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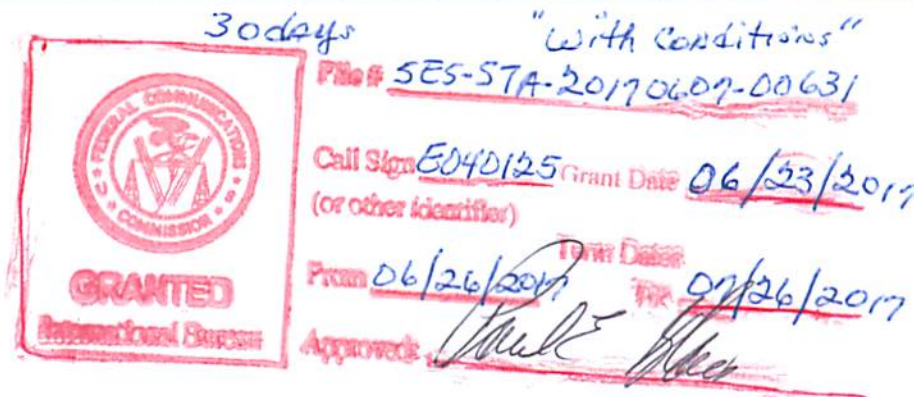
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APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

APPLICANT INFORMATION Enter a description of this application to identify it on the main menu:
STA Request to Use Riverside, CA Earth Station (E040125) to Provide LEOP Services for Intelsat 35e Satellite

1. Applicant

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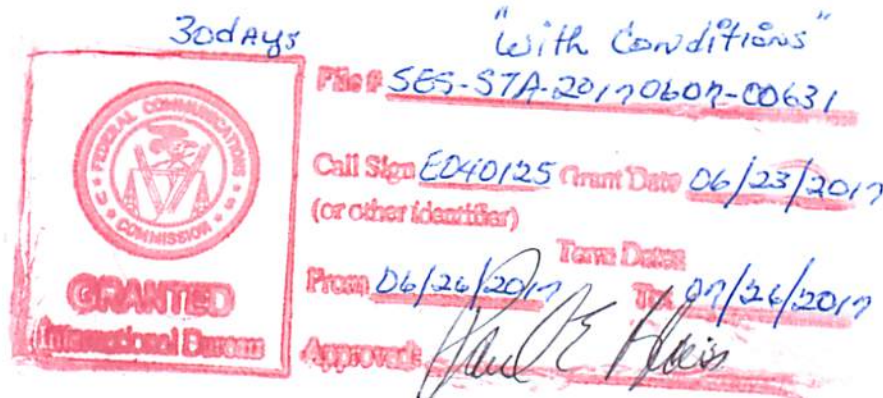
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Application: Intelsat License LLC
File No.: SES-STA-20170607-00631
Call Sign: E040125
Special Temporary Authority

Intelsat License LLC is granted a special temporary authority for 30 days, beginning June 26, 2017, to operate its C-band earth station, call sign E040125, in Riverside, California, to provide launch and early orbit phase (LEOP) services for the Intelsat 35e satellite at 34.5° W.L. licensed by India, using the following center frequencies: 5853.00 MHz and 6424.50 MHz (LHCP/V) (Earth-to-space) and 4197.75 MHz, 4198.25 MHz, 4198.75 MHz and 4199.25 MHz (LHCP/H) (space-to-Earth), under the following conditions;

1. All operations must be within the coordinated emission and power limits.
2. The LEOP operations must be coordinated with all operators of satellites that use the same frequency bands and are in the LEOP path. All operators of satellites in that path will be provided with an emergency phone number where the licensee can be reached in the event that harmful interference occurs. Currently the 24x7 contact information for the Intelsat 35e satellite LEOP mission is as follows: Ph.: (703) 559-7701 -East Coast Operations Center (primary); (310) 525-5591- West Coast Operations Center (back-up). Request to speak with Harry Burnham or Kevin Bell.
3. All operations shall be on an unprotected and non-harmful interference basis, Intelsat License LLC, E040125, 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.
4. Grant of this authorization is without prejudice to any determination that the Commission may make regarding pending or future Intelsat License LLC applications.
5. This STA can only be used to provide launch and early orbit phase ("LEOP") services for the Intelsat 35e satellite.
6. 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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June 7, 2017

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Request for Special Temporary Authority
Riverside, California Earth Station E040125

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Intelsat License LLC (“Intelsat”) herein requests a grant of Special Temporary Authority (“STA”)¹ for 30 days, commencing June 26, 2017, to use its Riverside, California C-band earth station—call sign E040125—to provide launch and early orbit phase (“LEOP”) services for Intelsat 35e.² Intelsat 35e is expected to be launched on June 26, 2017. The LEOP period is expected to last approximately 20 days.³

The proposed operations will be performed using the following frequencies: 6424.5 MHz, and 5853.0 MHz in the uplink (LHCP/V); and 4197.75 MHz, 4198.25 MHz, 4198.75 MHz, and 4199.25 MHz in the downlink (LHCP/H). The LEOP operations will be coordinated with all operators of satellites that use the same frequency bands and are in the LEOP path.⁴ All operators of satellites in that path will be provided with an emergency phone number where the licensee can be reached in the event that harmful interference occurs.

The 24x7 contact information for the Intelsat 35e mission is as follows:

¹ Intelsat has filed its STA request, an FCC Form 159, a \$200.00 filing fee, and this supporting letter electronically via the International Bureau’s Filing System (“IBFS”).

² The permanent orbital location for Intelsat 35e will be at 34.5° W.L. *See Policy Branch Information; Actions Taken, Report No. SAT-01191, SAT-LOA-20160408-00034 (Oct. 7, 2016) (Public Notice).* The in-orbit testing location will be 33.0° W.L. *See Policy Branch Information; Actions Taken, Public Notice, Report No. SAT-01223, File No. SAT-STA-20170314-00050 (Mar. 17, 2017) (Public Notice).*

³ Intelsat is seeking authority for 30 days to accommodate a possible launch delay.

⁴ Intelsat will handle the coordination.

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Request to speak with Harry Burnham or Kevin Bell.

In further support of this request, Intelsat herewith attaches Exhibit A, which contains technical information that demonstrates that the operation of the earth station will be compatible with its electromagnetic environment and will not cause harmful interference into any lawfully operating terrestrial facility. In the extremely unlikely event that harmful interference should occur due to transmissions to or from its earth station, Intelsat will take all reasonable steps to eliminate the interference.

Grant of this STA request will allow Intelsat to help launch and test the Intelsat 35e satellite. This, in turn, will help provide additional capacity to customers at the 34.5° W.L. orbital location and thereby promotes the public interest.

Please direct any questions regarding this STA request to the undersigned at (703) 559-6949.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Cynthia J. Grady

Cynthia J. Grady
Regulatory Counsel
Intelsat Corporation

cc: Paul Blais

2. Contact

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Attention:		Relationship:	Legal Counsel

(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 or Submission ID

4a. Is a fee submitted with this application?

- If Yes, complete and attach FCC Form 159. If No, indicate reason for fee exemption (see 47 C.F.R. Section 1.1114).
 Governmental Entity Noncommercial educational licensee
 Other (please explain):

4b. Fee Classification CGX - Fixed Satellite Transmit/Receive Earth Station

5. Type Request

- Use Prior to Grant Change Station Location Other

6. Requested Use Prior Date

7. CityNuevo

8. Latitude

(dd mm ss.s h) 33 47 43.6 N

9. State CA	10. Longitude (dd mm ss.s h) 117 5 20.4 W
11. Please supply any need attachments. Attachment 1: STA Request Attachment 2: Exhibit A Attachment 3:	
12. Description. (If the complete description does not appear in this box, please go to the end of the form to view it in its entirety.) <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 10px; margin: 10px 0;"> IntelSAT License LLC requests a grant of special temporary authority for 30 days, commencing June 26, 2017, to use its Riverside, CA earth station (call sign E040125) to provide launch and early orbit phase services for the IntelSAT 35e satellite. </div>	
13. By checking Yes, the undersigned certifies that neither applicant nor any other party to the application is subject to a denial of Federal benefits that includes FCC benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Act of 1988, 21 U.S.C. Section 862, because of a conviction for possession or distribution of a controlled substance. See 47 CFR 1.2002(b) for the meaning of "party to the application"; for these purposes. <div style="text-align: right;"> <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No </div>	
14. Name of Person Signing Cynthia J. Grady	15. Title of Person Signing Regulatory Counsel, IntelSAT Corporation
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