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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA  
RICHMOND DIVISION**

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In re: )  
 ) Chapter 11  
INTELSAT S.A., *et al.*,<sup>1</sup> )  
 ) Case No. 20-32299 (KLP)  
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Debtors. ) (Jointly Administered)  
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**ORDER (I) DIRECTING  
THE SEALING OF THE HEARING ON (A) DEBTORS’  
SECOND MOTION TO EXTEND THEIR EXCLUSIVE PERIOD  
TO FILE AND SOLICIT ACCEPTANCES OF A CHAPTER 11 PLAN AND (B)  
DEBTORS’ MOTION FOR ENTRY OF AN ORDER COMPELLING MEDIATION OF  
PLAN AND CONFIRMATION-RELATED DISPUTES AND (II) AUTHORIZING THE  
DEBTORS TO FILE CERTAIN REDACTIONS UNDER SEAL IN CONNECTION  
WITH THE DEBTORS’ REPLY TO CERTAIN OBJECTIONS THERETO**

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Upon the motion (the “Sealing Motion”)<sup>2</sup> of the Debtors for entry of an order (this “Order”) (a) directing the sealing of the hearing (the “Hearing”) on the *Debtors’ Second Motion to Extend Their Exclusive Period to File and Solicit Acceptances of a Chapter 11 Plan* [Docket No. 1479] (the “Second Exclusivity Motion”) and the *Debtors’ Motion for Entry of an*

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<sup>1</sup> Due to the large number of Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, for which joint administration has been granted, a complete list of the Debtor entities and the last four digits of their federal tax identification numbers is not provided herein. A complete list may be obtained on the website of the Debtors’ claims and noticing agent at <https://cases.stretto.com/intelsat>. The location of the Debtors’ service address is: 7900 Tysons One Place, McLean, VA 22102.

<sup>2</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them in the Sealing Motion.

*Order Compelling Mediation of Plan and Confirmation-Related Disputes* [Docket No. 1797] (the “Mediation Motion”) and limiting the participation at such Hearing to the Notice Parties (as defined in the Sealing Motion) on a “highly confidential”, “professionals only” basis, (b) authorizing the Debtors to redact certain confidential and non-public information included in the *Debtors’ Omnibus Reply to the Objections to Debtors’ Second Motion to Extend Their Exclusive Period to File and Solicit Acceptances of a Chapter 11 Plan* (the “Reply”) filed in support of the Second Exclusivity Motion, and (c) directing that those redacted portions of the Reply shall remain under seal and confidential and not be made available to anyone without the consent of the Debtors, except to (i) the Court, (ii) the Office of the U.S. Trustee on a highly confidential basis, or (iii) on a highly confidential, “professionals’ eyes only” basis, the Notice Parties; and this Court having jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 157 and 1334 and the *Standing Order of Reference from the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia*, dated August 15, 1984, and this Court having found that it may enter a final order consistent with Article III of the United States Constitution; and this Court having found that venue of this proceeding and the Sealing Motion in this district is proper pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1408 and 1409; and this Court having found that the relief requested in the Sealing Motion is in the best interests of the Debtors’ estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest; and this Court having found that the Debtors’ notice of the Sealing Motion and opportunity for a hearing on the Sealing Motion were appropriate under the circumstances and that no other notice need be provided; and this Court having reviewed the Sealing Motion and having considered the statements in support of the relief requested therein; and this Court having determined that the legal and factual bases set forth in the Sealing Motion establish just cause for the relief granted

herein; and upon all of the proceedings had before this Court; and after due deliberation and sufficient cause appearing therefor, it is HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The Sealing Motion is granted as set forth herein.
2. The Debtors are authorized to file those redacted portions of the Reply under seal pursuant to sections 105(a) and 107(b) of the Bankruptcy Code, and Bankruptcy Rule 9018.
3. Those redacted portions of the Reply are confidential, shall remain under seal, and shall not be made available to anyone without the consent of the Debtors, except that unredacted copies of the Reply shall be provided to (i) the Court, (ii) on a highly confidential basis, the U.S. Trustee, and (iii) the Notice Parties, on a highly confidential, “professionals’ eyes only” basis.
4. The Hearing on the Second Exclusivity Motion and the Mediation Motion shall be conducted under seal and remain under seal such that no persons shall participate in such portions of the Hearing other than the Debtors and (i) the Court, (ii) on a highly confidential basis, the U.S. Trustee, and (iii) the Notice Parties, on a highly confidential, “professionals only” basis.
5. The public version of the official transcript of the Hearing shall be made available in redacted form with those portions of the Hearing that address the confidential, non-public information remaining under seal such that no persons shall have access to the unredacted portions of the official transcript of the Hearing other than the Debtors and (i) the Court, (ii) on a highly confidential basis, the U.S. Trustee, and (iii) the Notice Parties, on a highly confidential, “professionals only” basis.
6. Notwithstanding the relief granted herein or any action taken hereunder, nothing contained in this Order shall create any rights in favor of or enhance the status of any claim held by any party in interest.

7. The Debtors are authorized to take all actions necessary to effectuate the relief granted in this Order in accordance with the Sealing Motion.

8. This Court retains exclusive jurisdiction with respect to all matters arising from or related to the implementation, interpretation, and enforcement of this Order.

Dated: Apr 21 2021  
Richmond, Virginia

/s/ Keith L Phillips  
United States Bankruptcy Judge

Entered On Docket: April 21 2021

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**CERTIFICATION OF ENDORSEMENT**  
**UNDER LOCAL BANKRUPTCY RULE 9022-1(C)**

Pursuant to Local Bankruptcy Rule 9022-1(C), I hereby certify that the foregoing proposed order has been endorsed by or served upon all necessary parties.

/s/ Brian H. Richardson