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# SES-INTELSAT TRANSFER OF CONTROL APPLICATIONS REFERRED TO EXECUTIVE BRANCH

SB Docket No. 24-267

On September 18, 2024, the U.S. Department of Justice, on behalf of the Committee for the Assessment of Foreign Participation in the United States Telecommunications Service Sector (Committee), filed a letter in this proceeding requesting that the Commission refer the transfer of control applications filed by SES S.A. and Intelsat S.A. to the Committee for its review. The Department of Justice further requests that the Commission defer action on the applications until the Committee has concluded its review and offered its recommendation. Through this Public Notice, pursuant to Commission practice, the Space Bureau, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, and Office of Engineering and Technology refer the SES-Intelsat transfer of control applications to the Committee for its views on any national security or law enforcement concerns related to the applications.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Letter from Christopher R. Clements, Deputy Chief, Foreign Investment Review Section, National Security Division, U.S. Department of Justice, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC, SB Docket No. 24-267 (filed Sept. 18, 2024).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *Id*.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> See Process Reform for Executive Branch Review of Certain FCC Applications and Petitions Involving Foreign Ownership, IB Docket 16-155, Report and Order, 35 FCC Rcd 10927 (2020). The applications being referred are listed in the Attachment to this Public Notice.

# **ATTACHMENT**

### **Part 5 – Experimental Licenses**

<u>File Number</u>	<u>Licensee</u>	Lead Call Sign
0027-EX-TU-2024	Intelsat Inflight Licenses LLC	WF2XMC
0028-EX-TU-2024	Intelsat License LLC	WO2XDP

### **Part 25 – Space Station Licenses**

<u>File Number</u>	Licensee	Lead Call Sign
SAT-T/C-20240530-00116	Horizons-3 License LLC	S2947
SAT-T/C-20240530-00117	Intelsat License LLC	S2846

## Part 25 – Space Station Grants of U.S. Market Access

<u>File Number</u>	Grantee	Call Sign
SAT-MPL-20240809-00176	Intelsat License LLC	S3058
SAT-MPL-20240809-00177	Intelsat License LLC	S2592
SAT-MPL-20240809-00178	Horizons-1 Satellite LLC	S2475
SAT-MPL-20240809-00179	Horizons-4 Satellite LLC	S3180

#### **Part 25 – Earth Station Licenses**

<u>File Number</u>	Licensee	Lead Call Sign
SES-T/C-20240530-01222	Intelsat Inflight Licenses LLC	E150104
SES-T/C-20240603-01221	Intelsat License LLC	E000048

#### Part 90 – Industrial/Business Pool Private Wireless License

<u>File Number</u>	Licensee	Lead Call Sign
0011092560	Intelsat License LLC	WQSW724