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**VIA EMAIL**

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**Re:** Notice of Alternative Timeframe for Routing 9-1-1 Text Messages to PSAPs—47 C.F.R. § 20.18(n)(10)(ii)

Dear Mr. May:

Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 20.18(n)(10)(ii), T-Mobile USA, Inc. (“T-Mobile”) hereby notifies the Commission of alternative timeframes for delivering 9-1-1 text messages to certain requesting Public Safety Answering Points (“PSAPs”). A text provider must begin delivering 9-1-1 text messages within six months of a valid request from a PSAP, or arrange an alternate timeframe with that PSAP.<sup>1</sup> If the parties agree to an alternate arrangement, the text provider must notify the Commission within 30 days.<sup>2</sup>

On July 29, 2015, the Commission published a list of “text-ready” PSAPs, which constituted a request by those PSAPs to receive 9-1-1 text messages.<sup>3</sup> After contacting the requesting PSAPs, T-Mobile does not expect to deliver 9-1-1 text messages within six months of July 29, 2015 to the PSAPs listed below, for the reasons noted.

<b>FCC ID</b>	<b>County/City</b>	<b>Request Status</b>
1094	Castle Rock, CO	PSAP has been identified as a Secondary PSAP
1906	Buena Vista County, IA	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
1912	Cedar County, IA	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
1943/1955	Fayette County, IA	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
1959	Humboldt County, IA	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
4112	Deer Lodge County, MT	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
4330	Macon County, NC	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
4346	Mitchell County, NC	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
4472	Washington County, NC	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
7575	Kanawha County, WV	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
1255/1252	Rio Blanco County, CO	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area

<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 20.18(n)(10)(ii).

<sup>2</sup> *Id.*

<sup>3</sup> *Id.* § 20.18(n)(10)(iii)(C).

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3352	Chippewa County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3309	Alger County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3365	Delta County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3369	Dickinson County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3422	Iron County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3456/8217	Marquette County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area
3464	Menominee County, MI	PSAP notified it is not currently within T-Mobile coverage area

T-Mobile will continue working with these PSAPs, and will notify the Commission of any additional alternate arrangements between the parties. Please feel free to contact me if you have any additional questions.

Sincerely yours,



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