

**Lockheed Martin Corp.
STA Request
LM-RPS1 (Call Sign S2372)
Napa Earth Station (E050272)
April 9, 2010**

SUPPLEMENTAL STATEMENT

Lockheed Martin Corporation (“Lockheed Martin”), pursuant to Section 25.111(a) of the Commission’s Rules, hereby provides additional information requested by the Commission in connection with Lockheed Martin’s urgent request for special temporary authority to operate the LM-RPS1 satellite (Call Sign S2372) at variance from the +/- 0.05 degree station keeping tolerances in both the North-South and East-West directions. *See* Urgent Request of Lockheed Martin Corporation for Special Temporary Authority, File No. SAT-STA-20100408-00069. *See also*, Urgent Request of Lockheed Martin Corporation for Special Temporary Authority for Earth Station E050272, File No. SES-STA-20100408-00422. Both STAs are required to permit Lockheed Martin to continue operating LM-RPS1 following an unexplained and unforeseen anomaly that affected the host Galaxy-15 satellite.

Lockheed Martin confirms that it has coordinated its proposed at-variance operations of LM-RPS1 with the GPS Wing (operators of the co-frequency GPS system), and understands that the National Telecommunications and Information Administration (“NTIA”) has communicated its agreement to Lockheed Martin’s STA to personnel in the Commission’s Office of Engineering and Technology and International Bureau.

With regard to the Napa, CA earth station (Call Sign E050272), Lockheed Martin informs the Commission that as the LM-RPS1 space station drifts from its nominal orbital location to eastward to the 132.21° W.L. by 10 May – less than 1 degree from the assigned orbital location at 133 ° W.L. – the result will be an increase of 0.19 degrees in the operational elevation angle of the earth station. Therefore, from the standpoint of a terrestrial station, the radiated power from the Napa earth station will decrease.

Lockheed Martin reiterates that the STA requests are urgently needed.