Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20554

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| W4 Communications Corp. | File No.: |
| Application to operate a 4.8-meter Ku-band fixed earth station for the provision of digital data, audio and video services via ALSAT, SATMEX 5, SOLIDARIDAD 1 & 2, and NAHUEL C satellites. | SES-LIC-19990706-01136 SES-AMD-19991108-01991 Call Sign: E990298 |

ORDER

Adopted: January 14, 2000

Released: January 18, 2000

By the Chief, Satellite and Radiocommunication Division:

1. Loral Space & Communications Ltd. (Loral) requests an extension of time from January 8, 2000, until January 30, 2000, to file comments on the above captioned application by W4 Communications Corp. (W4).

2. Loral states that it requires the additional time requested to confirm the status of a pending application, in which it has an interest, filed in Argentina for authority for earth stations there to access a U.S. authorized and Loral-owned satellite.

3. We find it is in the public interest to grant Loral an extension of time in which to file comments on the above captioned application. Therefore, we extend the date to file comments on W4's application until January 30, 2000.

4. This action is taken pursuant to Sections 0.51, 0.261, 1.46 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § § 0.51, 0.261, 1.46.

5. Accordingly, Loral's Request for Extension of Time is GRANTED and the deadline for filing comments on the above captioned application is EXTENDED from January 8, 2000, until January 30, 2000.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Thomas S. Tycz Chief, Satellite and Radiocommication Division,

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