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No, that's not correct. The 107.3° W.L. orbital slot was the original location for Anik F-1, but it was replaced at that location by Anik F-1R and for a lengthy period the F-1 satellite was used only to provide service to South America. When the Commission determined that non-U.S. satellites with U.S. market access should pay regulatory fees, Telesat surrendered the original F-1 market access authorization because the satellite was not providing any service to U.S. locations. But at the very end of last year, Global Eagle agreed to take the Ku-band capacity on the satellite for service to North America and the Caribbean – accordingly, Telesat filed a new Petition seeking access to the U.S. market. See http://licensing.fcc.gov/cgi-bin/ws.exe/prod/ib/forms/reports/swr031b.htm?_q_set=V_SITE_ANTENNA_FREQ.file_numberC/File+Number/%3D/SATPPL2021010800005&prepare=&column=V_SITE_ANTENNA_FREQ.file_numberC/File+Number. The new call sign for the satellite is S3079, although the market access petition remains pending. This is explained in the attachments to both the modification application that was on Public Notice yesterday and in the STA extension request filed one day before that –

“This proposed use is consistent with the petition for declaratory ruling filed on January 8, 2021 by Telesat seeking to add Anik F-1 to the U.S. Permitted List at [109.2° W.L.]. See FCC File No. SAT-PPL-20210108-00005 and FCC Public Notice, Satellite Policy Branch Information; Space Station Applications Accepted for Filing, Report No. SAT-01527 (rel. Feb. 5, 2021). Telesat’s Petition includes a full showing with respect to the legal and technical basis for grant of the authority requested and support for its request to operate the satellite in an inclined orbit. The satellite was previously granted U.S. market access at the 107.3° W.L. orbital location under Call Sign S2745 (FCC File No. SAT-PDR-20000420-00083).”

Since the modification application was filed, Anik F-1 was authorized by Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada (“ISED”) to operate at 109.2° W.L. and the initial Global Eagle STA was granted based on that action. See FCC File No. SES-STA-20210127-00173. Telesat filed a letter in the pending file on February 8, 2021 reporting on the ISED action -- https://licensing.fcc.gov/myibfs/download.do?attachment_key=3870709 – and the initial STA was granted three days later.

Please let me know if you have other questions.

Respectfully submitted,
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Hi David Keir,

I'm working on your STA and want to inform that ANIK F1 @109.2 W has moved to 107.3 W.

Please confirm this change for both MFS and STA applications.

Thanks.

Jae Lim
FCC/IB

107.3 W.L.	ANIK F1	Telesat Canada	Canada	FSS	3700-4200 MHz (s-E) 5925-6425 MHz (E-s) 11.7-12.2 GHz (s-E) 14-14.5 GHz (E-s)	11/21/2000	SAT-PDR-20000420-00083	Information unavailable in IBFS database	None
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