



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

Re: Request for Special Temporary Authority Hagerstown, Maryland Ku-band Earth Station E110013

Dear Ms. Dortch:

 $^{3}$  Id.

Intelsat License LLC ("Intelsat") herein requests an expedited grant of Special Temporary Authority ("STA")<sup>1</sup> for 60 days, commencing September 27, 2018, to use an 11-meter Ku-band VSAT hub antenna at its Hagerstown, Maryland Ku-band earth station to communicate with Galaxy 3C. Intelsat has a pending application to modify call sign E110013 to replace the existing 9.3-meter hub antenna with the 11-meter Ku-band VSAT hub antenna.<sup>2</sup>

Intelsat is seeking to perform operations in the following frequency bands: 11.7-12.2 GHz and 14.0-14.5 GHz.

In further support of this request, Intelsat herewith incorporates by reference the technical information previously provided regarding the operations of E110013.<sup>3</sup> In the extremely unlikely event that harmful interference should occur, Intelsat will take all reasonable steps to eliminate the interference.

Grant of this STA request will allow Intelsat to provide VSAT service to its customer. This, in turn, will help provide customer service and thereby promotes the public interest.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> 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").

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Intelsat License LLC, Modification of VSAT Network E110013 to Add New Hub, File No. SES-MOD-INTR2018-05644 (filed Sept. 10, 2018).

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

Respectfully submitted,

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