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October 29, 2024

VIA ICFS

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Sidus Space, Inc. Surety Bond
IBFS File Nos. SAT-LOA-20230613-00141; SAT-AMD-20240506-00094
Call Sign S3175

Dear Ms. Dortch:

In accordance with Section 25.165 of the Commission's rules and paragraph 18(a) of its license for a non-geostationary, Earth-exploration satellite system operating in the S- and X-bands,¹ Sidus Space, Inc. hereby submits an executed copy of the required surety bond.

Should you have any questions regarding this filing, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



Jodi A. Goldberg
for SHEPPARD, MULLIN, RICHTER & HAMPTON LLP
Counsel to Sidus Space, Inc.

Enclosure (Bond No. 3508954)

¹ See *Sidus Space, Inc.*, Stamp Grant with Conditions, ICFS File Nos. SAT-LOA-20230613-00141; SAT-AMD-20240506-00094 (Oct. 1, 2024).

Bond No. 3508954

License and/or Permit Continuous Bond

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that we **SIDUS SPACE, INC.** as Principal, and **SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY** corporation, as Surety, are held and firmly bound unto the United States Treasury, as Oblige, in the maximum penal sum of One Million & Six Hundred Seventy Thousand 00/100 Dollars (\$1,670,000.00) U.S. Dollars, which said maximum penal sum may be increased pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth below, for which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents.

WHEREAS, the above bounden Principal has obtained authorization from the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") to construct, deploy, and operate a non-geostationary orbit ("NGSO") satellite system pursuant to its applications, ICFS FILE NOS. SAT-LOA-20230613-00141; SAT-AMD-20240506-00094, CALL SIGN: S3175

("Authorization"), in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the Ordering Clauses to the FCC's grant of that Authorization on **OCTOBER 1, 2024** including the filing of this bond with the FCC pursuant to the Authorization grant; and

WHEREAS, the Principal is required by law to file with the FCC a bond conditioned as hereinafter set forth;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS SUCH, that if the Principal shall well and truly perform each and every obligation set forth below at the time and in the manner specified during the term of this bond, then this obligation shall be void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

PROVIDED, HOWEVER, that this bond is subject to the following conditions:

1. The NGSO space station authorized by the FCC, or such number of NGSO space stations required by FCC rules then in effect, must be launched, placed into the authorized NGSO orbit(s), and operated in accordance with the terms of the Authorization no later than six (6) years after the grant of the Authorization (i.e., BY OCTOBER 1, 2030) (the "Milestone").
2. This bond is for the term beginning **OCTOBER 1, 2024** and expiring **SEPTEMBER 30, 2025**. The bond will automatically renew for a one year period upon the expiration date set forth above and upon each anniversary of such date, unless at least sixty (60) days prior to such expiration date, or prior to any anniversary of such date, Surety provides written notice to both the Oblige and Principal of its intention to non-renew this bond. Neither non-renewal by the Surety, nor failure of the Principal to continue this bond shall constitute a default by the Principal recoverable by the Oblige under this bond.
3. Upon completion of the Milestone specified in paragraph 1 above, confirmation of which will be filed with the FCC by the Principal, and the issuance of a Public Notice by the FCC confirming the FCC's determination of the satisfaction of said Milestone, then this bond shall be cancelled.
4. The maximum penal sum of the bond may be increased on an annual basis with the Surety's consent, via a rider to this bond sent to the FCC and the Oblige. Such riders will increase the maximum penal sum to the required amount in accordance with the following formula, with all sums expressed in U.S. Dollars: $A = \$1,000,000.00 + \$4,000,000 \cdot D / 2,192$, where A is the penal sum to be paid and D is the lesser of 2,192 or the number of days that have elapsed from the date of the Authorization grant until the date when the Authorization was surrendered.
5. In the event of a Notice of Default (i.e. an order or public notice revoking the Principal's Authorization for any reason, including but not limited to, the Principal surrendering the Authorization before timely meeting the Milestone, failure to timely meet the Milestone, or the Authorization becoming null and void due to failure to maintain a surety bond in an adequate amount) issued by the FCC to the Principal and the Surety regarding the performance of the Milestone specified above during the term of this bond, the Surety shall be liable only up to the then current outstanding maximum penal sum amount after any applicable increase(s) to the maximum penal sum subject to the terms and conditions set forth above. It is also understood and unconditionally agreed that upon receipt of such Notice of Default, the sole remedy under

this bond will be the tender of payment of the then current outstanding maximum penal sum of the bond within thirty (30) business days of such Notice of Default.

Any such Notice of Default made under this Bond shall be made in writing and shall be given by a notice in writing via overnight courier:

To the Surety: SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY
ATTN: JACKIE SCOTT
2103 CITY WEST BLVD STE 1300
HOUSTON, TX 77042
678-223-2002
Jackie.Scott@Markel.com

To the Principal: SIDUS SPACE, INC.
ATTN: CAROL CRAIG
150 N. SYKES PKWY STE 200
MERRITT ISLAND, FL 32953
360-531-4752
Carol.craig@siduspace.com

With a copy to: SHEPPARDMULLIN
ATTN: JODI GOLDBERG
2099 PENNSYLVANIA AVE NW STE 100
WASHINGTON, DC 20006-6801
202-747-2656
JGoldberg@sheppardmullin.com

6. No right of action shall accrue on this bond to or for the use of any person or corporation other than the Obligee named herein or the heirs, executors, administrators or successors of the Obligee.
7. If any conflict or inconsistency exists between the Surety's obligation or undertakings as described in this bond and as described in other documents, statutes or regulations, then the terms of this bond shall prevail.

PROVIDED FURTHER, that regardless of the number of years this bond shall continue or be continued in force and of the number of premiums that shall be payable or paid the Surety shall not be liable hereunder for a larger amount, in the aggregate, than the then current outstanding maximum penal sum pursuant to the terms and conditions set forth above.

PROVIDED FURTHER, that this bond shall be effective on the 1ST DAY OF OCTOBER, 2024 shall cease at such time as the FCC confirms that the Principal has satisfied all conditions of the Authorization set forth in paragraph 1 above, unless earlier cancelled as provided herein.

Signed, sealed and dated the 25TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 2024

Attest: Bill White

Principal: SIDUS SPACE, INC.

By: Carol Craig

Attest: Kim Niv
KIM NIV

Surety: SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY

By: Sonja Amanda Floree Harris
SONJA AMANDA FLOREE HARRIS, ATTORNEY IN FACT



POA #: 910003

SureTec Insurance Company

LIMITED POWER OF ATTORNEY

Know All Men by These Presents, That SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY (the "Company"), a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of Texas, and having its principal office in Houston, Harris County, Texas, does by these presents make, constitute and appoint

Jeffrey W. Reich, Susan L. Reich, Kim E. Niv, Teresa L. Durham, Gloria A. Richards, Cheryl Foley,
Robert P. O'Linn, Sarah O'Linn, Sonja Amanda Floree Harris

its true and lawful Attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority hereby conferred in its name, place and stead, to execute, acknowledge and deliver any and all bonds, recognizances, undertakings or other instruments or contracts of suretyship to include waivers to the conditions of contracts and consents of surety for, providing the bond penalty does not exceed

Five Million and 00/100 Dollars (\$5,000,000.00)

and to bind the Company thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such bond were signed by the President, sealed with the corporate seal of the Company and duly attested by its Secretary, hereby ratifying and confirming all that the said Attorney-in-Fact may do in the premises. Said appointment is made under and by authority of the following resolutions of the Board of Directors of the SureTec Insurance Company:

Be it Resolved, that the President, any Vice-President, any Assistant Vice-President, any Secretary or any Assistant Secretary shall be and is hereby vested with full power and authority to appoint any one or more suitable persons as Attorney(s)-in-Fact to represent and act for and on behalf of the Company subject to the following provisions:

Attorney-in-Fact may be given full power and authority for and in the name of and of behalf of the Company, to execute, acknowledge and deliver, any and all bonds, recognizances, contracts, agreements or indemnity and other conditional or obligatory undertakings and any and all notices and documents canceling or terminating the Company's liability thereunder, and any such instruments so executed by any such Attorney-in-Fact shall be binding upon the Company as if signed by the President and sealed and effected by the Corporate Secretary.

Be it Resolved, that the signature of any authorized officer and seal of the Company heretofore or hereafter affixed to any power of attorney or any certificate relating thereto by facsimile, and any power of attorney or certificate bearing facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company with respect to any bond or undertaking to which it is attached. (Adopted at a meeting held on 20th of April, 1999.)

In Witness Whereof, SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY has caused these presents to be signed by its President, and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed this 20th day of March, A.D. 2023.

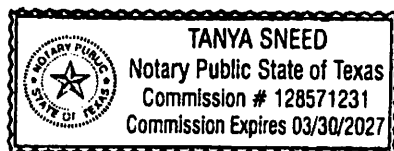


SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY

By: 
Michael C. Keimig, President

State of Texas SS:
County of Harris

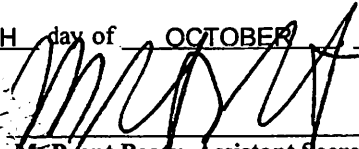
On this 20th day of March, A.D. 2023 before me personally came Michael C. Keimig, to me known, who, being by me duly sworn, did depose and say, that he resides in Houston, Texas, that he is President of SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY, the company described in and which executed the above instrument; that he knows the seal of said Company; that the seal affixed to said instrument is such corporate seal; that it was so affixed by order of the Board of Directors of said Company; and that he signed his name thereto by like order.




Tanya Sneed, Notary Public
My commission expires March 30, 2027

I, M. Brent Beaty, Assistant Secretary of SURETEC INSURANCE COMPANY, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of a Power of Attorney, executed by said Company, which is still in full force and effect; and furthermore, the resolutions of the Board of Directors, set out in the Power of Attorney are in full force and effect.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Company at Houston, Texas this 25TH day of OCTOBER, 2024, A.D.


M. Brent Beaty, Assistant Secretary

Any instrument issued in excess of the penalty stated above is totally void and without any validity. 910003
For verification of the authority of this power you may call (713) 812-0800 any business day between 8:30 am and 5:00 pm CST.

Certificate of Completion

Summary

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Electronic documents

Please note that Florida Surety Bonds ("we", "us" or "Company") will send all documents electronically to you to the email address that you have given us during the course of the business relationship unless you tell us otherwise in accordance with the procedure explained herein. Once you sign a document electronically, we will send a PDF version of the document to you.

Request for paper copies

You have the right to request paper copies of these documents sent to you electronically from sarah@floridasuretybonds.com. Alternatively, you also have the ability to download and print these documents sent to you electronically, and re-upload a scanned copy of the printed and physically signed documents. If you, however, wish to request paper copies of these documents sent to you electronically, you can write back to the sender.

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