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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch

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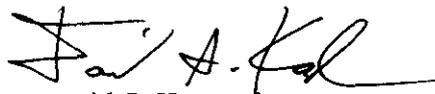
**Re: Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC
Ex Parte Presentation
IB Docket No. 01-185
File No. SAT-ASG-20010302-00017 et al.**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On September 19, 2002, Carson Agnew, President and Chief Operating Officer, and Lon Levin, Vice President and Regulatory Counsel, of Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC ("MSV"), along with Bruce Jacobs of Shaw Pittman LLP, counsel to MSV, met with Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy and her acting legal advisor, John Branscome. MSV reiterated its record positions concerning its proposal for a next-generation mobile satellite service ("MSS") system in the L-band and the related spectrum flexibility rulemaking. MSV also provided Mr. Branscome copies of its *ex partes* filed in the above-captioned proceedings on February 15, 2002 and August 29, 2002.

Please direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,


David S. Konczal

cc: Commissioner Kathleen Abernathy
John Branscome

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