

NARRATIVE STATEMENT

Globecom Systems, Inc. ("GSI"), is an applicant for a modification of license E020288 to add international Ku-band receive frequencies and operations from 13.75 to 14.0 GHz on one of their Ku-Band 5.6 meter earth stations (GSM-6) in Laurel, Maryland. FCC File SES-MOD-20101014-01388. GSI hereby requests Special Temporary Authority ("STA") in connection with the above-referenced Ku-Band fixed earth station modification application. The STA would give GSI authority to operate the earth station to align and test the earth station prior to grant which will avoid delay of use of the station by the customer when the earth station modification is authorized. This temporary operation to test and align would be in the public interest by enabling immediate customer usage of the communications upon grant of the modification application by providing the customer continued information relating to domestic and international issues that could affect its financial status and knowledge of international political situations. Accordingly, grant of the STA is in the public interest.