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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

Re: Notice of Permitted Oral *Ex Parte* Presentation and Notice Under Section 1.65 of the Rules; Panasonic Avionics Corporation Application for Blanket Operating Authority, File Nos. SES-LIC-20100805-00992, SES-AMD-20100914-01163, SES-AMD-20101115-01432 and SES-AMD-20110325-00358 (Call Sign E100089)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 29, 2011, the undersigned counsel for Panasonic Avionics Corporation ("Panasonic") had a teleconference with representatives of the International Bureau to clarify the satellite points of communication, and their coordination status, associated with the above-referenced application. Participating in the teleconference on behalf of the International Bureau were Stephen Duall, Paul Blais, William Bell and Frank Peace.

During the discussion, International Bureau staff noted that while both the Galaxy 17 and Telstar 14 satellite were included in the application as authorized satellite points of communication, there was some uncertainty in the record whether Telstar 14 would actually be used to provide service to Lufthansa aircraft located in U.S. airspace. Accordingly, the staff requested that Panasonic clarify whether the Telstar 14 would be accessed from U.S. airspace and, if so, that Panasonic clarify the coordination status of proposed AMSS operations on that satellite. Counsel to Panasonic agreed to update the record on these issues.

By this submission, Panasonic confirms that the Telstar 14 satellite *will not be accessed* by Panasonic aircraft earth station terminals onboard Lufthansa aircraft in U.S. airspace. Despite some overlap of the satellite service area into U.S. territory, counsel now understands that this satellite will not be used to provide service to MELCO-equipped aircraft located in the United States. As a result, Panasonic hereby withdraws its request to include the Telstar 14 satellite as an authorized satellite point of communication.

37 Offices in 17 Countries

Panasonic respectfully requests this letter be associated with the above-referenced application and understands that, by this letter, the request to access Telstar 14 as an authorized satellite point of contact will be removed from the Panasonic AMSS application. Counsel to Row 44 has been consulted and does not object to removal of Telstar 14 as an authorized satellite point of communication via this filing. If the International Bureau staff concludes that some other procedural mechanism is necessary to update the record of this proceeding, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Squire, Sanders & Dempsey (US) LLP

/s/ Carlos M. Nalda

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Certificate of Service

I, Joshua T. Guyan, hereby certify that on this 30th day of March, 2011, I caused a copy of Panasonic Avionics Corporation's *Ex Parte* Notice and Notice Under Section 1.65 of the Rules to be served via U.S. first class mail on the party listed below.

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