

EXHIBIT 1
REQUEST FOR SPECIAL TEMPORARY AUTHORITY

DIRECTV Enterprises, LLC (“DIRECTV”) respectfully requests a grant of earth station special temporary authority (“STA”) for 30 days commencing January 15, 2020 to operate its Long Beach, California earth station (Call Sign E070123) to deorbit DIRECTV’s SPACEWAY 1 satellite (Call Sign S2191).

In response to an anomaly impacting the battery on SPACEWAY 1, DIRECTV plans to deorbit the satellite prior to commencement of the spring eclipse season out of an abundance of caution. DIRECTV expects to begin deorbiting SPACEWAY 1 as early as January 15, 2020. DIRECTV plans to operate its Long Beach, California earth station (Call Sign E070123) to deorbit SPACEWAY 1 and anticipates a need to do so utilizing broader satellite arc, elevation, and azimuth limits than what are currently authorized under the existing authorization. Accordingly, DIRECTV respectfully requests a grant of STA for 30 days commencing January 15, 2020 to operate the earth station utilizing a satellite arc east limit of 55.0° W.L. (with elevation of 13.5° and azimuth of 105.7°) and a satellite arc west limit of 160.0 ° W.L. (with elevation of 30.8° and azimuth of 238.1°) for all authorized frequency ranges.

The 24/7 emergency contact information is as follows: Steve Dulac at (310) 429-1624.

Grant of this earth station STA request is in the public interest because it will facilitate the deorbiting of DIRECTV’s SPACEWAY 1 satellite. Accordingly, DIRECTV respectfully requests that the Commission grant this request.