

APPLICATION FOR EARTH STATION SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

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Request for STA to Provide TT&C for ASTRA 3A for Drift to and Operations at 86.8 W.L. (E170089)

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3. Reference File Number SESMFS2019100201233 or Submission ID

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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

10/23/2019

7. CityMt. Airy

8. Latitude

(dd mm ss.s h) 39 22 38.8 N

9. State MD	10. Longitude (dd mm ss.s h) 77 4 52.97
11. Please supply any need attachments. Attachment 1: Attachment 2: 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: 5px; margin: 10px 0;">SES Americom, Inc. respectfully requests earth station special temporary authority for a period of 60 days beginning on October 23, 2019 to permit SES to use its E170089 earth station to perform Tracking, Telemetry and Command for the ASTRA 3A spacecraft using Ku-band frequencies in order to drift the the satellite from 47 W.L. to 86.8 W.L. and to</div>	
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14. Name of Person Signing Petra A. Vorwig	15. Title of Person Signing Senior Legal & Regulatory Counsel
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