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

Re: EB Docket No. 06-119, WC Docket No. 06-63 (FCC Hurricane Katrina Order)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On July 10, 2007, representatives of a number of rural and regional commercial wireless providers met with Lisa Fowlkes and Paul Marrangoni of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau and Jeffrey Goldthorp of the Office of Engineering and Technology to discuss the above-referenced proceeding. The parties and their representatives were: (1) MetroPCS Communications, Inc. ("MetroPCS"), represented by Mark Stachiw, Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary and Carl Northrop and Michael Lazarus of Paul, Hastings, Janofsky & Walker LLP; (2) United States Cellular Corporation ("US Cellular"), represented by Peter Connolly of Holland & Knight, LLP; (3) Leap Wireless, ("Leap"), represented by Jim Barker of Latham and Watkins LLP; (4) Cellular South and Rural Cellular Corporation, represented by Pam Gist of Lukas, Nace, Gutierrez & Sachs, Chartered; and (5) SunCom Wireless, represented by Scott Basham and Roberto Beryon (collectively, the "Parties").

During this meeting, the Parties expressed concern about the emergency back-up power provisions of the Commission's Hurricane Katrina Order. The Parties also discussed the need for a transition period in order to fully examine the ramifications of, and possible refinements to, the new rules.

This letter is being filed pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules. 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

Kindly refer any questions in connection with this letter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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