

Response to Item 42A
Use of Non-U.S.-Licensed Satellites
Earth Stations

CapRock Communications, Inc. Earth Station facilities communicate with Amazonas 1, Satmex 5 and Satmex 6, which are listed on the Commission's Permitted Space Station List ("Permitted List"). Pursuant to the *Disco II First Reconsideration Order*, FCC 99-325 (released October 29, 1999), a U.S.-licensed earth station with an ALSAT license is permitted to access any space station on the Permitted List, provided the space station complies with the Commission's technical requirements, and operates under the conditions on its license, and set forth in the Orders cited at: www.fcc.gov/ib/srd/se/permitted.html