

Intelsat License LLC
Request for Extension of Special Temporary Authority
Intelsat 37e; Call Sign: S2972

Intelsat License LLC (“Intelsat”) herein requests an additional 60 days of Special Temporary Authority (“STA”)¹ to operate Intelsat 37e (S2972) at 18.0° W.L. using the 10.7-11.7 GHz (space-to-Earth) frequency band as part of a domestic link, and extension of the previously-granted waiver of Footnote NG52 of the U.S. Table of Frequency Allocations² for the reasons previously stated.³ Intelsat has filed an application for permanent authority for the operations requested herein.⁴

Grant of this STA request will not result in increased risk of harmful interference. Intelsat will operate Intelsat 37e in conformance with existing coordination agreements and the Federal Communications Commission’s (“Commission” or “FCC”) rules governing operations vis-à-vis adjacent locations. In the unlikely event that any harmful interference should occur, Intelsat will take all reasonable steps to eliminate such interference. The stop buzzer contact for Intelsat 37e is:

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Intelsat also agrees to abide by the customer notification requirements that the Space Bureau has previously imposed when granting waivers of Footnote NG52.⁵ Intelsat will inform its customers in writing, including any customers receiving end-user services from resellers accessing capacity on Intelsat 37e, of the potential for interference from FS operations in the 10.7-11.7 GHz frequency band.

¹ *Intelsat License LLC Request for 60-day Extension of STA for Intelsat 37e (S2972)*, Grant, ICFS File No. SAT-STA-20260601-00222 (granted July 8, 2026) (granting 60-day extension of STA to operate Intelsat 37e at 18.0° W.L. through August 4, 2026).

² *See id.* Condition 2; 47 C.F.R. § 2.106, NG52. Footnote NG52 limits the use of the 10.7-11.7 GHz frequency band by geostationary orbit Fixed-Satellite Service satellites to international systems subject to a waiver of Footnote NG52 of the U.S. Table of Frequency Allocations.

³ *See Request of Intelsat License LLC, for 30-Day STA for Intelsat 37e (S2972)*, ICFS File No. SAT-STA-20250910-00265, Narrative (filed Sept. 9, 2025).

⁴ *See Intelsat License LLC Request to Modify Authorization of Intelsat 37e (S2972)*, ICFS File No. SAT-MOD-20260401-00149 (filed Apr. 1, 2026).

⁵ *See, e.g., Intelsat North America LLC, Request for Waiver*, Stamp Grant at Condition 3, ICFS File No. SAT-MOD-20050610-00122 (granted Sept. 30, 2005).

Grant of this STA extension request is in the public interest because it will allow Intelsat 37e to continue providing domestic customer services at the 18.0° W.L. location utilizing the 10.7-11.7 GHz frequency band. For the reasons set forth herein, Intelsat respectfully requests that the Commission grant this STA extension.

Respectfully submitted,

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