

April 24, 2019

Ex Parte

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Unlicensed Use of the 6 GHz Band; ET Docket No. 18-295, GN Docket No. 17-183

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 24, 2019, Maria Kirby, Mark Neumann, Daniel Mansergh, and Jason Novak¹ of Apple Inc. and I met with Commissioner Starks, his Senior Legal Advisor William Davenport, and his Legal Advisor Randy Clarke regarding the above-referenced proceeding. In addition, on April 23, the Apple attendees, Rob Carter of Harris, Wiltshire & Grannis, and I met with Commissioner Carr's Legal Advisor Will Adams, and separately with Commissioner Rosenworcel's Legal Advisor Umair Javed. On April 22, the Apple attendees, Mr. Carter, and I met with Commissioner O'Rielly's Legal Advisor Erin McGrath.

During these meetings, Apple requested that the Commission not adopt device identification and tracking requirements that would put 6 GHz users' privacy at risk.² Apple stated that technical rules discussed in the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking will robustly protect incumbents, making privacy-intrusive device-identification requirements unnecessary. Furthermore, Apple stated that successful rules for the 6 GHz band will support innovative consumer products, including portable and mobile devices, in addition to access points.³

¹ Mr. Novak participated in the meetings described in this notice via telephone.

² See Comments of Apple Inc. (filed Feb. 15, 2019) at 13-15; Reply Comments of Apple Inc. (filed Mar. 18, 2019) at 1-7.

³ See Apple Comments at 4-13.

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Pursuant to the Commission's rules, a copy of this notice is being filed electronically in the above-referenced dockets. If you require any additional information, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

/s/ Paul Margie

Paul Margie
Counsel for Apple Inc.

cc: meeting participants