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**Request for Declaratory Ruling on Partial-Band Licensing of Earth Stations
 in the Fixed Satellite Service that Share Terrestrial Spectrum
 Petition for Rule Making to Set Loading Standards For Earth Stations
 in the Fixed Satellite Service that Share Terrestrial Spectrum**

Dear Ms. Salas:

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(a)(2) of the Commission's Rules, I am filing the original and one copy of this letter to report an oral *ex parte* communication in the above-referenced proceeding.

Yesterday a delegation from the Fixed Wireless Communications Coalition (FWCC) met with International Bureau personnel. Representing the FWCC were Ron Coles, Harris Corporation; Robert M. Gurs, Wilkes Artis Hedrick & Lane, Chartered; Michael E. Katzenstein, OpTel; Andrew Kreig, Wireless Communications Association International, Inc.; Thomas J. Keller, Verner Liipfert Bernhard McPherson & Hand, Chartered; Leonard R. Raish, Esquire, Fletcher, Heald & Hildreth, PLC; and the undersigned. Commission personnel at the meeting consisted of Donald Abelson, Richard B. Engelman, Edward R. Jacobs, Julie Buchanan, and Karl A. Kensinger.

The FWCC delegation summarized the substance of the FWCC filings in this docket.

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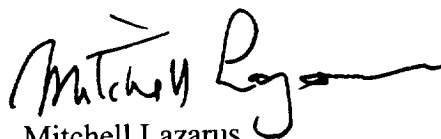
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Kindly date-stamp and return the extra copy of this letter.

If there are any questions about this filing, please call me at the number above.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mitchell Lazarus", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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