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Mr. Stanley Edinger
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Re: Call Sign: E040105
SES-LIC-20040210-00282
SES-AMD-20040921-01406
Loral Spacecom Corporation
(Debtor-In-Possession)

Dear Mr. Edinger:

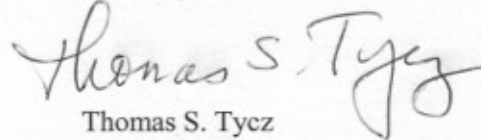
On September 20, 2004, Loral Spacecom Corporation (Debtor-In-Possession) ("Loral") filed an application, File No. SES-AMD-20040921-01406, to amend a pending application, File No. SES-LIC-20040210-00282. The amendment modifies the pending application by changing the frequency bands from 11700-12200 MHz (receive) and 14000-14500 MHz (transmit) to carrier frequencies 12023.716 MHz (receive) and 13905.722 MHz (transmit). The amendment also supplied a link-budget analysis and copies of correspondence indicating that coordination between the HISPASAT-1C and INTELSAT networks is complete. In addition it requested a waiver of 47 CFR § 25.204(f). For the reasons stated below, we dismiss both the amendment and the original application.

Section 25.114(c) of the Commission's rules requires all space station applicants to submit all applicable items of information listed in its subsections. Section 25.137(b) of the Commission's rules states that applications for earth station's seeking to access a non-U.S.-licensed satellite, such as the HISPASAT-1C, must also include the same information as required in Section 25.114(c) for the foreign space station. The Loral application as amended is incomplete because it does not demonstrate that HISPASAT-1C is designed to operate within a +/- 0.05 degree station-keeping tolerance as set forth in Section 25.114(c)(9) of the Commission's rules nor does it include a two-degree spacing interference analysis as required by Section 25.114(c)(17) and 25.140 of the rules.¹

¹ See letter from Thomas S. Tycz, Chief, Satellite Division, International Bureau, FCC to Stanley Edinger, Manager, Government Affairs, Loral Skynet (July 23, 2004) requesting additional information regarding File No. SES-LIC-20040210-00282.

Accordingly, application SES-LIC-20040210-00282, as amended by SES-AMD-20040921-01406, IS DISMISSED without prejudice to refiling² pursuant to 47 CFR § 25.114(c) and 47 CFR § 25.112(c). This action is taken pursuant to 47 CFR § 0.261.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Thomas S. Tycz". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the printed name and title.

Thomas S. Tycz
Chief
Satellite Division

² If Loral refiles an application identical to the one dismissed, with the exception of supplying the defective information, it need not pay a further application fee. See 47 CFR § 1.1109(d).