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Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Room TWA325
Washington, DC 20554

**Re: Notification of *Ex Parte* Communication
PS Docket No. 06-229, WT Docket Nos. 06-150 and 96-86
GN Docket No. 09-51**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

The Public Safety Spectrum Trust Corporation ("PSST") hereby provides notice of a permitted *ex parte* communication.

On September 8, 2009, Chief Harlin R. McEwen, Chairman of the PSST, and Michele Farquhar of Hogan & Hartson LLP, counsel to the PSST, met with Blair Levin, Executive Director of the FCC's Omnibus Broadband Initiative; Jennifer Manner, Deputy Chief of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau; and James Schlichting, Deputy Chief of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

The primary purpose of the meeting was to update the FCC representatives regarding public safety and D Block developments in recent months, including the consensus of many public safety organizations to petition Congress to reallocate the D Block for public safety use and create a single 20 MHz nationwide block of broadband spectrum to be licensed to the Public Safety Broadband Licensee, including issues related to the implementation of this approach (as discussed in previous *ex partes* filed by the PSST in this proceeding).

In addition, the PSST representatives discussed the PSST's participation in the FCC's National Broadband Plan proceeding and the FCC's Public Safety and Homeland Security Broadband Workshop. Finally, we responded to questions concerning the PSST's ongoing outreach to carriers, vendors, and public safety representatives on technical and technology evolution issues involved in the deployment of a nationwide public safety wireless broadband network.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206(b) of the Commission's rules, I am filing this notice electronically in the above-referenced dockets. Please contact me directly with any questions.

Respectfully submitted,



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