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Re: Review of the Spectrum Sharing Plan Among Non-Geostationary Satellite
Orbit Mobile Satellite Service Systems in the 1.6/2.4 GHz Bands, IB Docket
No. 02-364 – Request for Additional Information

Dear Mr. Feldman:

Cornell University (Cornell) has filed comments in response to a Federal Communications Commission notice of proposed rulemaking (NPRM) in the above-referenced proceeding. As part of its consideration of this matter, staff requests from Cornell the following additional information:

Cornell had been investigating whether Iridium's STA use of additional spectrum below 1621.35 MHz has created harmful interference and had noted in its comments that circumstantial evidence might suggest that there had been some interference. Cornell mentioned in its comments that it hoped to complete an investigation in a couple of months. Has Cornell made any further findings regarding whether Iridium's use of spectrum has created harmful interference to radio astronomy observatories?

We request that Cornell respond to this request within twenty days of the date of this letter so the record in the above-referenced proceeding can be updated and more complete. We appreciate your help in this matter. Please contact me if you have any questions concerning this request.

Sincerely,

/Signed James L. Ball/

James Ball
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