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POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

Actions Taken

The Commission, by its International Bureau, took the following actions pursuant to delegated authority. The effective date of these actions is the release date of this Notice, except where an effective date is specified.

SAT-AMD-20060724-00080 E S2695 Satelites Mexicanos S. A. de C. V.
Amendment
Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 08/04/2006

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite, Fixed Satellite Service

Grantd with conditions on August 4, 2006. See SAT-PPL-20060329-00030 for a full description of the action.

SAT-ASG-20060724-00078 E S2115 Globalstar, Inc.
Assignment
Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 08/09/2006

Current Licensee: Globalstar, Inc.

FROM: GLOBALSTAR, INC.

TO: Globalstar Licensee LLC

No. of Station(s) listed: 1

SAT-PPL-20060329-00030 E S2695 Satelites Mexicanos S. A. de C. V.
Petition for Declaratory Ruling to be Added to the Permitted List
Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 08/04/2006

Nature of Service: Direct to Home Fixed Satellite, Fixed Satellite Service

On August 4, 2006, the Policy Branch granted with conditions pursuant to Sections 303(r), 308, 309, and 310 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. §§ 303(r), 308, 309, and 310, and Sections 0.261 and 25.137(c) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.261, and 25.137(c), the Petition for Declaratory Ruling filed by Satélites Mexicanos, S.A. de C.V. (Satmex), SAT-PPL-20060329-00030, as amended by SAT-AMD-20060724-00080, to add its in-orbit C- and Ku-band Satellite, SATMEX 6, located at the 113° W.L. orbital location and which is licensed by Mexico, to the Commission's Permitted Space Station List. Accordingly, each earth station with "ALSAT" designated as a point of communication IS GRANTED authority to provide Fixed Satellite Services (FSS) and FSS Direct-to-Home Service (DTH) to, from, or within the United States, by accessing the SATMEX-6 satellite at the 113° W.L. orbital location in the 5925-6425 MHz (Earth-to-space), 3700-4200 MHz (space-to-Earth), 11.7-12.2 GHz (space-to-Earth) and 14.0-14.5 GHz (Earth-to-space) frequency bands, in accordance with the technical specifications set forth in the petition for declaratory ruling, the Commission's Rules, and the conditions of grant.

SAT-STA-20060224-00015 E S2390 Intelsat North America LLC
Special Temporary Authority
Grant of Authority Effective Date: 08/10/2006

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On August 10, 2006, the Policy Branch granted with conditions Intelsat LLC's (Intelsat) request, File No. SAT-STA-20060224-00015, for special temporary authority (STA) authority to continue operation of its Intelsat 604 satellite at the 177.85° E.L. orbital location in accordance with the terms, conditions, and technical specifications set forth in its application, the Commission's rules, and the attachment to grant. The grant was subject to the same conditions as the prior STA grant, File No. SAT-STA-20060130-00011 (grant stamp on January 30, 2006).

SAT-STA-20060628-00072 E S2146 PanAmSat Licensee Corp.
Special Temporary Authority
Grant of Authority Effective Date: 08/10/2006

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On August 10, 2006, the Policy Branch granted with conditions PanAmSat Licensee Corp.'s (PanAmSat) request, IBFS File No. SAT-STA-20060628-00072 (Call Sign: S2146), to permit the GALAXY-9 satellite to remain at 90.9° W.L., and continuing through and including September 1, 2006, following action on IBFS File No. SAT-MOD-20060425-00048 (Call Sign: S2146). During the period covered by the STA, GALAXY-9 will serve as an in-orbit spare and operations will be limited to the tracking, telemetry, and command payload on the satellite.

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SAT-LOA-20040909-00168 S2640 The DIRECTV Group, Inc.

The Bureau has determined that DIRECTV Group, Inc. has met the Contract Execution, Critical Design Review and Construction Completion milestones associated with this authorization and may reduce the bond amount by 25% for each milestone met as provided in the Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, IB Docket No. 02-34, 18 FCC Rcd 10760 (2003); Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Order on Reconsideration and Fifth Report and Order, IB Docket No. 02-34, 19 FCC Rcd 12637 (2004). Therefore, DIRECTV Group, Inc. may reduce its required bond amount to \$750,000 instead of \$3 million.

SAT-LOA-20040909-00169 S2641 The DIRECTV Group, Inc.

INFORMATIVE

The Bureau has determined that The DIRECTV Group, Inc. has met the Contract Execution, Critical Design Review and Construction Completion milestones associated with this authorization and may reduce the bond amount by 25% for each milestone met as provided in the Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, IB Docket No. 02-34, 18 FCC Rcd 10760 (2003); Amendment of the Commission's Space Station Licensing Rules and Policies, First Order on Reconsideration and Fifth Report and Order, IB Docket No. 02-34, 19 FCC Rcd 12637 (2004). Therefore, The DIRECTV Group, Inc. may reduce its required bond amount to \$750,000 instead of \$3 million.

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