

APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

APPLICANT INFORMATION Enter a description of this application to identify it on the main menu:
STA to Use E980340 for drift and operations of DIRECTV 7S satellite at 119

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3. Reference File Number

4a. Is a fee submitted with this application?

- If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form 159. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R.Section 1.1114).
 Governmental Entity Noncommercial educational licensee
 Other(please explain):

4b. Fee Classification CGX – Fixed Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station

5. Type Request

- Use Prior to Grant Change Station Location Other

6. Requested Use Prior Date
05/25/2004

7. City Los Angeles

8. Latitude
(dd mm ss.s h) 39 59 1.0 N

9. State CA	10. Longitude (dd mm ss.s h) 118 25 26.0 W
11. Please supply any need attachments. Attachment 1: Attachment 2: Attachment 3:	
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14. Name of Person Signing James Butterworth	15. Title of Person Signing Senior Vice President
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