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VIA HAND DELIVERY

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Secretary
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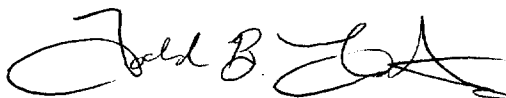
**Re: Earth Station Application for Special Temporary Authority
(FCC File No. SES-STA-20031002-01363) (KA365)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

By this letter, Neptune Pacific License Corporation ("Neptune Pacific") requests that the FCC's International Bureau initially limit its grant of Neptune Pacific's above-captioned request for Special Temporary Authority ("STA") to use of the conventional C-band frequencies for operation of its KA365 earth station. Once Neptune Pacific provides the International Bureau with an EMC analysis and the Bureau receives clearance from NTIA, Neptune Pacific requests that the Bureau expeditiously grant Neptune Pacific's STA for use of the requested extended C-band frequencies, pending Bureau action on Neptune Pacific's pending application for permanent authority to operate the KA365 earth station (FCC File No. SES-LIC-20031002-01362).

Should you have any additional questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



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