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Subj: COMPANION APPLICATION FILED BY IRIDIUM (FCC File No. 0139-EX-CN-2024) FOR
9603N IRIDIUM MODEMS FOR CUBESAT BASED LASER CROSSLINK EXPERIMENT

1. We hereby confirm that the Navy's CBAS-LCE mission that Iridium will be supporting is an experimental proof of concept mission, not a commercial mission, and that the Navy is aware the inter-satellite links Iridium will be providing are not a regular commercial offering.

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