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**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

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Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary

**Re: HNS License Sub, LLC, Call Sign E020208 - Certification of Commencement of Operation of Satellite Earth Station License (FCC File No. SES-MFS-20081215-01606)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

HNS License Sub, LLC (“Hughes”), by its attorneys and pursuant to Section 25.133(b) of the Commission’s Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 25.133(b), hereby confirms that it has commenced operation of the earth station facility in accordance with the authorization for Call Sign E020208 that was granted on February 17, 2009 in the above-referenced proceeding. Hughes’ Certification Pursuant to Section 25.133(b) is enclosed. Please associate this submission with the above-referenced license.

Please contact me if you have any questions or require any additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Stephen D. Baruch', is written over a printed name and title.

Stephen D. Baruch  
*Attorney for HNS License Sub, LLC*

Enclosure

**CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 47 C.F.R. § 25.133(b)**

I, Steven Doiron, hereby certify that the following information relating to the establishment and commencement of operation of the earth station facility authorized to HNS License Sub, LLC for Call Sign E020208 (File No. SES-MFS-20081215-01606) is true and correct to the best of my belief and knowledge:

1. Name of Licensee: HNS License Sub, LLC
2. File Number of Application: SES-MFS-20081215-01606
3. Call Sign of the Antenna: E020208
4. Date of the License: February 17, 2009
5. Completion of Facility: The construction of the facility has been completed as authorized.
6. Antenna Testing: The antenna facility has been tested and is within 2 dB of the pattern specified in §25.209.
7. Date of Operation: Operation of this station pursuant to the authorization commenced on December 1, 2009.
8. Continued Operation: The station will remain operational during the license period unless the license is submitted for cancellation.

By:



Steven Doiron  
HNS License Sub, LLC

Dated: February 16, 2010