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Ms. Magalie Roman Salas
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W. – Room 222
Washington, D.C. 20554

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Re: In the Matter of Establishing Rules for the Use of Spectrum for Mobile Satellite Service in the Upper and Lower L-Band, IB Docket No. 96-132 ✓

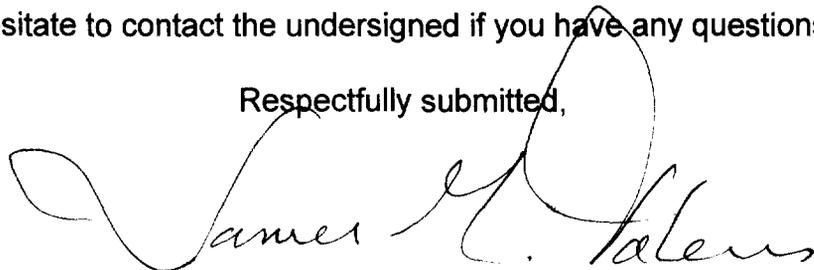
Dear Ms. Salas:

Representatives of Motorola, Inc. ("Motorola") and Iridium LLC ("Iridium") met with staff members of the Commission's International Bureau on July 29, 1998. This meeting was requested by Motorola and Iridium to discuss the current status of the above-referenced rulemaking proceeding. In particular, Motorola and Iridium sought a better understanding of the extent to which the current freeze on accepting applications for use of the L-band applies to Earth stations and satellite systems. The meeting was attended by the following Commission personnel:

**Thomas Tycz
Fern Jarmulnek
Cassandra Thomas**

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



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