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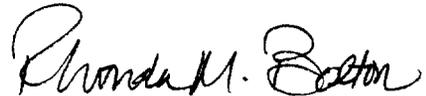
**Re:** *In the Matter of Amendment of Parts 2 and 25 of the Commission's Rules to Permit Operation of NGSO FSS Systems Co-Frequency with GSO and Terrestrial Systems in the Ku-Band Frequency Range, ET Docket No. 98-206, RM-9147, RM-9245*

Dear Ms. Salas:

A facsimile signature page for the Certification of Person Responsible for Preparing Engineering Information was appended to EchoStar Satellite Corporation's Reply Comments on the MITRE Corporation Report, filed on May 23, 2001 in the above-referenced matter. Enclosed is the original signature page, for your records.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



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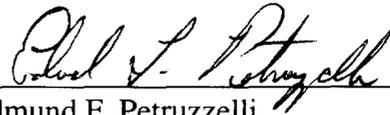
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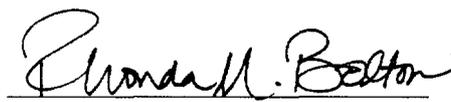
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