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June 30, 2008

Marlene H. Dortch Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street SW Washington, DC 20554

Re: Annual Report of Spectrum Five, LLC Call Signs: S2667 and S2669

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Spectrum Five, LLC, by counsel, submits the attached annual report, as provided in paragraph 46 of *Spectrum Five, LLC*, 21 FCC Rcd 14023 (I.B. 2006), which authorized operation of a direct broadcast satellite system at 114.5° W.L.

Please contact this office if there are any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

Todd I 1. Stansbury el cor Spectrum Five, LLC

cc: Columbia Operations Center

Annual Report of Spectrum Five, LLC

On November 29, 2006, the Commission granted Spectrum Five's Petition for Declaratory Ruling for authority to access the United States from two direct broadcast satellites at the 114.5° W.L. orbital location.¹ That order requires Spectrum Five, every June 30, to submit annual progress reports illustrating the steps it has taken toward meeting its milestones consistent with the reporting requirements of other satellite operators set forth in Section 25.210 of the FCC's rules. Spectrum Five hereby submits the required annual report with information current as of May 31, 2008.

Spectrum Five's first milestone requirement, to complete contracting for construction of the satellites, was due November 29, 2007. On November 28, 2007, Spectrum Five filed with the Commission a copy of the contract between Spectrum Five and Space Systems/Loral, Inc. for construction of Spectrum Five's two satellites.² Both parties are progressing towards Spectrum Five's next milestone, completion of critical design review.

By: <u>Z. Juniklika</u> R. David Wilson

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Date: June 27, 2008

Spectrum Five, LLC Petition for Declaratory Ruling to Serve the U.S. Market Using Broadcast Satellite Service (BSS) Spectrum from the 114.5° W.L. Orbital Location, 21 FCC Rcd 14023 (IB 2006) ("Spectrum Five Order").

² See Letter from Todd M. Stansbury, Counsel for Spectrum Five, LLC to Marlene H. Dortch, FCC, Demonstration of Compliance with Contract Milestone, File Nos. SAT-LOI-20050312-00062, SAT-LOI-20050312-00063, Call Signs: S2667 and S2669 (filed Nov. 28, 2007).