FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Washington, DC 20554 August 26, 2004

Mr. James Barker SES Americom, Inc. Four Research Way Princeton, NJ 08540-6684

> RE: SES Americom, Inc. File No: SES-LIC-20040622-00870 SES-LIC-20040623-00872 SES-LIC-20040623-00873

Dear Mr. Barker:

For reasons discussed below, we dismiss the above-captioned applications requesting authority to operate in the Ka-band, for communication with AMC-15, as point of communication, for Telemetry, Tracking and Control and Operations Monitor and Test, without prejudice to refiling.

- 1. The frequency bands (27000-31000 MHz for transmit) and (17700-20700 MHz for receive) are requested are outside the range allocated for operation in the Ka-band.
- 2. Each application must include radiation patterns described in 47 CFR Part 25, Section 25.138(d).

Therefore, pursuant to the Commission's rules on delegated authority, 47 C.F.R. section 0.51 and 0.261(a)(4); we find these applications SES-LIC-20040622-00870, SES-LIC-20040623-00872, and SES-LIC-20040623-00873 defective. We dismiss these applications, without prejudice to refiling.¹

Sincerely,

/s/

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If SES Americom, Inc. refiles these applications identical to the ones dismissed, with the exception of supplying the defective information, it need not pay a further application fee. See 47 C.F.R. § 1/1109(d).