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CERTIFICATE OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

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HUGHES MRO MERGER, LTD.

(a Florida limited partnership)

The undersigned, desiring to form a limited partnership pursuant to the laws of the State of Florida, does hereby certify as follows:

1. Name. The name of the limited partnership is as follows:

Hughes MRO Merger, Ltd.

2. Address. The street address of the principal place of business and the mailing address for the limited partnership are as follows:

> One Hughes Way Orlando, FL 32805

Registered Agent. The address of the office and the name and addressof the agent for service of process required to be maintained by Section 620.105. Florida Statutes, are as follows:

> Corporation Service Company 1201 Hays Street Tallahassee, FL 32301

General Partner. The name and business address of the general partner of the limited partnership are as follows:

> Hughes GP & Management, Inc. One Hughes Way

F04-1125 Orlando, FL 32805

Termination. The latest date upon which the limited partnership is to dissolve is December 31, 2054.

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Under penalties of perjury, the undersigned declares that it has read the foregoing and knows the contents thereof and that the facts stated therein are true and correct.

Signed this 10th day of December, 2004.

GENERAL PARTNER:

HUGHES GP & MANAGEMENT, INC.

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Name: John Z. Pare

Title: Secretary

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ACCEPTANCE OF DESIGNATION AS REGISTERED AGENT AND AGENT FOR SERVICE OF PROCESS

The undersigned, having been designated the Agent for Service of Process, pursuant to Section 620.105, Florida Statutes, and Registered Agent, pursuant to Section 620.192, Florida Statutes, of Hughes MRO Merger, Ltd., a limited partnership to be formed concurrently herewith under the Florida Revised Uniform Limited Partnership Act (1986), does hereby accept such designation and the obligations provided for in Sections 620.105 and 620.192, Florida Statutes.

Dated: December 13, 2004 By:

Name:

Brian Courtney
Asst. V. Pres.

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AFFIDAVIT OF CAPITAL CONTRIBUTIONS

The undersigned, Hughes GP & Management, Inc., the sole general partner of Hughes MRO Merger, Ltd., a Florida limited partnership, certifies:

- 1. The amount of capital contributions to date of the limited partners is \$0.
- 2. The total amount of capital anticipated to be contributed by the limited partners at this time totals \$1,000.

Signed this by day of December 2004

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

Under the penalties of perjury, the undersigned declares that it has read the foregoing and knows the contents thereof and that the facts stated herein are true and correct.

GENERAL PARTNER:

HUGHES GP & MANAGEMENT, INC.

Name: John Z. Pare

Title: Secretary

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