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c. Dual-Tone, Multi-Frequency ("DTMF") Signaling, or its Functional Equivalent. NEP currently uses out-of-band digital signaling and in-band multi-frequency ("MF") signaling that is functionally equivalent to DTMF signaling. NEP therefore meets the requirement to provide DTMF signaling or its functional equivalent.

d. Single-Party Service or its Functional Equivalent. "Single-party service" means that only one party will be served by a subscriber loop or access line as opposed to a multi-party line. The FCC concluded that a wireless provider offers the equivalent of single-party service when it offers a dedicated message path for the length of a user's particular transmission. NEP meets the requirement of single-party service by providing a dedicated message path for the length of all customer calls.

e. Access to Emergency Services. The ability to reach a public emergency service provider by dialing 911 is a required service in any universal service offering. Currently NEP provides "Basic 911 Service" pursuant to Section 20.18(b). In accordance with the Commission's rules and pursuant to a request from the Wayne County PSAP, NEP plans to begin providing Phase I E911to Wayne County by July, 31 2007. NEP is currently implementing Phase I and provides all of its customers with access to emergency service by dialing 911. NEP's E911 Phase I service will provide its universal service customers with the added benefit of location-based safety. By providing E911, NEP meets the Commission's universal service requirement to provide access to emergency service.

f. Access to Operator Services. Access to operator services is defined as any automatic or live assistance provided to a consumer to arrange for the billing or completion, or both, of a telephone call. NEP meets this requirement by providing all of its customers with access to operator services.

g. Access to Interexchange Service. A universal service provider must offer consumers access to interexchange service to make and receive toll or interexchange calls. NEP currently meets this requirement by providing all of its customers with the ability to make and receive interexchange or toll calls.

h. Access to Directory Assistance. The ability to place a call to directory assistance is a required service offering. NEP meets this requirement by providing all of its customers with access to directory assistance by dialing "411".

i. Toll limitation for qualifying low-income consumers. An ETC must offer either "toll control" or "toll blocking" services to qualifying Lifeline customers at no charge. Once designated as an ETC, NEP will participate in Lifeline as required, and will provide toll blocking capability in satisfaction of

the FCC's requirement. NEP provides toll blocking services for international calls and customer selected toll calls.

7. NEP will offer supported services using its own facilities.

8. NEP will advertise the availability of the supported services.

9. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on 05 - JUNE, 2007.

Tim Stearns
Its Authorized Representative