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The Honorable Julius Genachowski
Chairman, Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
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Dear Chairman Genachowski:

We are writing to express our joint support for prompt consideration of the pending applications for Federal Communications Commission consent to the transfer of control of Iridium Holdings LLC and Iridium Carrier Holdings LLC.

Iridium Holdings LLC, Iridium Carrier Holdings LLC and GHQ Acquisition Corp. (GHQ) have filed a series of applications pursuant to sections 214 and 310(d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended seeking approval of the transfer of control of Iridium Carrier Services LLC, Iridium Satellite LLC, and Iridium Constellation LLC and their respective FCC licenses and authorizations, from Iridium Holdings and Iridium Carrier Holdings to GHQ, a U.S. special purpose acquisition company established for the purpose of entering into a merger or similar business combination with an operating company. These applications have been pending for more than 180 days.

Prompt consideration of these applications is in the public interest as they will facilitate the financing necessary to construct, launch and operate the next generation Iridium system to continue its global mobile satellite service. The Iridium system is of important economic significance to governmental and private sector users, including constituents in the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Thank you for your consideration of this important matter. Please contact Jamie Miller (Wittman) at 202-225-4261 or Sean Gallagher (Nye) at 202-225-4215 should you or your staff require additional information.

Sincerely,




Robert J. Wittman
Member of Congress



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