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## APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

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30 days

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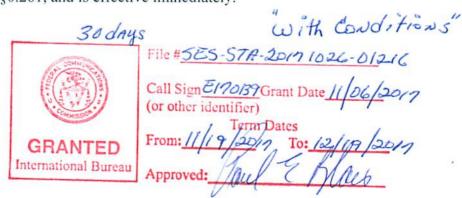
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Special Temporary Authority

SES Americom, Inc. is granted a special temporary authority for 30 days, beginning November 19, 2017, to operate a 9.0 meter earth station antenna (E170139) located at 34° 19' 32.3' N / 118° 59" 43.20' W in Somis, California, to perform in-orbit testing ("IOT") of the satellite's Kuband payload, and to provide telemetry, tracking and command (TT&C) services for the SES-15 satellite (S2951) while it is located at 137° W.L. and during the satellite's drift to its final orbital location, 129.15° W.L. The following frequency bands will be use to preform testing of the SES-15 Ku-band payload: 14000-14500 MHz (Earth-to-space) and 10700-12200 MHz (space-to-Earth) and to provide TT&C while SES-15 satellite is located at 137° W.L. as it drifts to 129.15° W.L. will use the following frequencies: 10700.50 MHz and 12199.50 MHz (space-to-Earth) and 13999 MHz, 14001 MHz and 14499 MHz (Earth-to-space), under the following conditions:

- 1. The maximum EIRP shall not exceed 85 dBW per NTIA manual US 356 for the uplink frequency: 13999 MHz within the coordinated emission and power limits.
- 2. All operators of satellite 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 SES-15 (S2951) mission is as follows: Ph.: (805) 386-2712- Request to speak with Dave Coyle.
- 4. All operations under this grant of special temporary authority shall be on an unprotected and non-harmful interference basis. SES Americom, Inc.'s, E170139, shall not cause harmful interference to, and shall not claim protection from interference caused to it by, any other lawfully operating radio communication system.
- 5. In the event of any harmful interference under this grant of special temporary authority, SES Americom, Inc., E170139, must cease operations immediately upon notification of such interference, and must inform the Commission, in writing, immediately of such an event.
- 6. Grant of this authorization is without prejudice to any determination that the Commission may make regarding pending or future SES American, Inc. applications.
- 7. Any action taken or expense incurred as a result of operations pursuant to this special temporary authority is solely at SES Americom, Inc.'s risk.
- 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.



| 2. Contact                            |  |  |                                  |
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| Attention:                            |  | Relationship:  | Legal Counsel                    |
|                                       |  |  |                                  |
| fYes, complete and                    | d with this application? d attach FCC Form 159. If I | No, indicate reason for fee exemptio cational licensee | n (see 47 C.F.R.Section 1.1114). |
| 4b. Fee Classification                | CGX - Fixed Satellite Trans                          | mit/Receive Earth Station                              |                                  |
| 5. Type Request  O Use Prior to Grant | 0  | Change Station Location                                | Other                            |
|                                       |  |  |                                  |
| 6. Requested Use Prior<br>11/19/2017  | Date   |  |                                  |
| 7. CitySomis                          |  | 8. Latitude<br>(dd mm ss.s h)                          | 34 19 32.3 N                     |

| 9. State CA  |   | 10. Longitude<br>(dd mm ss.s h) 118 59 43.2 W   |
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| to test the Ku-band pays testing of the satellite authority for 30 days be 13. By checking Yes, the undersigned c subject to a denial of Federal benefits the same of the satellite authority for 30 days be 15. | load on SES-15 (call e at 137 W.L. and du eginning on November  ertifies that neither applicant a nat includes FCC benefits purs e of a conviction for possession | ry authority (STA) to operate antenna E170139 sign S2951) and provide TT&C during in-orbit ring drift to 129.15 W.L. SES requests 19, 2017. See attached narrative.  nor any other party to the application is suant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Act on or distribution of a controlled substance. |
| 14. Name of Person Signing   | or coquot,party to the applican   | 15. Title of Person Signing   |
| Petra A. Vorwig  |   | Senior Legal & Regulatory Counsel   |
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