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UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

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30(h) of the Investment Company Act of 1940

1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * HARBERT DISTRESSED **INVESTMENT MASTER FUND** LTD

2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol

SKYTERRA COMMUNICATIONS

5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to

Issuer

INC [SKYT]

(Check all applicable)

(Last) (First) (Middle) 3. Date of Earliest Transaction

(Month/Day/Year) 07/11/2005

Director _X__ 10% Owner __ Other (specify Officer (give title below)

C/O INTERNATIONAL FUND SERVICES, THIRD FL BISHOP SQUARE REDMONDS HILL

(Street)

4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)

6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check

Applicable Line)

Form filed by One Reporting Person _X_ Form filed by More than One Reporting

DUBLIN IRELAND, L2 00000

Person

(City)	(State)	(Zip) Tabl	e I - Non-l	Derivative	Secur	ities Acq	uired, Disposed o	of, or Benefici	ally Owned
1.Title of Security (Instr. 3)	2. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	2A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	3. Transactic Code (Instr. 8)	4. Securition(A) or Dis (Instr. 3, 4)	posed	of (D)	5. Amount of Securities Beneficially Owned Following Reported Transaction(s) (Instr. 3 and 4)	6. Ownership Form: Direct (D) or Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	7. Nature of Indirect Beneficial Ownership (Instr. 4)
Common Stock	07/11/2005		P	36,640	A	\$ 33.09	1,069,298 (1)	D	
Common Stock	07/11/2005		P	0	A	\$ 0	1,069,298 (2)	I	By Harbert Distressed Investment Master Fund, Ltd.
Common Stock	07/11/2005		P	560	A	\$ 33.09	31,935 (3)	I	By Alpha US Sub Fund VI.

Common Stock	07/12/2005	P	18,821	A	\$ 34.85	1,088,119 (1) D	LLC
Common Stock	07/12/2005	P	0	A	\$ 0	1,088,119 (2) I	By Harbert Distressed Investment Master Fund, Ltd.
Common Stock	07/12/2005	P	560	A	\$ 34.85	32,495 (3) I	By Alpha US Sub Fund VI, LLC

Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transactio	5. orNumber	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title Amou		8. Price of Derivative
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security		any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)		Year)	Under Securi (Instr.	, ,	Security (Instr. 5)
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address		Relationships				
		10% Owner	Officer	Other		
HARBERT DISTRESSED INVESTMENT MASTER FUND LTD C/O INTERNATIONAL FUND SERVICES THIRD FL BISHOP SQUARE REDMONDS HILL DUBLIN IRELAND, L2 00000		X				
HMC DISTRESSED INVESTMENT OFFSHORE MANAGER LLC ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH		X				

Reporting Owners 2

BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	
HMC INVESTORS LLC ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X
FALCONE PHILIP 555 MADISON AVE 16TH FLOOR NEW YORK, NY 10022	X
HARBERT RAYMOND J ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X
LUCE MICHAEL D ONE RIVERCHASE PARKWAY SOUTH BIRMINGHAM, AL 35244	X

Signatures

Harbert Distressed Investment Master Fund, Ltd, HMC Distressed Investment Offshore Manager, LLC, By: HMC Investors, LLC, Managing Member By: /s/ Joel B. Piassick					
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
HMC Distressed Investment Offshore Manager, LLC By: HMC Investors, LLC, Managing Member by: /s/ Joel Piassick					
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
HMC Investors, LLC By: /s/ Joel Piassick					
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
By: /s/ Philip Falcone		07/13/2005			
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
By: /s/ Raymond J. Harbert		07/13/2005			
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			
By: /s/ Michael D. Luce		07/13/2005			
	**Signature of Reporting Person	Date			

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- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) These securities are owned by Harbert Distressed Investment Master Fund, Ltd., which is a Reporting Person.
 - These securities may be deemed to be beneficially owned by HMC Distressed Investment Offshore Manager, L.L.C. ("HMC Management"), the investment manager of Harbert Distressed Investment Master Fund, Ltd., HMC Investors, L.L.C., its managing member ("HMC Investors"), Philip Falcone, a member of HMC Management and the portfolio manager of Harbert Distressed Investment
- (2) Master Fund, Ltd., Raymond J. Harbert, a member of HMC Investors, and Michael D. Luce, a member of HMC Investors. Each such Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, or for any other purpose.
- (3) These securities may be deemed to be beneficially owned by HMC Investors, Philip Falcone, who is the portfolio manager of Alpha US Sub Fund VI, LLC, Raymond J. Harbert and Michael D. Luce. Each such Reporting Person disclaims beneficial ownership of the reported securities except to the extent of his or its pecuniary interest therein, and this report shall not be deemed an admission that such Reporting Person is the beneficial owner of the securities for purposes of Section 16 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended,

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