

October 7, 2022

*Via Electronic Filing*

Tom Sullivan  
Chief, International Bureau  
Federal Communications Commission  
45 L Street NE  
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Notice of Minor Modification of Blanket License for Mobile Earth Stations;  
GUSA Licensee LLC – Call Sign E970381**

Dear Mr. Sullivan:

Pursuant to Section 25.118(a) of the Commission's rules,<sup>1</sup> GUSA Licensee LLC and its parent Globalstar, Inc. (together "Globalstar") hereby notify the Commission regarding a minor modification of Globalstar's blanket license for mobile earth stations ("MESs") (call sign E970381) in the Big LEO mobile satellite service ("MSS") band at 1610-1618.725 MHz/2483.5-2500 MHz. This blanket license authorizes MES operations in the United States, all U.S. territories and possessions, and all U.S. territorial waters. Globalstar notifies the Commission of a forthcoming increase in the number of units operating under its licensed MES category for "Handheld 3" transceivers, from 500,000 to 250 million.

Globalstar hereby certifies that there are no changes to the information provided in its December 2020 blanket license modification application to permit the operation of Handheld 3 MSS transceivers, other than this increase in the number of units operated under license E970381.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 25.118(a).

<sup>2</sup> *Satellite Communications Services Information re: Actions Taken*, Public Notice, Report No. SES-02348 at 8-11 (Mar. 24, 2021); Application for Modification, GUSA Licensee LLC, IBFS File No. SES-MOD-20201223-01432 (Dec. 23, 2020) ("2020 Modification Application"). In Schedule B of FCC Form 312 for this notification, Globalstar is unable to input the revised quantity of Handheld 3 units (250 million) into column E29, because this field is limited to eight characters and only permits the entry of numbers. At the suggestion of Commission staff, Globalstar has instead provided the number '99999999' in this field as a placeholder.



As indicated in the 2020 Modification Application, all devices in the proposed Handheld 3 category will comply with applicable technical requirements contained in Globalstar's blanket license and the Commission rules.<sup>3</sup>

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>3</sup> 2020 Modification Application, Technical Operations Exhibit. The equipment certification process will ensure that all device models operated under the Handheld 3 category comply with all applicable technical requirements.

