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Re: Ex Parte Notice, WC Docket Nos 08-24, 08-49
Petition of Verizon New England for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 160(c) in
Rhode Island; Petition of Verizon Telephone Companies for Forbearance Pursuant to 47
U.S.C. § 160(c) in Cox's Service Territory in the Virginia Beach Metropolitan Statistical
Area

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Cavalier Telephone & TV ("Cavalier") hereby submits the attached redacted declaration of Dr. Michael D. Pelcovits for consideration in the above-referenced proceedings. In this declaration, Dr. Pelcovits explains that Verizon has provided no evidence to support the claim that wireless services constitute an effective competitive constraint on wireline services. Additionally, as Dr. Pelcovits explains, there is substantial reason to believe that such a hypothesis is incorrect.

In accordance with §1.1206 of the Commission rules, one copy of this letter is being filed electronically via ECFS.

Sincerely,



Samuel L. Feder