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Directorate of Defense Trade Controls
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In Reply refer to
DDTC Case **CJ0003120**

Antoinette D. Paytas
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RE: Your submission dated February 20, 2020

COMMODITY JURISDICTION DETERMINATION FOR: Information and Software for a Digital Microwave Broadband Communications System for Space and Terrestrial Amateur Radio Use

Dear Ms. Paytas:

The product described in your submission is information related to the design and development of amateur radio hardware for space (Amateur Radio satellites in geosynchronous orbit) and corresponding ground stations.

A technical review of your commodity jurisdiction (CJ) request has been concluded by requisite agencies of the United States government. The findings of that technical review are:

The Department of State has determined that the **Information and Software for a Digital Microwave Broadband Communications System for Space and Terrestrial Amateur Radio Use** is not subject to its jurisdiction. However, the item is subject to the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) administered by the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS). In order to satisfy the applicable regulatory requirements of the EAR, BIS requires that you submit to it a classification request. For guidance on how to submit such a request, please contact the BIS Office of Exporter Services at (202) 482-4811.

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Should you require further assistance with this matter, please contact Grace Miazza
at (202) 663-2827 or MiazzaG@state.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard W. Koelling, Jr.", with a stylized, sweeping flourish at the end.

Richard W. Koelling, Jr.
Deputy Director (Acting)
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