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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Notice of Ex Parte Meeting*, GN Docket No. 18-122

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Per FCC Rule 1.1206, this letter provides notice that on August 29, 2019, Peter Pitsch, Executive Vice President, Advocacy & Government Relations, C-Band Alliance (“CBA”); Susan Crandall, Associate General Counsel, Intelsat US LLC; Steve Corda, Vice President Media Platforms, SES Americom, Inc.; and Kathryne Dickerson of Wiley Rein LLP, counsel to the CBA, met with the Commission personnel listed in Attachment A.

During the meeting, the participants discussed the CBA’s proposal to clear a portion of the C-band for terrestrial 5G use via a market-based mechanism and cross-border interference coordination issues with Canada. Ms. Crandall noted that the Canadian regulator has requested information regarding the location of earth stations in Canada, which will inform the CBA’s analysis of the extent of potential interference from 5G operations and strategies to eliminate or mitigate such interference. Mr. Corda explained that the Partial Economic Areas most likely to be affected by cross-border interference issues are those near Detroit, Seattle, and Buffalo. Mr. Corda also addressed technical issues such as co-channel interference and filter deployments. Additionally, the meeting participants discussed timing and next steps in this proceeding.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions regarding this letter.

Respectfully submitted,

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ATTACHMENT A

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