

## EXHIBIT 1

### REQUEST FOR SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORIZATION (Response to Question 12, FCC Form)

Pursuant to Section 25.120(b)(2) of the Commission's rules,<sup>1</sup> HNS License Sub, LLC (together with its affiliates, "Hughes") requests to renew its special temporary authorization ("STA"),<sup>2</sup> for an additional 180 days until July 9, 2023, to continue testing and demonstration of four earth station terminals in Germantown, MD, for communications with the EchoStar XIX satellite ("EchoStar XIX" or "Jupiter 2") on the following Ka-band frequencies: 29.25-30.0 GHz (uplink) and 19.7-20.2 GHz (downlink).<sup>3</sup> Expeditious grant of the requested STA renewal will serve the public interest by allowing Hughes to continue testing and demonstration of the latest technology in user terminals for potential commercial deployment of new broadband applications to consumers across the United States and abroad.<sup>4</sup>

The technical parameters of the earth terminals are specified in Attachment A and remain unchanged. The earth terminals have been authorized under the Commission's Part 2 equipment authorization procedures for compliance with applicable Part 25 technical requirements. Hughes will continue to operate these earth terminals in accordance with all applicable coordination agreements, including a coordination agreement with Iridium for shared use of the 29.25-29.50 GHz band, and has received no reports of interference from its STA operations to date.

Accordingly, the proposed STA renewal raises no interference concerns.

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<sup>1</sup> See 47 C.F.R. § 25.120(b)(2).

<sup>2</sup> See Hughes, *Stamp* Grant, IBFS File No. SES-STA-20221128-01283 (Dec. 9, 2022).

<sup>3</sup> Hughes is licensed to operate EchoStar XIX at 97.1°W in the fixed satellite service, as well as numerous associated earth station terminals, on the same Ka-band frequencies proposed herein. See Hughes, *Stamp* Grant, Call Sign S2834, IBFS File No. SAT-MOD-20171204-00163 (Jan. 18, 2018); Hughes, *Radio Station Authorization*, Call Sign E060445, IBFS File No. SES-RWL-20220128-00103 (March 9, 2022).

<sup>4</sup> Following successful completion of its STA operations, Hughes may seek authorization to operate the proposed earth station terminals on a long-term basis.

## ATTACHMENT A

### TECHNICAL PARAMETERS OF PROPOSED EARTH STATION TERMINALS

|                                                    |                                                                                                   |                                                                                                   |
|----------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Manufacturer                                       | ThinKom                                                                                           | ThinKom                                                                                           |
| Model                                              | Ka2517                                                                                            | Ka1717                                                                                            |
| Quantity                                           | 2                                                                                                 | 2                                                                                                 |
| Frequency Bands (GHz)                              | 29.25 – 30.0 (uplink)<br>19.7 – 20.2 (downlink)                                                   | 29.25 – 30.0 (uplink)<br>19.7 – 20.2 (downlink)                                                   |
| Transmitting Antenna Size/Diameter                 | 17 in.                                                                                            | 17 in.                                                                                            |
| Area of Operation                                  | Within 10 km (radius) of<br>39° 10' 45.4794" N, 77° 14'<br>48.8394" W (NAD83)<br>(Germantown, MD) | Within 10 km (radius) of<br>39° 10' 45.4794" N, 77° 14'<br>48.8394" W (NAD83)<br>(Germantown, MD) |
| Antenna Polarization                               | Left and Right Circular                                                                           | Left and Right Circular                                                                           |
| Emission Designator                                | 17M8FDXT                                                                                          | 17M8FDXT                                                                                          |
| Transmitting Antenna Gain<br>(dBi at GHz)          | 38 dBi at 29.5 GHz                                                                                | 38 dBi at 29.5 GHz                                                                                |
| Receiving Antenna Gain<br>(dBi at GHz)             | 39 dBi at 19.7 GHz                                                                                | 36 dBi at 19.7 GHz                                                                                |
| Total Input Power at Antenna Flange<br>(watts)     | 15.8                                                                                              | 15.8                                                                                              |
| Total EIRP for all carriers (dBW)                  | 50                                                                                                | 50                                                                                                |
| Maximum EIRP per Carrier (dBW)                     | 51.5                                                                                              | 51.5                                                                                              |
| Maximum EIRP Density per Carrier<br>(dBW/4 kHz)    | 17.5                                                                                              | 17.5                                                                                              |
| Modulation and Services                            | OQPSK                                                                                             | OQPSK                                                                                             |
| Maximum EIRP Density toward<br>Horizon (dBW/4 kHz) | -28                                                                                               | -28                                                                                               |