

United States Department of CommerceNational Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
Office of Space Commerce

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Subject: Request for Information on Scope of Civil Space Situational Awareness Services

SES is pleased to respond to the Government's Request for Information concerning the needs of the spacecraft operator on the scope of the Civil Space Situational Awareness Services.

Being an Executive member of the SDA, SES is aware of the response being submitted by the Space Data Association Limited to this RFI. SES fully support the SDA's position and recommendations to the Department.

The planned TraCSS services are critically important for flight safety and the long-term sustainability of the space environment. SES applauds the Department of Commerce's vision in improving on the important services now being provided by the U.S. Department of Defense and demonstrating ongoing leadership and commitment by the United States in this area.

Respectfully submitted,

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