## **Attachment A**

## **Description of Request for Special Temporary Authority**

ViaSat, Inc. ("ViaSat") hereby requests extension of the special temporary authority ("STA"), SES-STA-20100916-01171, for period of 30 days, until December 24, 2010.

This STA granted authority, to operate a 7.3 m meter Model VA-73-KA transmit/receive antenna operating in the Ka-band in Rapid City, South Dakota for purposes of antenna testing and performance verification.

Due to schedule delays testing has not yet commenced.

Full technical information regarding the equipment to be operated under this STA is already on file at the Commission.