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Written *Ex Parte* Communication

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W. Room TW-A325
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Improving Public Safety Communications in the 800 MHz Band*
WT Docket No. 02-55 and ET Docket Nos. 00-258 and 95-18

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Sprint Nextel Corporation, Lawrence R. Krevor and I met with Wayne Leighton of the Office of Commissioner Deborah Taylor Tate and then with Bruce Gottlieb of the Office of Commissioner Michael Copps. We noted that TerreStar and ICO have refused to reimburse Sprint Nextel for a portion of the relocation costs Sprint Nextel has incurred to clear their spectrum. We urged the Commission to once again affirm that TerreStar and ICO must pay their fair share of eligible BAS relocation costs for the twenty megahertz of former BAS spectrum that ICO and TerreStar occupy.

If you have any questions concerning this submission, please contact me.

Sincerely,

Trey Hanbury, Esq.
Director, Sprint Nextel Corporation