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Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
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Washington, DC 20554

RE: **REVISED**
Transition Initiation Plan - Fixed Wireless Holdings, LLC
Transition of the 2500-2690 MHz Band for BRS and EBS
Transition Area: BTA Number 476: Williston, ND

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On January 21, 2009, Clearwire Corporation ("Clearwire") filed its Transition Initiation Plan, after completing an assessment of BRS and EBS facilities for transition to the new band plan for the Williston, ND BTA, BTA Number 476. Pursuant to Section 21.1231 of the Commission's Rules, Clearwire indicated its desire to initiate its plan as the Proponent to manage the spectrum transition of all licensees within the Williston, ND BTA. However, due to the pendency of a Request for Waiver of the Commission's rules providing for the transition of BRS and EBS channels to the band plan specified in Section 27.5(i)(2) of the Commission's Rules ("Waiver Request") filed by Northwest Communications Cooperative ("NCC"), there was some uncertainty surrounding the identity of the BRS and EBS licensees that would be included in the transition of the BTA. Clearwire and NCC have worked together to coordinate a plan whereby NCC is withdrawing its Waiver Request and Clearwire is hereby modifying its Transition Initiation Plans for this BTA to specify February 1, 2012 as the revised "best estimate" date for completing the transition. To the extent necessary, and since this date falls beyond the Commission's deadline for completion of Transition, Clearwire requests a waiver to permit it to have this additional time past the December 31, 2011 date by which NCC and Clearwire have agreed that NCC will cease operating on pre-transition spectrum.¹

¹ Although Clearwire does not expect that it will need additional time, due to NCC's continued operation under the old band plan after the substantial service deadline of May 1, 2011, Clearwire hereby notifies the Commission, that it may need to request an extension of time to meet that deadline



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Clearwire hereby amends its Transition Initiation Plan as follows:

Initial information regarding all existing BRS and EBS facilities has been obtained through research of the Commission's databases and through data provided by EBS licensees in response to the Pre-Transition Data Request ("PTDR") Clearwire sent to them. In addition, all licensees within the above-referenced BTA are being provided a copy of this filing.

Transition Schedule:

Clearwire has compiled its transition strategy for the most efficient and least disruptive conversion of facilities to the new band plan. Pursuant to Section 21.1231(f)(1)(iii), and consistent with Clearwire's agreement with NCC, Clearwire's best estimate as to when the transition will be completed is by February 1, 2012.

All other parts of Clearwire's initial Transition Initiation Plan remain unchanged.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please contact Brandon Bullis, Director of Spectrum Development, at (202) 351-5021 or the undersigned at (202) 330-4011.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Nadja Sodos-Wallace'.

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