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Honorable Tom J. Campbell
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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
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Dear Congressman Campbell:

Your letter to Chairman Sikes concerning the Commission's proposals for the redevelopment of spectrum to encourage innovation in the use of new telecommunications technologies has been referred to me for reply.

U.S. technological leadership and competitiveness is a driving force in the Commission's efforts to identify and allocate spectrum for new technologies. On January 16, 1992, the Commission adopted a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in ET Docket No. 92-9 that proposes to allocate 220 MHz of 2 GHz spectrum for use by providers of emerging technologies. The primary issue before the Commission is finding ways to strike a balance in spectrum allocation policies that will accommodate new technologies while ensuring that existing users can maintain and enhance the quality of their present operations. The Commission is committed to finding a way to accommodate these competing interests.

Please be assured that your support for ET Docket No. 92-9, and your concerns with regard to economic growth and technological advance, will be taken into account before a final decision is made in this matter. For that purpose, I am making this correspondence part of the record in ET Docket No. 92-9.

Sincerely,



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The Honorable Alfred C. Sikes
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, D.C. 20036

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Dear Mr. Chairman:

I am writing to urge the Federal Communications Commission to reallocate portions of the radio spectrum for emerging growth technologies. By ensuring a decision on this issue, the path will be paved for economic growth and technological advance.

The FCC proposal is the fairest available for all involved. By setting aside a portion of the current spectrum for important new technologies, and by easing the transition for those users being displaced, the FCC proposal will provide a flexible regulatory atmosphere conducive to progress in new technology products.

Thank you for your consideration of this matter.

Best regards,

Congressman Tom Campbell

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