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Marlene H. Dortch,
Secretary Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554
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Re: WT Docket No. 10-4

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On November 8th, 2018, the undersigned, representing Staircase 3, Inc. (doing business as RepeaterStore and RSRF), met, via telephone, with Kathy Harris, Amanda Huetinck, and Moslem Sawez of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and discussed the Commission's proposal to eliminate the personal-use restriction on all Consumer Signal Boosters.

In particular, the parties discussed Staircase 3's offer to create a centralized registration database for wideband signal boosters to simplify the registration of boosters once the personal use restriction for Consumer Signal Boosters is removed.

We agreed that the simplest route for allowing consumers and businesses to register Consumer Signal Boosters would be for resellers and manufacturers to register boosters on behalf of consumers at time of purchase. However, we noted that the current carrier signal booster registration forms contain limitations that would make this difficult.

Specifically:

- AT&T's form requires a serial number for each amplifier registered with them.
- T-Mobile has a graphic CAPTCHA and requires an account number.
- Verizon requires that user's login with their account before registering a booster.

Staircase 3 suggested that the FCC ask carriers to streamline their registration forms, and either provide an application program interface (API) that would allow resellers and vendors to programmatically transmit registration data to the carriers. An alternative would be to simply allow vendors and resellers to send or upload registration data to a carrier contact via a comma-separated value (CSV) electronic document.

We encourage the FCC to take whatever action it believes will lead to an expeditious removal of the personal use restriction.

Respectfully submitted,

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