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Mr. William F. Caton  
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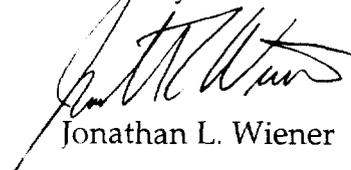
Re: PR Docket No. 89-553, PP Docket No. 93-253 and GN Docket  
No. 93-252 Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Mr. Caton:

This letter reports that Jonathan L. Wiener, counsel to RAM Mobile Data USA Limited Partnership ("RMD"), spoke yesterday afternoon with Gregory Rosston of the Commission's Office of Plans and Policy and Amy Zoslov, Esq. of the Commission's Wireless Telecommunications Bureau concerning issues related to the auction rules for the 900 MHz specialized mobile radio service. Specifically, in response to Mr. Rosston's inquiry, the undersigned indicated to Mr. Rosston that, based upon RMD's experience in acquiring 900 MHz SMR spectrum and the amounts paid by it in acquisition costs, RMD believes the Commission's proposed minimum bid increments for the upcoming 900 MHz SMR auction are appropriate. It was also pointed out that the value of particular licenses is uncertain and that the price "per MHz per pop" is likely to vary a great deal by market and even within individual markets, depending upon the degree of encumbrance from existing systems. Accordingly, the Commission should retain its discretion to vary bid increments as the auctions proceed.

An original and one copy of this letter have been submitted to the Secretary in accordance with 47 CFR 1.1206(a)(2). If there are any questions in this regard, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

  
Jonathan L. Wiener

cc: Gregory Rosston  
Amy Zoslov, Esq.

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