# FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION SATELLITE SPACE STATION AUTHORIZATIONS (Technical and Operational Description)

#### S1. GENERAL INFORMATION Complete for all satellite applications.

a. Space Station or Satellite Network Name: EXPRESS 3A	e. Estimated Date of Placement into Service: 8/22/2000	i Will the space station(s) operate on a Common Carrier Basis: N
b. Construction Commencement Date:	f. Estimated Lifetime of Satellite(s):	j. Number of transponders offered on a common carrier basis:
2/1/1998	7	Years
c. Construction Completion Date:	g. Total Number of Transponders:	k. Total Common Carrier Transponder Bandwidth:
5/21/2000	17	MHz
d1. Est Launch Date Begin:     d2. Est Launch Date End:       6/24/2000     6/24/2000	h. Total Transponder Bandwidth (no. transpond 616	I. Orbit Type: Mark all boxes that apply:   MHz X GSO NGSO

#### S2. OPERATING FREQUENCY BANDS Identify the frequency range and transmit/receive mode for all frequency bands in which this station will oper Also indicate the nature of service(s) for each frequency band.

	Frequency	Band Limits			
Lower Frequency (_	Lower Frequency (_Hz) Upper Frequency (_Hz)		_Hz)	e. T/R Mode	f. Nature of Service(s): List all that apply to this band
a. Numeric	b. Unit (K/M/G)	c. Numeric	d. Unit (K/M/G)		
6332	М	6368	М	R	Fixed Satellite Service
4007	М	4043	М	Т	Fixed Satellite Service

#### S3. ORBITAL INFORMATION FOR GEOSTATIONARY SATELLITES ONLY:

a. Nominal Orbital Longitude (Degrees E/W):	b. Alternate Orbital Longitu	ude (Degrees E/W):			c. Reason for orbital location selection:
11 W					Placing in location of older satellite.
Longitudinal Tolerance or E/W Station-Keeping:		Range of orbital are in which	n adequate servi	ce can be	
d. Toward West: 0.05 Degrees	N/S Station-Keeping Tolerance:	provided (Optional):	Degrees	E/W	
e. Toward East: 0.05 Degrees		g. Westernmost:	0	E	
e. Toward East: 0.05 Degrees	0.05 Degrees	h. Easternmost:	0	W	
i. Reason for service are selection (Optional)	:	•			

Page 2: NGSO Orbits

S4. ORBITAL INFORMATION FOR NON-GEOSTATIONARY SATELLITES ONLY

S4a. Total Number of Satellites in Network or System:

S4b. Total Number of Orbital Planes in Network or System:

S4c. Celestial Reference Body (Earth, Sun, Moon, etc.):

S4d. Orbit Epoch Date:

For each Orbital Plane Provide:

ſ	(e) Orbital	(f) No. of	(g) Inclination	(h) Orbital	(i) Apogee (km)	(j) Perigee (km)	(k) Right Ascension	(I) Argument of	Active Se	rvice Arc Rang	e (Degrees)
	Plane No.	Satellites in	Angle (degrees)	Period			of the Ascending	Perigee	(m) Begin	(n) End	(o) Other
		Plane		(Seconds)			Node (Deg.)	(Degrees)	Angle	Angle	

S5. INITIAL SATELLITE PHASE ANGLE For each satellite in each orbital plane, provide the intital phase angle.

(a) Orbital	(b) Satellite	(c) Initial
Plane No.	Number	Phase Angle
		(Degrees)

**NO NGSO DATA FILED** 

Page 3: Service Areas

S6. SERVICE AREA CHARACTERISTICS for each service area provide:

(a) Service Area ID	(b) Type of Associated Station (Earth or Space)	(d) Service Area Description. Provide list of geographic areas (state postal codes or ITU 3-ltr codes), satellites or Figure No. of Service Area Diagram.
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Page 4: Antenna Beams

S7. SPACE STATION ANTENNA BEAM CHARACTERISTICS For each antenna beam provide:

(a)	(b)	Isotropic	Antenna	(e)	(f)	(g) Min.	(h) Polar-	(i) Polarization	(j) Service		Transmit				Receive		
Beam	T/R		ain	0	Rotational	Cross-	ization	Alignment Rel.	Area ID	(k)	(I) Effective	(m)		(o) G/T		Input Attenu	uator (dB)
ID	Mode	(c) Peak (dBi)	(d) Edge (dBi)	Error (Degrees)	Error (Degrees)	Polar Iso- lation (dB)	Switch- able? (Y/N)	Equatorial Plane (Degrees)		Input Losses (dB)	Output Power (W)	Max. EIRP (dBW)	System Noice Temp (k)		Saturation Flux Density (dBW/m2)	(q) Max. Value	(r) Step Size
ZER1	Т	27	17	0.1		22	N		1		20	39					
ZER2	R	28	18	0.1		22	Ν		1				500	1	-93	5	1

S8. ANTENNA BEAM DIAGRAMS For each beam pattern provide the reference to the graphic image and numerical data: Also provide the power flux density levels in each beam that result from the emission with the highest power flux density.

(a) Beam	(b) T/R	(c) Co-or Cross	Ref.	(e) NGSO Antenna Gain Contour Description	(f) GSO Antenna Gain Contour Data	At Angle of	Max. Power F Arrival above he	Flux Density (dB prizontal (for em	/	nest PFD)
ID	Mode	Polar Mode ("C" or" X")	Orbital Longitude (Deg. E/W)	(Figure/Table/ Exhibit)	(GXT File)	(g) 5 Deg	(h) 10 Deg	(i) 15 Deg	(j) 20 Deg	(k) 25 Deg
ZER1	Т	С	11		zer1_gain.gxt	-153	-150.5	-148	-145.5	-143
ZER2	R	С	11		zer2_gain.gxt					

Page 5: Beam Diagrams

Page 6: Channels and Transponders

S9. SPACE STATION CHANNELS For each frequency channel provide: S10. SPACE STATION TRANSPONDERS For each transponder provide:

(a) Channel No.	(B) Assigned Bandwidth (kHz)	(c) T/R Mode	(d) Center Frequency (MHz)	(e) Polarization (H, V, L, R)	(f) TTC or Comm Channel (T or C)
1	36000	Т	4025	R	С
2	36000	R	6350	L	С

(a)	(b)	Receive	Band	Transmi	t Band
	Transponder Gain (dB)	(c) Channel No.	(d) Beam ID	(e) Channel No.	(f) Beam ID
15	110	2	ZER2	1	ZER1

S11. DIGITAL MODULATION PARAMETERS For each digital emission provide:

(a) Digital Mod. ID	(b) Emission Designator	(c) Assigned Bandwidth (kHz)	(d) No. of Phases	(e)Uncoded Data Rate (kbps)	(f) FEC Error Correction Coding Rate	(g) CDMA Processing Gain (dB)	(h) Total C/N Performance Objective (dB)	(i) Single Entry C/I Objective (dB)
8PGK	34MH	24903	8	34	0.6667		12.4	16.8
16QAM	16MH	90303	16	16	0.6667		15.5	23.2

Page 7: Digital Modulation

Page 8: Analog Modulation

S12. ANALOG MODULATION PARAMETERS For each analog emission provide:

(a)	(b) Emission	(c)	(d) Signal	(e)		Multi-channe	l Telephony		(j) Video	(k) Video	(I) Video	(m) SCPC/FM	· · /	() 0
Analog Mod. II		Assigned Bandwidth (kHz)	Туре	Channels per Carrier	(f) Ave. Companded Talker Level (dBm0)	(g) Bottom Baseband Freq. (MHz)	(h) Top Baseband Freq. (MHz)	(i) RMS Modulation Index	Standard NTSC, PAL, etc.	Noise- Weighting (dB)	and SCPC/FM Modulation Index	Compander, Preemphasis, and Noise Weighting (dB)	Performance Objective (dB)	Entry C/I Objective (dB)

Page 9: Typical Emissions

S13. TYPICAL EMISSIONS For each planned type of emission provide:

ľ	Associated Transponder ID Range		Modulation ID		(-)	(f) Carrier (g)Noise Budget	(h) Energy	Receive Band (Assoc. Transmit Stn)		Transmit Band (This Space Station)		tion)			
		(b) End	(C) Digital (Table	(d) Analog (Table S12)	per Transponder	Spacing (kHz)	Reference (Table No.)	Dispersal Bandwidth (kHz)	(i)Assoc. Stn. Max.	Assoc. Stati Power		EIRP	(dBW)	Power Flux	(o)Assoc. Stn
	. ,		S11)		· · /	Antenna Gain (dBi)	(j) Min.	(k) Max.	(I) Min.	(m) Max.		Rec. G/T (dB/K)			

Page 10: TT and C

S14. Is the space station(s) controlled and monitored remotely? If Yes, provide the location and telephone number of the TT and C control point(s): Yes

#### Remote Control (TT C) Location(s):

S14a: Street Address: 21, Octyabvskaya				
S14b. City: Gus-Khrustalny	S14c. County:		S14d. State/Country	S14e. Zip Code: 801501
S14f. Telephone Number: +70959569526	S	S14g. Call Sign of Control Stati	ion (if appropriate):	

Page 11: Characteristics and Certifications

S15. SPACECRAFT PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS:

S15a: Mass of spacecraft without fuel (kg):	Spacecraft Dimensions (meters)	Probability of Survival to End of Life (0.0 - 1.0)		
S15b. Mass of fuel and disposables at launch (kg): 88.25				
S15c. Mass of spacecraft and fuel at launch (kg): 2500	S15f. Length (m):	S15i. Payload:		
S15d. Mass of fuel, in orbit, at beginning of life (kg):	S15g. Width (m):	S15j. Bus:		
S15e. Deployed Area of Solar Array (square meters):	S15h. Height (m):	S15k. Total:		

#### S16. SPACECRAFT ELECTRICAL CHARACTERISTICS:

Spacecraft Subsystem	Electrical Pov Beginnir	ver (Watts) At ng of Life	Electrical Power (Watts) At End of Life				
	At Equinox	At Solstice	At Equinox	At Solstice			
Payload (Watts):	<sup>(a):</sup> 1450	(f):	(k):	(p):			
Bus (Watts):	<sup>(b):</sup> 920	(g):	(I):	(q):			
Total (Watts):	<sup>(c):</sup> 2370	<sup>(h):</sup> 2360	(m)	(r):			
Solar Array (Watts):	<sup>(d):</sup> 5200	<sup>(i):</sup> 4460	<sup>(n):</sup> 3570	<sup>(s):</sup> 3065			
Depth of Battery Discharge (%):	(e) %	<sup>(j)</sup> %	<sup>(0)</sup> 10 %	<sup>(t)</sup> 20 %			

#### S17. CERTIFICATIONS:

a. Are the power flux density limits of § 25.208 met?:	X YES	NO	N/A					
b. Are the appropriate service area coverage requirements of § 25.143(b)(ii) and (iii), or § 25.145(c)(1) and (2) me	et? X YES	NO	N/A					
c. Are the frequency tolerances of § 25.202(e) and the out-of-band emission limits of § 25.202(f)(1), (2) and (3) m	et? X YES	NO	N/A					
In addition to the information required in this Form, the space station applicant is required to provide all the information specified in Section 25.114 of the								
Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R § 25.114.								