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David Furth, Deputy Bureau Chief
Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC  20554

Re:  Sprint’s Status Report on 800 MHz Band Reconfiguration
WT Docket 02-55

Dear Mr. Furth:

Sprint Corporation (“Sprint”) hereby files this update regarding 800 MHz band reconfiguration progress with the Federal Communications Commission (“Commission”) and the 800 MHz Transition Administrator, LLC (“TA”).

800 MHz band reconfiguration continues to make significant progress across the United States. All 800 MHz public safety and non-public safety licensees required to be retuned in a total of forty-five NPSPAC Regions and the U.S. Territories have fully completed 800 MHz band reconfiguration.

1 In its September 12, 2007 Third Memorandum Opinion and Order in the above-captioned proceeding, the Commission required Sprint to submit monthly reports regarding 800 MHz band reconfiguration. See Improving Public Safety Communications in the 800 MHz Band, Third Memorandum Opinion and Order, WT Docket No. 02-55, at ¶¶ 29-30 (rel. Sep. 12, 2007) (“Third Memorandum Opinion and Order”).

2 The forty-five NPSPAC Regions that are completed are: Arizona (Region 3), Northern California (Region 6), Washington (Region 43), Puerto Rico (Region 47), U.S. Virgin Islands (Region 48), Florida (Region 9), Washington, DC/Baltimore (Region 20), Virginia (Region 42), Eastern Pennsylvania (Region 28), Western Pennsylvania (Region 36), Ohio (Region 33), Kentucky (Region 17), West Virginia (Region 44), North Carolina (Region 31), Mississippi (Region 23), Oregon (Region 35), New York – Buffalo (Region 55), Michigan (Region 21), New York –Albany (Region 30), New York (Region 8), Chicago – Great Lakes (Region 54), Louisiana (Region 18), Tennessee (Region 39), Illinois (Region 13), Alabama (Region 1), South Carolina (Region 37), Indiana (Region 14), New England (Region 19), Texas – Houston (Region 51), Montana (Region 25), Georgia (Region 10), Idaho (Region 12), Missouri (Region 24), Kansas (Region 16), Nebraska (Region 26), Wisconsin (Region 45), Iowa (Region 15), Alaska (Region 2), Minnesota (Region 22), North Dakota (Region 32), Utah (Region 41), Colorado (Region 7), Hawaii (Region 11), Wyoming (Region 46) and South Dakota (Region 38). In
Currently only 10 of the 55 NPSPAC Regions remain incomplete and there are 36 total licensees remaining. Notably, only one individual public safety licensee (non-NPSPAC) remains to fully complete 800 MHz band reconfiguration in the Nevada NPSPAC Region and one non-public safety licensee remains in the Oklahoma, Arkansas, Dallas, Austin and Lubbock NPSPAC Regions. All public safety retuning is complete in these five non-Border area NPSPAC Regions. In addition, in the Border-impacted market of New Mexico only one public safety and one non-public safety licensee remain. The following is a map showing the status of each NPSPAC Region:

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3 The County of San Bernardino, CA is currently licensed for a single site in the Nevada NPSPAC Region. The County is not licensed for NPSPAC channels in Nevada.

4 License Acquisitions is a “non-ESMR” Economic Area (“EA”) licensee whose predecessor in interest in 2006 requested a voluntary relocation to the 800 MHz ESMR band. License Acquisitions acquired these licenses in 2010. In 2017, License Acquisitions requested that the FCC permit it to remain on its existing frequencies and not relocate to the ESMR band. The FCC has denied the request but License Acquisitions has appealed the decision. Accordingly, performance of the License Acquisitions retune has been pending subject to a series of past and recent regulatory proceedings at the FCC which all remaining pending. While this delay impacts ultimate completion of 800 MHz band reconfiguration in eight NPSPAC Regions (Arkansas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas – Dallas, Texas – Austin, Texas – El Paso, Texas – Lubbock and Texas – San Antonio), performance of the retune or recission of the ESMR election has no impact on the pre- or post-NPSPAC spectrum or any public safety retunes.

5 License Acquisitions and the City of Las Cruces.
Next Sprint provides a NPSPAC Region-by-NPSPAC Region list of the licensees that remain, with an indication of whether the licensee is a NPSPAC (public safety) licensee or a non-NPSPAC licensee (public safety and non-public safety). Sprint will also list in each Region whether any licensees completed their return during the previous month.

**Arkansas (Region 4)**

License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC

**California – Southern (Region 5)**

State of California NPSPAC  
Palomar Communications Non-NPSPAC  
Peak Relay Non-NPSPAC  
Agnes Pennington Non-NPSPAC  
San Bernardino County Non-NPSPAC remaining; completed NPSPAC  
City of San Diego NPSPAC
During September, Coachella Water District completed its retune.

The following licensees have cleared their existing channels, but have not necessarily completed relocation to their new channel assignments:

3KFA Non-NPSPAC
Paging Systems Non-NPSPAC
Telephone Connection Non-NPSPAC
Third District Enterprises Non-NPSPAC

Nevada (Region 27)
San Bernardino County Non-NPSPAC

New Mexico (Region 29)
License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC
City of Las Cruces NPSPAC

Oklahoma (Region 34)
License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC

Texas – Dallas (Region 40)
License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC

Texas - Austin (Region 49)
License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC

Texas – El Paso (Region 50)
License Acquisitions Non-NPSPAC
City of El Paso NPSPAC
Carmen G. Loya Non-NPSPAC
Guillermo Perez Non-NPSPAC
Laura and Sergio Rubio Non-NPSPAC
Ysleta Del Sur Pueblo NPSPAC
The following licensee has cleared its existing channels, but has not necessarily completed relocation to its new channel assignments:

El Paso Independent School District  Non-NPSPAC

Texas - Lubbock (Region 52)
License Acquisitions  Non-NPSPAC

Texas – San Antonio (Region 53)
License Acquisitions  Non-NPSPAC
American Electric Power  Non-NPSPAC
City of Edinburg  NPSPAC
Harlingen CISD  Non-NPSPAC
City of Harlingen  NPSPAC
County of Hidalgo  NPSPAC
City of McAllen  Non-NPSPAC
McAllen ISD  Non-NPSPAC
Med Care EMS  Non-NPSPAC
City of Mission  NPSPAC
David Peters  Non-NPSPAC
City of Pharr  NPSPAC
Tom D. Phillips  Non-NPSPAC
Rio Grande Police  Non-NPSPAC
City of Rio Grande  NPSPAC
Valley Communications  Non-NPSPAC
Weslaco ISD  Non-NPSPAC

During September, Mobile Relay Partners completed its 800 MHz retunes.
The following is a summary of what remains to be retuned in each Region:

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Sprint appreciates the continuing opportunity to update the Commission on the substantial progress being made in 800 MHz band reconfiguration. We remain available to discuss this Report at the Bureau's convenience. Sprint remains committed to completing this important initiative; however, as the information contained herein demonstrates, Sprint cannot complete 800 MHz band reconfiguration until all affected incumbent licensees complete their individual retuning activities.

Should you have any further questions in this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted

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