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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

445 12TH STREET SW | WASHINGTON, DC 20554

RE:T-MOBILE/SPRINT PROPOSED MERGER

To whom it may concern:

Mach FM Corp. Is a FCC licensee with spectrum ownership in the 600 MHz band. We are one of a few African American owned licensees with no institutional financial backers and have previously commented on the above referenced merger.

To wit, we wish to re-emphasize that the competitive nature of wireless communications is best preserved by a robust wholesale market. It is regrettable to report that the decisions on who is an MVNO are not based on credit or level metrics, but rather cronyism. This behavior extends to all of the major carriers, not just T-Mobile and Sprint. The FCC rule making body should closely scrutinize this behavior. We have listed below just a few of the MVNO's who have received access agreements with the four major carriers that entered the market at the same time we attempted to. The question begs, why are we being excluded?

Eco Mobile (Sprint, T-Mobile, Verizon)

Ting (Sprint, T-Mobile)

Boom Mobile (AT&T, Sprint, Verizon)

U.S. Mobile (T-Mobile, Verizon)

Red Pocket (AT&T, Sprint, T-Mobile, Verizon)

As a condition of this merger or any merger (even verticals) the wholesale market must be open to all without discrimination. Mach FM is not supportive of anything that dictates market outcomes, set asides or preferences. We want to compete, but need the doors to be open to everyone.

SINCERELY,

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