

March 7, 2016

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

**Re: Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation
GN Dkt. No. 13-114; RM-11640**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, March 3, 2016, Bill Gordon, Vice President of Regulatory Affairs for Gogo Inc. (“Gogo”), and the undersigned of Hogan Lovells US LLP, counsel for Gogo, met with Commissioner O’Rielly and his Legal Advisor, Erin McGrath, regarding the above-referenced proceeding.

During the meeting, Gogo discussed its critical need for additional spectrum to meet the growing capacity demands of commercial airlines and their passengers as well as federal and state government and military customers. Gogo urged the Commission to promptly allocate and auction spectrum for the proposed 14 GHz Air-Ground Mobile Broadband Service.¹

In addition, Gogo explained that establishment of another in-flight service allocation would not introduce any new air safety or security risks. For example, to ensure flight safety and security, Gogo must already satisfy stringent Federal Aviation Administration testing and approval requirements for all equipment and software and any modifications to such equipment and software. Moreover, the recently established Federal Interagency Working Group² will be able to meet with relevant stakeholders and ensure continued air safety and security after the Commission establishes allocation, service, and technical rules for the new service.

¹ *Expanding Access to Broadband and Encouraging Innovation through Establishment of an Air-Ground Mobile Broadband Secondary Service for Passengers Aboard Aircraft in the 14.0-14.5 GHz Band*, Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 28 FCC Rcd 6765 (2013).

² *FCC Announces Agreement with the U.S. Department of Transportation Establishing a Framework for Coordination of Aviation Communications Safety and Security Issues*, Public Notice, DA 16-110 (2016).

Please contact me at (202) 637-5663 if you have any questions regarding this submission.

Respectfully submitted,

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