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Committee Member Biography

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Kay Sears
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Ms. Kay Sears is president of Intelsat General Corporation. Ms. Sears is responsible for implementing the company's strategic and operational plans, and for the overall mission of providing a range of sustainable, cost-effective, and secure communications solutions to Government and commercial customers. Ms. Sears joined Intelsat when it acquired PanAmSat in 2006, where she served as senior vice president of sales and marketing. Prior to joining PanAmSat, Ms. Sears held senior management positions with Verestar, American Tower Corp, and COMSAT Corporation. In 2012, she received the GOVTek Women in Technology award from the Government Technology Research Alliance and, in 2014, the National Defense Industrial Association awarded her the Honorable Peter B. Teets Award for industry leadership in strengthening America's national security through space technologies. Ms. Sears was appointed to the board of the Virginia Commercial Space Flight Authority by Governor Terry McAuliffe (D-Va.) in 2014. She is currently serving on the boards of the Space Foundation and Future Space Leaders Foundation. Ms. Sears holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of Richmond and a master's degree in business administration from George Washington University.

