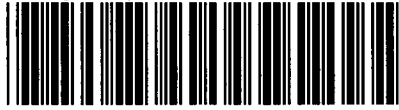


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Re: Airbus DS Communications, Inc.  
Workforce Diversity Plan Status *30240*  
Historically Underutilized Business (HUB) Plan Status

Dear Sir/Madam:

Airbus DS Communications submits this letter in connection with the reporting requirements set forth in the Public Utility Regulatory Act (PURA) section 52.256. As explained below, Airbus DS Communications has not yet commenced service and, therefore, is not in a position to report.

Airbus DS Communications, Inc. ("Airbus") was granted a service provider certificate of operating authority (SPCOA) on June 29, 2016, but it has not yet commenced providing any services thereunder. Airbus has 26 employees in Texas, however, none of those employees are engaged in activities associated with the services that Airbus intends to provide in the future pursuant to its SPCOA. When Airbus commences services pursuant to its SPCOA, it will file the required five year plan to enhance supplier and workforce diversity pursuant to PURA section 52.256(b). Thereafter, Airbus will comply with the filing of an annual progress report on its five year plan.

Please contact me if you have any questions. I can be reached at 951-719-2120 or [paula.pileggi@airbus-dscomm.com](mailto:paula.pileggi@airbus-dscomm.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Paula Pileggi". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "P" and "P".

Paula N. Pileggi  
Secretary, General Counsel & Chief Compliance Officer