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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Mobile Satellite Ventures Subsidiary LLC  
IB Docket No. 01-185  
File No. SAT-MOD-20031118-00333 (ATC application)  
File No. SAT-AMD-20031118-00332 (ATC application)  
File No. SES-MOD-20031118-01879 (ATC application)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to inform you that, on October 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup>, 2004, in connection with the above-referenced applications, the undersigned, representing Motient, Inc., an investor in Mobile Satellite Ventures LP ("MSV"), spoke separately by telephone with Don Abelson, the chief of the International Bureau, Richard Engelman, Chief Engineer of the International Bureau, and with Peter Tenhula, Deputy Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

The purpose of the calls was to discuss the importance of the International Bureau's approving adequate uplink and downlink power levels in any action on the core elements of MSV's applications, as set out MSV's various *ex parte* submissions in the record of the this proceeding. Please direct any questions regarding this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



Henry Goldberg

cc: Don Abelson  
Richard Engelman  
Peter Tenhula