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# INTELSAT GENERAL SELECTED TO PROVIDE NETWORK BROADBAND SERVICE TO SINTEL SATELLITE SERVICES

**Bethesda, Md and Stony Brook, NY - August 29, 2006** - Intelsat General Corporation (IGC), a leading provider of satellite networking services for commercial, military and civilian government applications, has been selected to provide its Network Broadband service to Sintel Satellite Services (Sintelsat), an integrator and manager of satellite communications networks on four continents. Sintelsat is establishing a managed network service using an Intelsat satellite located over the Indian Ocean Region and Intelsat ground facilities to provide the backbone network for an end-to-end solution for a US government customer.

The Network Broadband service initially connects seven remote sites in Afghanistan & Iraq to the Intelsat-owned and operated teleport facility, VSAT hub equipment and Tier 1 Internet Service Provider access located in Fuchsstadt, Germany, and is expected to be rolled out to other locations. The virtual network operator capability elected by Sintelsat allows the end-user customer or designated operator to self-manage the overall network from a remote location.

"Our partnership with Intelsat General allows us to provide unique, turn-key satellite communications solutions," states Sanjay Singhal, President of Sintel Satellite Services. "With our field support staff in the US, Africa, Middle East, Asia and Europe, we are well-positioned to meet the design, installation, program management and satellite communication needs of our government, military, UN and NATO customers."

The Network Broadband service, which utilizes the iDirect VSAT technology, delivers secure VoIP, video, Internet/intranet access, e-mail, and multimedia where ground-based infrastructure is unreliable, insecure or non-existent. Benefits of the service include high-speed access, minimal capital outlay, private network security, fiber-quality reliability critical to IP-based applications and the "go anywhere" and rapid deployment features of satellite communications.

"IGC's flexible satellite networking assets and support services together with Sintelsat's proficient integration and network operation team are providing a customized, best-value, solution focused on the end-user's needs," said Susan Miller, President, IGC. "The Network Broadband platform has been widely adopted by the most demanding users for its premium service capability."

### About Intelsat General

Headquartered in Bethesda, MD, Intelsat General Corporation provides leading-edge communications solutions to commercial, government, and military customers through fixed and mobile satellite systems and associated terrestrial communications services. IGC incorporates flexible and robust ground and space infrastructure and technical expertise to deliver reliable, quickly deployable and secure network solutions anywhere around the globe. IGC is an indirect, wholly owned subsidiary of Intelsat, Ltd.

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### **About Sintel Satellite Services**

Sintel Satellite Services, Inc. is a global communications company providing turnkey solutions using Satellite Communication, Fiber, Networking, Microwave Systems and Wi-Fi/ Wi-MAX Wireless Technologies. Sintelsat currently serves Federal, State, Embassies, United Nation, World Bank and many enterprise customers in infrastructure rebuilding, IP connectivity, private networks, VoIP, Data and Video solutions in emerging markets. Sintelsat has satcom, IT networking, technical support and NOC capabilities in Afghanistan, Iraq, Lebanon, India & Philippines. Field support personnel are available on many continents including Africa, Middle East, Asia and Europe.

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