

6 April 2020

Ajit Pai Chairman **Federal Communications Commission** 445 12th Street, SW Washington, DC 20554 USA

RE: BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC.

PRIVATE VSAT NETWORK

#### **CANCELLATION OF RADIO STATION AUTHORIZATION**

Dear Mr. Pai,

We are pleased to inform the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that Radio Station Authorization No. SES-LIC-20141205-00883, issued on 19 February 2015 to Barrick Gold of North America, Inc. for the operation of its private VSAT station in Nevada is no longer required as the station is no longer operational.

We would be grateful if the FCC could kindly take the necessary measures to cancel Authorization SES-LIC-20141205-00883, as well as any corresponding invoicing process.

We remain at the full disposal of the FCC for any further information or action it may require.

Best regards,

Christian Hyde

Director

#### Attachments:

• Radio Station Authorization, No. SES-LIC-20141205-00883, issued on 19 February 2015



Current Authorization: FCC WEB Reproduction **Unofficial Copy** 

BARRICK GOLD OF NORTH AMERICA, INC. Name:

Call Sign: E140124

File Number: SES-LIC-20141205-00883

**Authorization Type:** License

Non Common Carrier 02/19/2030 **Grant Date:** 

**Nature of Service:** Fixed Satellite Service

**Class of Station: Fixed Earth Stations** 

#### A) Site Location(s)

# Site ID	Address	Latitude	Longitude	Elevation (Meters)	Special Provisions NAD (Refer to Section H)
1) Remote1	Barrick Gold Mine (1.8M.) Beatty, Nye, NV, 89003	36° 53' 45.0" N	116° 48' 58.0" W	14.0	83

Licensee certifies antenna(s) comply with gain patterns specified in Section 25.209

Subject to the provisions of the Communications Act of 1934, The Communications Satellite Act of 1962, subsequent acts and treaties, and all present and future regulations made by this Commission, and further subject to the conditions and requirements set forth in this license, the grantee is authorized to construct, use and operate the radio facilities described below for radio communications for the term beginning Thursday, February 19, 2015 (3 AM Eastern Standard Time) and ending Tuesday, February 19, 2030 (3 AM Eastern Standard Time). The required date of completion of construction and commencement of operation is Friday, February 19, 2016 (3 AM Eastern Standard Time). Grantee must file with the Commission a certification upon completion of construction and commencement of operation.

#### **B)** Particulars of Operations

The General Provision 1010 applies to all receiving frequency bands.

The General Provision 1900 applies to all transmitting frequency bands.

For the text of these	provisions, refer	to Section H		Max	Max			
# Frequency	Polarization	Emission	Tx/Rx Mode	EIRP /Carrier	EIRP Density	Associated Antenna	Special Provisions (Refer to Section H)	Modulation/ Services
1) 14000.0000 - 14500.0000	V	896KGXD	T	47.60	24.00	Remote1	QPSK -	Data and Voice
2) 11700.0000 - 12200.0000	Н	1M00GXD	R	0.00	0.00	Remote1	OPSK -	Data and Voice

#### **C) Frequency Coordination**

#	Frequency Coordina Frequency Limits(MHz)	Satellite Arc (Deg. Long.) East West Limit Limit	Elevation (Degrees) East West Limit Limit	Azimuth (Degrees) East West Limit Limit	Max EIRP Density toward Horizon (dBW/4kHz)	Associated Antenna(s)	
1)	14322.0000 - 14358.0000	125.0W-125.0W	46.7 - 46.7	193.5 - 193.5	-5.39	Remote1	
2)	12022.0000 - 12058.0000	125.0W-125.0W	46.7 - 46.7	193.5 - 193.5	0.0	Remote1	

#### **D) Point of Communications**

The following stations located in the Satellite orbits consistent with Sections B and C of this Entry:

1) Remote1 to AMC 21 @ 125 W.L. (United Kingdom-licensed satellite)



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E) Antenna	a Facilites						Max Antenna	
Site ID	Antenna ID	Units	Diameter (Meters)		Model Number	Site Elevation	Height	Special Provisions (Refer to Section H)
Remote1	Remote1	1,0	1.8	Vertex	1194-990	14.0	2.5 AGL/ 16.5 AMSL	

Max Gains(s):46.7 dBi @ 14.2500 GHz 45.2 dBi @ 11.8500 GHz

Maximum total input power at antenna flange (Watts) = 9.03

Maximum aggregate output EIRP for all carriers (dBW)47.6

#### F) Remote Control

SES Network Operations Center Bristow, Prince William, VA, 20136 Remote1 NONE Call Sign:

+1-703-330-3305

#### G) Antenna Structure marking and lighting requirements:

None unless otherwise specified under Special and General Provisions

#### H) Special and General Provisions

- A) This RADIO STATION AUTHORIZATION is granted subject to the following special provisions and general conditions:
  - Applicable to all receiving frequency bands. Emission designator indicates the maximum bandwidth of received signal at associated station(s). Maximum EIRP and maximum EIRP density are not applicable to receive operations. 1010
  - 1900 Applicable to all transmitting frequency bands. Authority is granted to transmit any number of RF carriers with the specified parameters on any discrete frequencies within associated band in accordance with the other terms and conditions of this authorization, subject to any additional limitations that may be required to avoid unacceptable levels of inter-satellite interference.
  - This authorization is issued pursuant to the Commission's Second Report and Order adopted June 16, 1972 (35 FCC 2d 844) and Memorandum, Opinion and Order adopted December 21, 1972 (38 FCC 2d 665) in Docket No. 16495 and 2010 is subject to the policies adopted in that proceeding.
  - 2300 Authority is granted to operate this station by remote control provided that: (1)The parameters of the transmissions of this station monitored at the remote control point, and the operational functions sufficient to insure that the operations of this station are in full compliance with the station authorization at all times; (2) upon detection by the grantee, or upon notification from the Commission, of a deviation of the operation of this station shall be immediately suspended until the deviation is corrected, except the transmissions concerning the immediate safety of life or property may be conducted for the duration of such emergency; and (3) the grantee shall have available, at all times, the technical personnel necessary to perform the technical servicing and maintenance of this station expeditiously. See also Public Notice "The International Bureau Provides Guidance Concerning the Relocation of Earth Station Remote Control Points", DA 06-978 (rel. May 4, 2006).
  - 2916 Transmitter(s) must be turned off during antenna maintenance to ensure compliance with the FCC-specified safety guidelines for human exposure to radiofrequency radiation in the region between the antenna feed and the reflector. Appropriate measures must also be taken to restrict access to other regions in which the earth station's power flux density levels exceed the specified guidelines.
  - 2938 Upon completion of construction, each licensee must file with the Commission a certification including the following information: name of the licensee, file number of the application, call sign of the antenna, date of the license and certification that the facility as authorized has been completed, that each antenna facility has been tested and is within 2 dB of the pattern specified in Section 25.209 and that the station is operational including the date of commencement of service and will remain operational during the license period unless the license is submitted for cancellation.



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### H) Special and General Provisions

All operations shall be on a non-common carrier basis.



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#### H) Special and General Provisions

B) This RADIO STATION AUTHORIZATION is granted subject to the additional conditions specified below:

This authorization is issued on the grantee's representation that the statements contained in the application are true and that the undertakings described will be carried out in good faith.

This authorization shall not be construed in any manner as a finding by the Commission on the question of marking or lighting of the antenna system should future conditions require. The grantee expressly agrees to install such marking or lighting as the Commission may require under the provisions of Section 303(q) of the Communications Act. 47 U.S.C. § 303(q).

Neither this authorization nor the right granted by this authorization shall be assigned or otherwise transferred to any person, firm, company or corporation without the written consent of the Commission. This authorization is subject to the right of use or control by the government of the United States conferred by Section 706 of the Communications Act. 47 U.S.C. § 706. Operation of this station is governed by Part 25 of the Commission's Rules. 47 C.F.R. Part 25.

This authorization shall not vest in the licensee any right to operate this station nor any right in the use of the designated frequencies beyond the term of this license, nor in any other manner than authorized herein.

This authorization is issued on the grantee's representation that the station is in compliance with environmental requirements set forth in Section 1.1307 of the Commission's Rules. 47 C.F.R. § 1.1307.

This authorization is issued on the grantee's representation that the station is in compliance with the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) requirements as set forth in Section 17.4 of the Commission's Rules. 47 C.F.R. § 17.4.

The following condition applies when this authorization permits construction of or modifies the construction permit of a radio station.

This authorization shall be automatically forfeited if the station does not meet each required construction deadline by the required date of completion unless, before such date(s), a specific application is timely filed to request an extension of the construction deadline(s), supported with good cause why that failure to construct by the required date was due to factors not under control of the grantee.

Licensees are required to pay annual regulatory fees related to this authorization. The requirement to collect annual regulatory fees from regulates is contained in Public Law 103-66, "The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993". These regulatory fees, which are likely to change each fiscal year, are used to offset costs associated with the Commission's enforcement, public service, international and policy and rulemaking activities. The Commission issues a Report and Order each year, setting the new regulatory fee rates. Receive only earth stations are exempt from payment of regulatory fees.