



April 22, 2016

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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication: Use of Spectrum Bands Above 24 GHz For Mobile Radio Services, et al., GN Docket No. 14-177,

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 20, 2016, Jared Carlson (Ericsson), Peter Pitsch (Intel), and I met with Daudeline Meme of Commissioner Mignon Clyburn's office. We discussed issues consistent with our previous filings in the above-captioned proceeding.

We reiterated the need for quick action on the four bands identified in the NPRM, and particularly the 28 GHz band. Expedient action will ensure U.S. leadership in the millimeter wave bands, and provide certainty for innovation and investment in 5G and other uses in these bands.

Also, we urged the Commission to 1) continue focusing on the need to make available additional spectrum in all ranges for wireless and mobile broadband use, 2) move forward with the proposed market-based mechanism to balance the interests of fixed satellite (FSS) and terrestrial wireless interests and promote sharing or partitioning, and 3) flexibly license the 37 GHz band as opposed to the proposed "hybrid" approach. Regarding the last point, we noted that flexibly licensing the 37 GHz band will facilitate much more rapid deployment and use of that band than would the "hybrid" approach contemplated in the NPRM.

This notice is being filed in the above-referenced dockets for inclusion in the public record. Please contact me should you have any questions.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Vince Jesaitis". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

J. Vince Jesaitis
Vice President, Government Affairs
Information Technology Industry Council

CC: Daudeline Meme
(via electronic mail)