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May 20, 2005

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Notice of Ex Parte Communication
**Applications for Authority to Transfer Control of Sprint Corporation
Licenses and Authorizations Held by Nextel Communications, Inc. (WT
Docket No. 05-63)**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On May 16, 2005, Michael Samsock and Susan Vinci of Verizon Wireless and James Lowe and Jeffrey D. Ayer of Wilmer Cutler Pickering Hale and Dorr LLP ("Verizon Wireless"), conducted a telephone conference with staff representatives from the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("WTB"), including Louis Peraertz, Walter Strack, Ben Freeman and Melvin Del Rosario to discuss a May 6, 2005 information request submitted to Verizon Wireless in connection with the above proceeding.

During the discussion, Verizon Wireless requested and was granted a short extension to produce the information identified in the information request. Verizon Wireless also sought clarification of a number of questions contained in the information request.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, an electronic copy of this letter is being filed.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael Samsock", with a large, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Michael Samsock
Senior Attorney
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cc: Louis Peraertz
Walter Strack
Ben Freeman
Melvin Del Rosario