

February 16, 2010

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Attention:** Satellite Division  
International Bureau

Re: **Midcontinent Communications**  
**Receive-Only Earth Station E090171**  
**Bismarck, North Dakota**  
**FCC File No.: SES-REG-20091001-01253**

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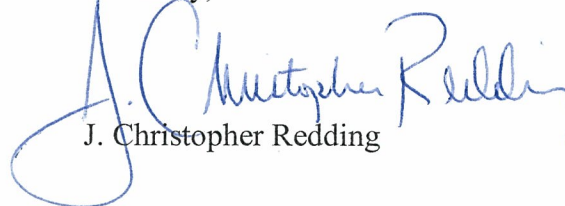
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Ladies and Gentlemen:

On behalf of Midcontinent Communications there is transmitted herewith in triplicate a Notice of Completion of Construction in connection with the above-referenced Receive-Only Earth Station. Should any questions arise regarding this matter, please contact Allyson Mejia at (202) 776-2901 or the undersigned.

Sincerely,

  
J. Christopher Redding

Enclosure



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#### NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF CONSTRUCTION


Ladies and Gentlemen:

Pursuant to Section 25.133(d) of the Commission's rules, we hereby provide notification that the construction authorized by the above-referenced earth station registration has been completed and the station is fully operational in accordance with its authorized parameters.

Should any questions arise in connection with this matter, please contact our FCC counsel, J. Christopher Redding, Esq., at (202) 776-2776.

Respectfully submitted,

**Midcontinent Communications**

  
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Thomas Heier  
Corporate Engineering Manager

Dated: 2/1/10