

**OPERATING AGREEMENT  
on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT)**

**THE SIGNATORIES TO THIS OPERATING AGREEMENT:**

CONSIDERING that the States Parties to the Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT) have undertaken therein to sign, or to designate a competent entity to sign, this Operating Agreement,

AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

**Article I**

*Definitions*

- (1) For the purposes of this Agreement:
  - (a) "Convention" means the Convention on the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT) including its Annex.
  - (b) "Organization" means the International Maritime Satellite Organization (INMARSAT) established by the Convention.
  - (c) "Amortization" includes depreciation; it does not include compensation for use of capital.
- (2) The definitions in Article 1 of the Convention shall apply to this Agreement.

**Article II**

*Rights and Obligations of Signatories*

- (1) Each Signatory acquires the rights provided for Signatories in the Convention and this Agreement and undertakes to fulfil the obligations placed upon it by these two instruments.
- (2) Each Signatory shall act consistently with all provisions of the Convention and this Agreement.

**DRIFTSOVERENSKOMST  
om Den internationale maritime Satellit-organisation (INMARSAT)**

**NÆRVÆRENDE DRIFTSOVERENS-  
KOMSTS SIGNATARER ER:**

I BETRAGTNING AF, at de stater, der er deltagere i konventionen om Den internationale maritime Satellit-organisation (INMARSAT), deri har påtaget sig at undertegne eller at udpege et kompetent organ til at undertegne denne driftsoverenskomst,

**ENIGE OM FØLGENDE:**

**Artikel I**

*Definitioner*

- 1) I denne overenskomst skal:
  - a) „Konvention“ betyde konventionen om Den internationale maritime Satellit-organisation (INMARSAT) samt dens tillæg.
  - b) „Organisation“ betyde Den internationale maritime Satellit-organisation (INMARSAT), der er oprettet ved konventionen.
  - c) „Amortisering“ omfatte afskrivning; det omfatter ikke godtgørelse for anvendelse af kapital.
- 2) De i konventionens artikel 1 indeholdte definitioner skal gælde for denne overenskomst.

**Artikel II**

*Signatarernes rettigheder og forpligtelser*

- 1) Enhver signatar opnår de rettigheder, der er fastsat for signatarer i konventionen og denne overenskomst, og påtager sig at opfylde de forpligtelser, der er pålagt en signatar ved disse to dokumenter.
- 2) Enhver signatar skal handle i overensstemmelse med alle bestemmelser i konventionen og denne overenskomst.