



U.S. Department
of Transportation
**Federal Aviation
Administration**

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Mr. Andy Leimer
Federal Communications Commission
Equipment Authorization Branch
7435 Oakland Mills Road
Columbia, Maryland 21046

Dear Mr. Leimer:

The Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), Office of Spectrum Engineering Services, has reviewed the Type Acceptance Certification request from EMS Technologies Canada Ltd, EMS Aviation – Ottawa for the HSD-Xi Aeronautical Satellite Communications Transceiver. The FAA has no objections to certification of this device.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please contact Mr. Michael Biggs, Senior Electronics Engineer, Spectrum Planning and International Group, at (202) 267-8241.

Sincerely,

Oscar Alvarez
Director, Spectrum Engineering Services