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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
U.S. Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
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Re: Notice of Ex Parte Letter
IB Docket No. 05-290

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On February 17, 2006, Mr. Ahmed Toumi; ITSO's Director General and CEO, sent the attached letter to Chairman Kevin Martin, with copies to the other Commissioners.

The purpose of the letter was to inform the FCC of certain unanimous decisions of the 148 member countries of ITSO, which held its Assembly of Parties meeting on January 30 – February 2, 2006, regarding Intelsat's breaches of its Public Service Obligations, the Assembly's concerns about the high level of debt resulting from Intelsat's proposed acquisition of PanAmSat, and the Assembly's concerns about the lack of guaranteed protection for the Public Service Obligations and the "Common Heritage" orbital locations and associated frequency spectrum used by Intelsat. The Assembly unanimously decided to request that the United States, in its capacity as the selected licensing jurisdiction and "Notifying Administration" for the Common Heritage, take actions to ensure Intelsat's adherence to its Public Service Obligations.

Please contact the undersigned with any questions.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Julie A. Reese". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Attachments: 17 February 2006 letter to FCC Chairman Kevin J. Martin

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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