

**Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the matter of	)	
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Stratos Communications, Inc.	)	File No. SES-STA-20070103-00007 (Call Sign E050249)
	)	
BT Americas, Inc.	)	File No. SES-STA-20070102-00003 (Call Sign E060076)
	)	
Telenor Satellite, Inc.	)	File No. SES-STA-20070110-00053 (Call Sign E050276)

**REPLY**

Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC (“MSV”) hereby files this Reply to the Joint Response of Inmarsat Ventures Limited, Stratos Communications, Inc., BT Americas, Inc., and Telenor Satellite, Inc. (collectively “Inmarsat”) to MSV’s Comments filed regarding the above-captioned requests for renewal of Special Temporary Authority (“STA”) to operate Broadband Global Area Network (“BGAN”) terminals using an uncoordinated Inmarsat satellite, Inmarsat 4F2 at 52.75°W.<sup>1</sup> In its Comments, MSV urged the International Bureau (“Bureau”) to (i) adopt conditions consistent with what MSV has requested in a pending Petition for Clarification;<sup>2</sup> and (ii) establish a firm expiration date for these STAs and provide that no further extensions will be granted without Inmarsat having first completed coordination of its new satellite with the North American L band operators.<sup>3</sup> In the event that the Bureau permits these STAs to continue without establishing a firm expiration date, the Bureau should at least (i) require the STA holders

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<sup>1</sup> See Inmarsat Ventures Limited, Response, File No. SES-STA20070103-00007 (Call Sign E050249) et al (January 18, 2007).

<sup>2</sup> See Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, Petition for Clarification, File No. SES-STA-20060310-00419 et al (June 12, 2006) (attaching Letter from Ms. Jennifer A. Manner, MSV, to Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, File No. SES-STA-20060310-00419 et al. (May 26, 2006)).

<sup>3</sup> See Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, Comments, File No. SES-STA-20070103-00007 (Call Sign E050249), File No. SES-STA-20070102-00003 (Call Sign E060076) (January 5, 2007) (“*MSV Comments*”); Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, Comments, File No. SES-STA-20070110-00053 (Call Sign E050276) (January 11, 2007).

to disclose the aggregate number of BGAN terminals that are in operation using the Inmarsat 4F2 satellite serving the United States and nearby geographic areas; and (ii) limit the BGAN terminals authorized under these STAs to those terminals that are issued to “first responders,” based on sworn affidavits provided by the STA holders supporting their claims.

In its Response, Inmarsat incorporate by reference pleadings from previous proceedings. MSV hereby incorporates by reference its pleadings as filed in those previous proceedings.<sup>4</sup>

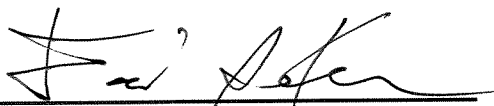
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<sup>4</sup> See Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, Petition for Clarification, File No. SES-STA-20060310-00419 et al (June 12, 2006); Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, Reply, File No. SES-STA-20060310-00419 et al (June 29, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, to Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, File No. SES-LFS-20050826-01175 et al (November 22, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC, to Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, File No. SES-LFS-20050826-01175 et al (December 18, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, MSV, to Mr. John Giusti and Mr. Julius Knapp, FCC (June 20, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, MSV, to Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, File No. SES-MFS-20051122-01614 (Call Sign E000180) et al (June 20, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, MSV, to Mr. John Giusti and Mr. Julius Knapp, FCC (July 18, 2006); Letter from Jennifer A. Manner, MSV, to Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, File No. SES-MFS-20051122-01614 (Call Sign E000180) et al (July 18, 2006).

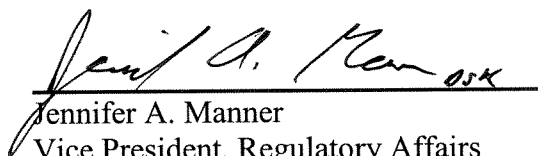
## Conclusion

MSV continues to urge the Bureau to protect the existing and reliable services MSV currently provides, including to public safety users, by (i) adopting conditions consistent with what MSV has requested in its pending Petition for Clarification; and (ii) establishing a firm expiration date for these STAs and provide that no further extensions will be granted without Inmarsat having first completed coordination of its new satellite with the North American L band operators.

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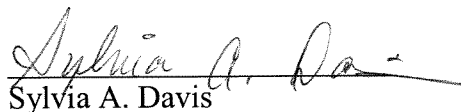
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