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September 2, 2008

Marlene Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Initial Election Regarding Participation in the CMAS
PS Docket No. 08-146

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This notification is filed pursuant to the Third Report and Order in PS Docket No. 07-287, released August 7, 2008, and the corresponding Public Notice, DA 08-1866, released the same date.

Richland-Grant Telephone Cooperative, Inc. hereby notifies the Commission of its intent not to participate in the Commercial Mobile Alert System.

We reserve the right to change our election at a later date, in accordance with Commission regulations.

Very truly yours,

Richland-Grant Telephone Cooperative, Inc.

By: Bradley W. Welp
Bradley W. Welp, General Manager