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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Notice of Ex Parte Communication

Re: *Improving Public Safety Communications in the 800 MHz Band; Consolidating the 800 and 900 MHz Industrial/Land Transportation and Business Pool Channels Amendment of Part 2 of the Commission's Rules to Allocate Spectrum Below 3 GHz for Mobile and Fixed Services to Support the Introduction of New Advanced Wireless Services, including Third Generation Wireless Systems; Amendment of Section 2.106 of the Commission's Rules to Allocate Spectrum at 2 GHz for use by the Mobile Satellite Service, WT Docket No. 02-55, ET Docket No. 00-258, ET Docket No. 95-18*

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The undersigned counsel, together with representatives from Sprint Nextel Corporation (Sprint Nextel) met yesterday with Paul Murray, of the Office of Acting Chairman Michael J. Copps.<sup>1</sup> As detailed in the attached presentation, Sprint Nextel discussed the continued and significant progress Sprint Nextel and the broadcast community have made in transitioning BAS operations above 2025 MHz. We also identified some of the challenges ahead, reiterated a joint request that the Commission establish February 7, 2010 as the new transition date, and requested that, to the extent it is practicable, the FCC resolve all outstanding pending matters in the above referenced proceeding.

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If any questions arise concerning this filing, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Al Mottur', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Al Mottur, Esq.  
Counsel for Sprint Nextel Corporation

<sup>1</sup> Larry Krevor, Michael Degitz, Richard Engelman and Trey Hanbury represented Sprint Nextel.

CC: Acting Chairman Michael Copps  
Paul Murray  
Michael Degitz  
Richard Engelman  
Trey Hanbury  
Lawrence Krevor

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