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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-PPL-20051101-00208 E S2685 Space Communications Corporation
Petition for Declaratory Ruling to be Added to the Permitted List
Grant of Authority Effective Date: 02/15/2006

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On February 15, 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, 310, and Sections 0.261 and 25.137(c) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.261, 25.137(c), the Petition for Declaratory Ruling filed by Space Communication Corporation (File No. SAT-PPL-20051101-00208) to add its in-orbit Superbird-B2 satellite at 162° E.L. to the Permitted Space Station List is GRANTED. Accordingly, each U.S.-licensed earth station with "ALSAT" designated as a point of communication IS GRANTED authority to provide Fixed Satellite Services (FSS) in the 14.0-14.5 GHz (Earth-to-space) frequency bands, from the United States, by accessing the Superbird-B2 satellite at the 162° E.L. orbit location, in accordance with the technical specifications set forth in its petition for declaratory ruling, the conditions of grant, and the Commission's Rules.

SAT-PPL-20051220-00266 E S2474 Loral Skynet do Brasil
Petition for Declaratory Ruling to be Added to the Permitted List
Grant of Authority Effective Date: 02/17/2006

Nature of Service: Fixed Satellite Service

On December 20, 2005, Loral Skynet do Brasil filed an application notifying the Commission that on November 21, 2005, indirect control of Loral Skynet do Brasil was transferred from Loral Space and Communications Ltd., Debtor-in-Possession, to Loral Space and Communications Inc. Loral Skynet do Brasil is licensed by Brazil to operate the Ku-band Estrela do Sul 1, an in-orbit satellite located at 63° W.L. The Commission added the Estrela do Sul 1 satellite to the Commission's Permitted Space Station List with conditions on December 23, 2003. In the Matter of Loral Skynet do Brasil, Order, DA 03-4095 (rel. Dec. 23, 2003) (granting SAT-PDR-20021010-00196). The notification of the transfer of control was placed on Public Notice on January 6, 2006. See Public Notice, Report No. SAT-00337. No comments were received in response to the Public Notice.

After review, the Satellite Division has determined that the transfer of control from Loral Space and Communications Ltd., Debtor-in-Possession, to Loral Space and Communications Inc., does not affect any of the considerations made when the Estrela do Sul 1 satellite was placed on the Permitted Space Station List. The Permitted Space Station List will be amended to reflect the transfer of control from Loral Space and Communications Ltd., Debtor-in-Possession, to Loral Space and Communications Inc.

SAT-STA-20060131-00012 E

PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

Special Temporary Authority

Grant of Authority

Effective Date: 02/14/2006

On February 14, 2006, the Policy Branch Granted with conditions PanAmSat Licensee Corp.'s (PanAmSat's) application, SAT-STA-20060131-00012 (Call Sign: S2131). Accordingly, PanAmSat is authorized, for the period of 30 days commencing on February 14, 2006, to relocate Galaxy 1R from 133.0 W.L. to 132.9 W.L. for the purpose of handing off communications traffic to its replacement satellite, Galaxy 15. PanAmSat is also authorized to continue operating the tracking, telemetry and command (TT&C) payload on the Galaxy 1R satellite, while at the same time performing end of life maneuvers to boost the satellite to a disposal orbit above the geostationary arc, in accordance with the terms, conditions, and technical specifications set forth in its application and the Federal Communications Commission's Rules.

Dismissal

SAT-STA-20050914-00179

GAL-3R

PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

On February 14, 2006, the Policy Branch dismissed PanAmSat Licensee Corp.'s (PanAmSat) request for extension of special temporary authority to operate the Galaxy 3 R at 73.95 W.L. as moot in light of PanAmSat's request to perform end of life maneuvers on the satellite.

SAT-STA-20050930-00189

GAL-3R

PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

On February 14, 2006, the Policy Branch dismissed as moot PanAmSat Licensee Corp.'s (PanAmSat's) request for an extension of special temporary authority to continue to operate at 73.95 W.L. in light of PanAmSat's request to perform end of life maneuvers on the satellite.

For more information concerning this Notice, contact the Satellite Division at 202-418-0719; TTY 202-418-2555.