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

**Re: Commencement of Relocation of AMC-2, Call Sign S2134
File No. SAT-STA-20111017-00205**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

SES Americom, Inc. (doing business as "SES"), by its attorney, hereby advises the Commission that pursuant to authority granted in the above-referenced proceeding SES began drifting the AMC-2 satellite from 78.95° W.L. towards 4.98° E.L. on October 26, 2011.¹

Please address any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ The polarizations of the telemetry beacons used during the drift conform to those specified in the underlying request for special temporary authority as corrected by the SES letter of October 25, 2011. See Letter of Karis A. Hastings, Counsel for SES Americom, Inc., to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, File Nos. SAT-STA-20111017-00204 & SAT-STA-20111017-00205, dated Oct. 25, 2011.