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Federal Communications Commission
Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau
James Arden Barnett, Jr., Chief
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: PS Docket No. 06-229

Dear Mr. Barnett:

The Petition for Expedited Waiver filed by the Iowa Public Safety Broadband Coalition (“Petitioners”) on August 7, 2009 in the above-referenced docket is hereby withdrawn, and Petitioners, by undersigned counsel, request that it be removed from consideration in the above proceeding.

Petitioners believe that early deployment of an interoperable public safety broadband system throughout Iowa is critical to the protection of the citizens of Iowa. Petitioners understand that the Iowa Statewide Interoperable Communications System Board (ISICSB) is filing a Petition for Waiver in the above docket requesting an Iowa statewide authorization for the 700 MHz public safety broadband spectrum. Petitioners support the ISICSB Petition for Waiver, and accordingly are withdrawing from consideration the earlier petition they filed.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter. Please feel free to contact the undersigned with any questions.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Matthew J. Plache

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