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In the Matter of)
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Petition for Declaratory Relief and) FO Docket No. 91-301
Waiver of the Commission's) FO Docket No. 91-171
Emergency Alert Equipment)
Requirements for)
Cable Television Systems)

To: Chief, Technical & Public Safety Division
Enforcement Bureau

AMENDMENT TO PETITION FOR DECLARATORY RELIEF AND/OR WAIVER

Charter Communications, Inc. ("Charter"), by its attorneys, hereby amends its Petition filed in the above-referenced proceeding on August 14, 2002. That Petition concerns the use of alternate EAS technology.

Charter wishes to inform the Commission that the Petition will indirectly affect certain Charter-affiliated systems beyond those expressly identified in the Petition. In preparation for the October 1, 2002 compliance deadline, some of the subject communities already have acquired conventional EAS equipment. It is Charter's intent to redeploy this conventional EAS equipment to other cable systems immediately upon receipt of a favorable Petition ruling. (Of course, if the ruling were unfavorable, Charter would immediately purchase and install additional new equipment at these sites.)¹

The efficiencies outlined in the original Petition remain accurate and warrant the requested relief. Charter is identifying this redeployment program so that the Commission is informed of the underlying facts and scope of the pending Petition.

Respectfully submitted,

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¹ Charter assumed that a ruling would already have been released and this redeployment issue already would have been resolved prior to October 1, 2002.