



T-Mobile USA, Inc.
601 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, DC 20004

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Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation
Petitions for Declaratory Ruling on Regulatory Status of Wireless
Messaging Service, WT Docket 08-7

Dear Ms. Dortch,

On December 4, 2018, Indra Chalk and I spoke by phone with Nirali Patel, Legal Advisor to FCC Chairman Ajit Pai, to commend the Commission on its decision to deny the pending petitions of Public Knowledge and Twilio, Inc. asking the Commission to declare SMS and MMS messaging Title II telecommunications services or commercial mobile services or their functional equivalent. We support the Commission's decision to deny the petitions, which will remove regulatory uncertainty and allow T-Mobile and other wireless messaging providers to continue to incorporate robotext-blocking, anti-spoofing measures, and other anti-spam features into their service. This is the right decision for consumers because it will allow industry to continue to protect the messaging ecosystem and spare them from receiving unlawful and unwanted spam.

We have filed a copy of this letter in ECFS pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules.

Sincerely,

/s/ Cathleen A. Massey

Cathleen A. Massey,
Vice President, Federal Regulatory Affairs

cc: Nirali Patel