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Chair Rosenworcel,

Thank you for your leadership in working to expand broadband access to millions of Americans. Next-generation non-geostationary orbit (NGSO) satellite broadband is a key tool in helping to solve our national broadband divide, and I am grateful for your longstanding support for these capabilities. However, I am concerned by a pending proceeding (Docket 20-443, “Expanding Flexible Use of the 12.2-12.7 GHz Band”) at the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that could disrupt critical service for millions of Americans, including across Florida, if implemented. This Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM), which was initiated in the final days of the

¹SpaceX Analysis of the Effect of Terrestrial Mobile Deployment on NGSO FSS Downlink Operations. Available at https://api.starlink.com/public-files/12.5GHzInterferenceStudy_062022.pdf

²Letter from Alison Minea to Marlene H. Dortch, LPS File No. SAT-MOD-20180319-00022 and Docket No. RM-11768, at 3 (Dec. 2, 2019).

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Thank you for your attention to this important matter, and I look forward to our continued partnership.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Darren Soto".

Darren Soto
Member of Congress