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Via Electronic Filing

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

Re: *Telecommunication Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for
Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities – CG Docket No. 03-123
Ex Parte Notice*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On March 25, 2009, Mike Maddix of Sorenson Communications, Inc. (“Sorenson”), along with Gina Keeney and Gil Strobel of Lawler, Metzger, Milkman & Keeney, LLC, counsel to Sorenson, met with Lisa Boehley, Thomas Chandler, William Dever, Heather Hendrickson, Gregory Hlibok, Richard Hovey, Michael Jacobs, Nicole McGinnis, Nancy Stevenson and Stephanie Weiner of the Federal Communications Commission. During the meeting, we discussed consumer protection issues, including the need for the Commission to adopt rules protecting the privacy of TRS users, as well as rules protecting against unauthorized changes in default providers. As part of this discussion, Sorenson sought clarification of the Commission’s porting rules. In addition, Sorenson raised concerns about the unauthorized provision of VRS by some firms, as well as various other practices that threaten the integrity of the interstate TRS Fund. The discussion also covered issues related to the appropriate use of information obtained from the iTRS numbering database. During the meeting, we also responded to questions on a number of topics, including issues related to obtaining local numbers from certain rate centers, the handling of emergency calls and the distribution and provisioning of toll-free numbers.

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Pursuant to the Commission's rules, this letter is submitted for inclusion of the public record in the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

/s/ Gil M. Strobel
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