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POLICY BRANCH INFORMATION

Satellite Space Applications Accepted for Filing

The applications listed below have been found, upon initial review, to be acceptable for filing. The Commission reserves the right to return any of the applications if, upon further examination, it is determined the application is not in conformance with the Commission's rules or its policies. Consideration of each satellite application in this Public Notice may depend on the Commission's action on another satellite application earlier in the queue. Petitions, oppositions and other pleadings filed in response to this notice should conform to Section 25.154 of the Commission's rules, unless otherwise noted. 47 C.F.R. § 25.154.

SAT-AMD-20040826-00161 E S2415 Columbia Communications Corporation
Date Filed: 08/26/2004 13:51:23:44300
Amendment

Columbia Communications Corporation has filed an amendment to its pending application for modification of its AMC-12 satellite at 37.5° W.L. (See File No. SAT-MOD-20020517-00078). This amendment provides new information concerning increased eirp levels and a new polarization plan.

SAT-LOA-20040728-00150 E S2634 AfriSpace, Inc.
Date Filed: 07/28/2004 12:24:42:37600
Launch and Operating Authority

AfriSpace, Inc. has filed an application to launch and operate the AfriStar-2 satellite and to co-locate it at 21° E.L. with its AfriStar-1 satellite. The AfriStar-2 satellite will operate in the 7025-7075 MHz and 1452-1492 MHz frequency bands. AfriSpace proposes to launch the satellite in 2006.

Afrispace filed the application as an application for a replacement satellite. With this application, Afrispace filed a request for waiver of the Commission's bond and milestone requirements in the event the Commission determined that this application was not a replacement application. We have determined that this is an application for a new satellite. The initial file number, SAT-RPL-20040728-00150, has been adjusted accordingly and all correspondence concerning this application should reference File No. SAT-LOA-20040728-00150.

SAT-STA-20040914-00176 E WB Holdings 1 LLC
Date Filed: 09/14/2004 16:17:02:45300
Special Temporary Authority

WB Holdings 1, LLC has filed a request for Special Temporary Authority to operate its Ka-band payload (29250-30000 MHz, 28350-28600 MHz and 19700-20200 MHz frequency bands) on the Intelsat Americas 8 (IA-8) satellite at WildBlue's 109.2° W.L. orbital location for a period of 60 days beginning upon the launch of IA-8. The IA-8 satellite is expected to be launched in mid-November 2004 by Intelsat North America LLC. WildBlue will operate its payload on a non-interference basis.

SAT-STA-20040923-00186 E

PanAmSat Licensee Corp.

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Special Temporary Authority

PanAmSat Licensee Corp. (PanAmSat) has filed a request for Special Temporary Authority for 180 days, commencing on November 4, 2004, to operate the tracking, telemetry, and command (TT&C) payload on Galaxy 3R at 111.0° W.L. Uplink TT&C transmissions on Galaxy 3R will occur at either 5935.0 MHz (horizontal) or 6415.0 MHz (vertical) and downlink TT&C transmissions will occur at 4198.5 MHz and 4199.625 MHz. Under separate cover, PanAmSat is simultaneously requesting an STA authorizing relocation of Galaxy 3R from 111.06° W.L. to 111.0° W.L., and operation of the TT&C payload on Galaxy 3R during and after the relocation, for an initial 30-day period between October 4, 2004 and November 3, 2004. (See File No. SAT-STA-20040923-00185.)

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