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EUTELSAT IGO participates in the celebration of Intersputnik's 50th anniversary

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The Intersputnik International Organization of Space Communications is celebrating today its 50th anniversary of existence. Established under an international agreement on 15 November 1971 in Moscow, Intersputnik currently comprises 26 member-countries, 12 of which are also members of EUTELSAT IGO. Intersputnik is both an international organisation and a satellite operator.

On the occasion of a videoconference dedicated to Intersputnik's anniversary, the Executive Secretary of EUTELSAT IGO, Mr Piotr Dmochowski-Lipski, congratulated the Organisation and its Director General Ms Ksenia Drozdova on this important day.

About EUTELSAT IGO

EUTELSAT IGO is the European Telecommunications Satellite Organization. Established by an international treaty, the intergovernmental organisation is headquartered in Paris and comprises 49 Member States. Its primary mission is to ensure that the company Eutelsat S.A. complies with the Basic Principles of the EUTELSAT Amended Convention. It also ensures continuity of the rights to use radiofrequencies and orbital locations which were assigned collectively to the Member States and the Organisation by the International Telecommunication Union. EUTELSAT IGO is an active contributing member of the international telecommunications and space communities.

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