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Subject:

Acknowledgement of Receipt for new GMPCS terminal:

Explorer 510, TT-3711A

Dear Mr Saul,

At its 1998 Session the ITU Council adopted Resolution 1116 that, in accordance with the GMPCS-MoU Arrangements, specifically instructs the Secretary-General:

- To act as the registry for type approval procedures;
- To act as the registry for terminal types; and
- To authorize the use of the Abbreviation "ITU" in the GMPCS-MoU Mark.

The steps to register a new terminal type are described in Chapter 2, Section I, Paragraph 8 of the "Arrangements pursuant to the GMPCS-MoU to facilitate the introduction and development of Global Mobile Personal Communications by Satellite (GMPCS) & Procedures for notification & implementation of the Arrangements" of 7 June 2003 (Arrangements & Procedures).

The Secretary-General has received the following implementation letters from:

- THRANE & THRANE [trading as Cobham SATCOM (T&T)] on 16 December 2014;
- CETECOM on 12 May 2015; and
- INMARSAT on 19 June 2015.

In the exercise of the implementation function described in Paragraph 6 of the Arrangements & Procedures, the Secretary-General hereby acknowledges receipt of all the letters described in the preceding paragraph. Accordingly, Thrane & Thrane A/S may now affix the GMPCS-MoU Mark to Explorer 510, TT-3711A.

Since Thrane & Thrane A/S has already signed the ITU Manufacturer Authorization Agreement, it is now authorized to affix the Abbreviation "ITU" as part of the GMPCS-MoU Mark to the Explorer 510, TT-3711A, and related Thrane & Thrane A/S Materials. To use the GMPCS-MoU Mark on new terminals subsequently authorized for connection to any GMPCS System, Thrane & Thrane A/S should provide information about such GMPCS terminals to the Secretary-General as stated in Paragraph 8 of the Arrangements & Procedures.

The purpose of the GMPCS-MoU Mark is to provide a recognizable designation that GMPCS terminals have met the essential standards for health and safety, electromagnetic interference and electromagnetic compatibility. It is also intended to promote the transborder circulation of these terminals and to facilitate the mutual recognition of GMPCS type approvals.

The Authorized User Guidelines are annexed. Please note that no modification other than a proportional reduction of the Mark is permitted.

Yours sincerely,

For the Secretary-General

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Annex: 1

## **ANNEX**

## Authorized User Guidelines for the GMPCS-MoU Mark International Telecommunication Union (ITU)

- Description: The GMPCS-MoU Mark ("Mark") includes the Abbreviation "ITU" surrounded by two
  circumscribing rings. The letters "GMPCS-MOU" are arranged in a semicircular fashion above the central
  Abbreviation "ITU" between the inner ring and the outer ring and are centered above a horizontal plane
  bisecting the two rings. The letters "REGISTRY" are arranged in a semicircular fashion below the central
  Abbreviation "ITU" between the inner ring and the outer ring and are centered below a horizontal plane
  bisecting the two rings.
- Official GMPCS-MoU Mark: The official GMPCS-MoU Mark is the graphical representation attached to the Authorization Agreement signed by the ITU Secretary-General. It is the only version of the Mark authorized for use by the ITU.
- Size and Legibility: The GMPCS-MoU Mark may be increased or decreased in size to accommodate intended usage. However, the letters and other elements of the Mark's design must remain legible and in the same proportionate sizes as illustrated in the graphical representation.
- 4. Manner of Affixing the Mark: The Abbreviation "ITU" is a distinctive identifier of the ITU and all rights and goodwill pertaining to the Abbreviation "ITU" belong exclusively to the International Telecommunication Union. The Mark shall be affixed only to products or materials specifically described in the manufacturer or system operator Authorization Agreement and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that Agreement. The Mark shall at all time be reproduced or displayed on products or materials in a manner consistent with the intergovernmental status of the ITU.
- 5. Notice to the Public: The ITU recognizes that the products and materials authorized to bear the GMPCS-MoU Mark may also include legal notices required by national laws. In addition, in order to avoid any dispute or charges of unfair use of the Mark against any entity authorized to use the Abbreviation "ITU," the ITU strongly recommends that any such entity fully disclose in writing to the public the purpose of the Mark in a manner consistent with both the letter and the spirit of the Authorization Agreements, the GMPCS Memorandum of Understanding (GMPCS-MoU), the Arrangements and Procedures.
- Consultation with the ITU General Secretariat: The ITU strongly urges any authorized entity to seek
  guidance from the General Secretariat whenever it is uncertain about any matter related to the use of
  the Abbreviation "ITU." Any inquiry should be addressed to the Legal Adviser, Legal Affairs Unit,
  International Telecommunication Union, Place des Nations, CH-1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland.