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EX PARTE NOTICE

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

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

Re: *Location-Based Routing for Wireless 911 Calls*, PS Docket No. 18-64

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Tuesday, April 24, 2018, the undersigned and John Snapp of West Safety Services, Inc. (West Safety) met with David Furth, Kenneth Carlberg, Michael Connelly, Dr. Rasoul Safavian, Erika Olsen, John Evanoff, Austin Randazzo, and Brenda Boykin (via phone) of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau, and Dr. Eric Burger of the Office of Strategic Planning & Policy Analysis.

The attendees discussed the Commission's *Notice of Inquiry* in PS Docket No. 18-64 related to location-based routing of wireless 9-1-1 calls to ensure that calls are routed to the proper 9-1-1 call center and other experiences in location technologies. Specifically, West Safety discussed its experience in the evolution and revolution of wireless 9-1-1 location technologies, as identified in the attached presentation document. As part of the presentation, West Safety provided meeting participants with an understanding of the 9-1-1 call routing time variables based on differing technologies, the call flow process and network elements included in handset-initiated location, and information on a recent ELS pilot between West Safety and Google.

West Safety also encouraged the participants to review its recent webinar that covers in detail the topics discussed in the meeting with the Bureau. The webinar can be found at:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WM_X_XNwE9A&feature=youtu.be

West Safety appreciates the opportunity to meet with the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau and the Office of Strategic Planning and Policy Analysis. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Respectfully submitted,

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