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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street NW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Ms. Dortch:

Please find enclosed CPNI certification for 2019 covering the prior calendar year 2018 for Sledge Telephone Company. If there are any questions please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,



Robert O. Sledge, Jr.
President

Enclosures

Annual 47 C.F.R. § 64.2009(e) CPNI Certification

EB Docket 06-36

Annual 64.2009(e) CPNI Certification for 2019 covering the prior calendar year 2018

Date filed: February 6, 2019

Name of company covered by this certification: SLEDGE TELEPHONE COMPANY

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Name of signatory: Robert O. Sledge, Jr.

Title of signatory: President

Certification:

I, Robert O. Sledge, Jr., certify that I am an officer of the Company named above, and acting as an agent of the Company, that I have personal knowledge that the Company has established operating procedures that are adequate to ensure compliance with the Commission's CPNI rules.
See 47 C.F.R. § 64.2001 et seq.


Attached to this certification is an accompanying statement explaining how the Company's procedures ensure that the Company is in compliance with the requirements (including those mandating the adoption of CPNI procedures, training, safeguards, recordkeeping, and supervisory review) set forth in section 64.2001 *et seq.* of the Commission's rules.

The Company has not taken any actions (*i.e.*, proceedings instituted or petitions filed by a company at either state commissions, the court system, or at the Commission against data brokers) against data brokers in the past year.

The Company has not received any customer complaints in the past year concerning the unauthorized release of CPNI.

The Company represents and warrants that the above certification is consistent with 47 C.F.R. § 1.17, which requires truthful and accurate statements to the Commission. The Company also acknowledges that false statements and misrepresentations to the Commission are punishable under Title 18 of the U.S. Code and may subject it to enforcement action.

Signed



Attachments: CPNI Compliance Statement

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**Before the
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**ANNUAL 47 C.F.R. § 64.2009(e) CPNI COMPLIANCE STATEMENT
OF
SLEDGE TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.**

EB Docket No. 06-36

In compliance with the annual certification required under 47 C.F.R. § 64.2009(e), the undersigned officer of Sledge Telephone Company, Inc. ("Sledge") files the following statement of compliance with the requirements set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 64.2001, *et seq.* on behalf of Sledge:

1. I have personal knowledge that Sledge has implemented a system by which the status of a Customer's Proprietary Network Information ("CPNI") approval can be clearly established prior to the use of CPNI.
2. I have personal knowledge that Sledge obtains written approval for the use of its customers' CPNI and that Sledge has notified its customers of their right to restrict Sledge's use of, disclosure of and access to their CPNI prior to obtaining such written approval. Each customer's record contains a designation identifying whether or not Sledge has obtained, through the processes permitted by the Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") rules, the customer's approval to use, disclose or permit access to his or her CPNI.
3. I have personal knowledge that Sledge has designated a CPNI Compliance Officer, who is responsible for supervising the use, disclosure, distribution or access to its customers' CPNI, that Sledge trains, at least once annually, its personnel who may use, disclose or have access to CPNI as to when such personnel are and are not authorized to use CPNI in accordance with the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 64.2001, *et seq.* and that Sledge has an express disciplinary process in place to deal with breaches of CPNI.
4. I have personal knowledge that Sledge has implemented procedures to safeguard the disclosure of its customers' CPNI, including the following: procedures for authentication of customers before disclosing CPNI on customer-initiated telephone contacts, online access or business office visits; a customer password and backup authentication system; notification of customer account changes; and notification of security breaches of customer CPNI to law enforcement agencies. In particular, Sledge discloses call detail information ("CDI") in a customer-initiated call only after the customer provides a pre-established password; or, at the customer's request, by sending the CDI to the customer's address of record; or by calling back the customer at his or her telephone number of record. Sledge discloses CPNI to a customer in person at its retail

location(s) only when the customer presents a valid photo ID and the ID matches the name on the account.

5. I have personal knowledge that Sledge maintains records of its own and its affiliates' sales and marketing campaigns that use customer CPNI and further maintains a record of all instances where CPNI was disclosed or provided to third parties, or where third parties were allowed access to customer CPNI. The record includes a description of each campaign, the specific CPNI that was used in the campaign, and what products and services were offered as part of the campaign. Sledge retains all such records for a minimum period of one (1) year.

6. I have personal knowledge that Sledge has established a supervisory review process regarding its compliance with the FCC's rules for outbound marketing situations and that Sledge maintains records of such compliance for a minimum period of one (1) year. Sledge's sales personnel obtain supervisory approval of any proposed outbound marketing request for customer approval regarding its CPNI, and a process ensures that opt-out elections are recorded and followed.

7. I have personal knowledge that Sledge will maintain records of any discovered breaches, notices to law enforcement, and their responses, for at least two (2) years.

8. I have personal knowledge that Sledge has not received any information with regard to the processes pretexters are using to attempt to access CPNI.

On behalf of Sledge, I represent and warrant that the above certification is consistent with 47 CFR § 1.17, which requires truthful and accurate statements to the Commission, and acknowledge that false statements and misrepresentations to the Commission are punishable under Title 18 of the U.S. Code and may subject Sledge to enforcement action.

Executed on this 6th day of February, 2019.

SLEDGE TELEPHONE COMPANY, INC.

Signed: Robert O. Sledge, Jr.

Printed: Robert O. Sledge, Jr.

Title: President