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Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Comments of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama
IB Docket No. 20-205—Preliminary List of Incumbent Earth Stations**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama respectfully submits its request for change of the Federal Registration Number (“FRN”) associated in the Commission’s Preliminary List of Incumbent Earth Stations to correct the FRN for the following incumbent C-Band earth stations:

E200848 File No. SES-REG-20181016-06160
E200839 File No. SES-REG-20181016-06151
E200908 File No. SES-REG-20181016-06221
E200392 File No. SES-REG-20181016-05703

The requested corrected change of FRN is as follows:

FROM: FRN 0009858812 which is registered in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama for The University of Alabama at Birmingham, (“UAB”)

TO: FRN 0001749688 which is registered in the name of The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama (“UA”).

Association of the four (4) Satellite Earth Stations with **FRN 0001749688**, as requested, does not constitute a change of control and only corrects the FRN data to ensure accuracy in the Commission’s final list of incumbent earth station. Both entity names reflect “The Board of Trustees of The University of

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Alabama” as each is part of the University of Alabama System which is govern by “The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama,” as stipulated in the Alabama Constitution (*Ala. Const. Art. 14, Sec. 264*), and identified and named "The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama" (*Code of Alabama, 1940, Title 52, Sec. 486*). Also, the FCC’s official records in Form 323-E Ownership Reports filed for UAB’s WBHM(FM), Birmingham, (file number 0000102256) and UA’s WUAL-FM, Tuscaloosa, and its other broadcast stations (file number 0000100567) have the same identical individuals listed in the named board of trustees, which is The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama.

The above referenced station call signs are reflected on page 177 of the Preliminary List released with the July 6, 2020, *Public Notice, DA 20-703*, entitled *International Bureau Releases Preliminary List of Incumbent Earth Stations in the 3.7-4.2 GHZ Band in the Contiguous United States, IB Docket No. 20-205*.

For the foregoing reasons, The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama respectfully requests that the Commission’s records associate the four (4) earth stations referenced above with FRN 0001749688 which will ensure accuracy of the Commission’s final list of incumbent earth stations.

Should any questions arise, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

The Board of Trustees of The University of Alabama



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