

APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

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VSAT NETWORK

**1. Applicant**

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<b>Attention:</b>	Mr Rusty Moore		

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3. Reference File Number or Submission ID IB2005002837

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 CGV – Fixed Satellite VSAT System

5. Type Request

- Use Prior to Grant                       Change Station Location                       Other

6. Requested Use Prior Date  
12/28/2005



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## **12. Description**

The applicant respectfully requests Special Temporary Authorization for 60 days to install and operate up to 10 remote terminals in the proposed VSAT system for the purposes of system trial and testing. The system trial and testing period will expedite the availability of the communications system to unserved, rural areas upon the grant of the associated VSAT system license.