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**Via Electronic Submission**

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**Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication**

**WT Docket No. 02-55; ET Docket Nos. 00-258, 95-18;  
New DBSD Satellite Services G.P., Debtor-in-Possession, Applications for  
Transfer of Control of Earth Station Licenses and Authorizations, File  
Nos. SES-T/C-20091211-01575, SES-T/C-20091211-1576, SAT-T/C-  
0091211-00144.**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Tuesday, September 14, 2010, I had a telephone conversation with Sally Stone of the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") Office of General Counsel regarding the above-captioned proceedings.

In our conversation, we discussed the potential effect on the investment community of a clarified policy of direct liability for the corporate parent of a license-holding subsidiary. I noted that in the view of my corporate law partner, Thomas F. Cooney, investors greatly value clarity when evaluating the risks and benefits of investment opportunities, and therefore, a clarified Commission policy for Mobile Satellite Service liability for reimbursing BAS spectrum relocation costs would well serve the investment community's interests.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's Rules, a copy of this letter is being filed electronically in the above-referenced dockets and electronic copies are being submitted to Commission staff listed below. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (202) 778-9859.

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Sincerely,

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