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I, Barry John West, an officer of Nextel Communications, Inc. ("Nextel"), declare under penalty of perjury pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 1.16 of the Federal Communications Commission's Rules that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing is true and correct.



A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Barry J. West', is written over a horizontal line.

Barry J. West
Executive Vice President and Chief Technology Officer
Nextel Communications, Inc.

Dated: 10/30/03