

APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

APPLICANT INFORMATION Enter a description of this application to identify it on the main menu:
WA28 Renewal of STA for I3F5 POC authority

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File # SES-STA-20160415-00350
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 From: 4-27-16 To: 6-26-16
 Approved: Paul E. Allen

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Comsat, Inc. is granted special temporary authority (STA) for 60 days beginning on April 27, 2016 to operate Antenna IDs 21CNORM, 21CTTC and 21LBAND at its fixed earth station in Southbury, CT with the Inmarsat-3 F5 satellite at the 54 W.L. in the 5925-6425 MHz, 6424-6456.6 MHz and 1626-1660.5 MHz, (Earth-to-space) and 3700-4200 MHz (space-to-Earth) and 1525-1559 MHz frequency bands under the following conditions.

- 1) All antennas must operate with authorized emission limits in IBFS File No. SES-MFS-20140804-00632.
- 2) Operations shall not cause harmful interference to, and shall not claim protection from, interference caused to it by any other lawfully operating station and it shall cease transmission(s) immediately upon notice of such interference.
- 3) Grant of this STA is without prejudice to any determination that the Commission may make regarding other pending or future applications.
- 4) Any action taken or expense incurred as a result of operations pursuant to this STA is solely at the applicant's risk.
- 5) Grant of this STA is valid only for the time period prior to the Commission's final action taken on the underlying application IBFS File No. SES-MFS-20160222-00152
- 6) Grant of this STA does not constitute market access for any other U.S. earth station.
- 7) If the Inmarsat plc application IBFS File No. SAT-PPL-20160111-00001 is dismissed or denied this authorization becomes invalid and operations with the Inmarsat-3 F5 satellite must cease immediately.
- 8) This action is issued pursuant to Section 0.261 of the Commission's rules on delegated authority, 47 C.F.R. §0.261, and is effective immediately.



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(If your application is related to an application filed with the Commission, enter either the file number or the IB Submission ID of the related application. Please enter only one.)	
3. Reference File Number SESSTA2016022300164 or Submission ID	
4a. Is a fee submitted with this application?	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form 159. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1114). <input type="radio"/> Governmental Entity <input type="radio"/> Noncommercial educational licensee <input type="radio"/> Other (please explain):	
4b. Fee Classification CGX - Fixed Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station	
5. Type Request	
<input checked="" type="radio"/> Use Prior to Grant <input type="radio"/> Change Station Location <input type="radio"/> Other	
6. Requested Use Prior Date 04/26/2016	
7. City: Siuthbury	
8. Latitude (dd mm ss.s h) 41 27 5.0 N	

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Comsat, Inc.

Request for Renewal of Special Temporary Authority to

Use the Inmarsat -3 F5 Satellite at 54° W.L as a

Point of Communication for

Antenna IDs 21CNORM & 21CTTC/HUB

Southbury, CT Teleport Call Sign WA28

FILE NOs. SES-MFS-20160222-00152 and SES-STA-20160223-00164

Comsat, Inc. (“Comsat”, formerly known as Airbus DS SatCom Government, Inc.) hereby requests renewal of the grant of Special Temporary Authority (“STA”) for 60 days beginning on April 26, 2016 to allow continued use of the Inmarsat-3 F5 satellite (the “I3F5” satellite) at the 54° W.L. orbital location as a point of communication for the WA28 Antenna IDs 21CNORM and 21CTTC/HUB earth stations¹. Grant of this STA is in the public interest because it will assure continuity of service for Comsat’s customers who receive Inmarsat services via the Southbury Teleport while the Commission completes processing of Comsat’s application for permanent grant of the requested point of communications authority.

Any questions with respect to this matter may be directed to James G. Lovelace at (571) 599-3643.

¹ Comsat notes that Inmarsat’s application to add the I3F5 satellite to the Commission’s “ISAT List” was granted on April 7, 2016, *see* IBFS File No. SAT-PPL-20160111-00001.