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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, DC 20554

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

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the Commission's Third Report and Order in PS Docket No. 07-287, released August 7, 2008 and a corresponding public notice released the same date, we hereby submit our Commercial Mobile Alert System ("CMAS") initial election.

FiberCom L.C. ("FiberCom") hereby notifies the Commission of its intent not to participate in the CMAS program. We reserve our right to change this election at a later date, in accordance with the Commission's regulations.

To the extent deemed necessary, FiberCom requests an extension/waiver of the September 8, 2008 reporting deadline announced in the FCC's August 7 *Public Notice* to permit the filing of our election notice today. Through clerical error, FiberCom failed to file its election notice prior to the deadline, and this oversight did not come to our attention until now. Because FiberCom has taken steps to cure its deficiency, and because the delay is brief, there are good grounds for a brief waiver/extension.

In accordance with Section 1.12 of the Commission's Rules, please direct any questions or correspondence regarding this matter to our counsel, Richard D. Rubino, Blooston, Mordkofsky, Dickens, Duffy & Prendergast, LLP, 2120 L Street, N.W., Suite 300, Washington, DC 20037.

Very truly yours,

**FIBERCOM, L.C.**

By: 

Name: MICHAEL MASSEY

Title: GENERAL MANAGER

Dated: October 29, 2008