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Jerome Kambic  
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Re: Call Sign E120097  
File No. SES-STA-20120523-00465

Dear Mr. Kambic:

On June 4, 2102, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (COP) filed the above captioned application for temporary authority (STA) to operate a Ku-Band mobile uplink Satellite News Gathering (SNG) truck earth station. For the reason stated below, we dismiss this application as defective.

Section 25.112(a) of the Commission's rules, requires the Commission to return, as unacceptable for filing, any earth station application that is not substantially complete, or does not comply with the Commission's rules.<sup>1</sup> COP's application does not comply with the Commission's rules, rendering it unacceptable and subject to dismissal for the following reasons.

Section 25.120(a) of the Commission's rules<sup>2</sup> requires STA requests to contain "the full particulars of the proposed operation." This includes frequency bands, powers and points of communication. COP did not submit information detailing the particulars of its proposed SNG operations in its STA application.

In addition, Section 25.120(a) of the Commissions' rules<sup>3</sup>, requires that STA requests include all facts sufficient to justify the temporary authority sought. COP did not provide any such information in its STA request. Without this information, we cannot make a finding that extraordinary circumstances require immediate operation and that a delay in these operations would seriously prejudice the public interest.<sup>4</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 25.112(a).

<sup>2</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 25.120(a).

<sup>3</sup> *Id.*

<sup>4</sup> *See* 47 C.F.R. § 25.120(b)(1).

Accordingly, pursuant to Section 25.112 of the Commission's rules, and Section 0.261 of the Commission's rules on delegations of authority,<sup>5</sup> we dismiss the application of Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as defective.

Sincerely,



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<sup>5</sup> 47 C.F.R. §§ 25.112 and 0.261.