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**VIA ELECTRONIC DELIVERY**

Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
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Re: Objection to Request for Access to First and Second Protective Order Information  
Applications of AT&T Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for Consent to Assign or Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations and to Modify a Spectrum Leasing Arrangement  
WT Docket No. 09-104

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless (“Verizon Wireless”), by its undersigned attorney, hereby objects to the Acknowledgments of Confidentiality filed in the above-captioned proceeding by Verdette Coltrane of Dow Lohnes PLLC (“Dow Lohnes”), which represents Telephone U.S.A. Investments, Inc. (“Telephone U.S.A.”).<sup>1</sup> As Verizon Wireless previously demonstrated in this docket, Telephone

<sup>1</sup> Letter from John R. Feore, Jr., Dow Lohnes PLLC, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC (Dec. 29, 2009) (“Feore Letter”). As indicated in the certificate of service for the Feore Letter, Verizon Wireless was served by overnight courier and received the letter on December 30, 2009. Verizon Wireless’ objection is therefore timely under paragraph 7 of the Protective Order and paragraph 15 of the Second Protective Order, which affords parties submitting highly confidential information 3 business days from receipt of the acknowledgments to object to any requested disclosure of Stamped Highly Confidential Documents or Highly Confidential Information. *Applications of AT&T Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for Consent to Assign or Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations and to Modify a Spectrum Leasing Arrangement*, WT Docket No. 09-104, Protective Order, DA 09-2446, at 3 (¶ 7) (WTB Nov. 19, 2009) (“Protective Order”); *Applications of AT&T Inc. and Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless for Consent to Assign or Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations and to Modify a Spectrum Leasing Arrangement*, WT Docket No. 09-104, Second Protective Order, DA 09-2601, at 6 (¶ 15) (WTB Dec. 16, 2009) (“Second Protective Order”).



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U.S.A. is not a party whose counsel may seek access to Stamped Confidential Documents or Confidential Information under the First Protective Order or Stamped Highly Confidential Documents or Highly Confidential Information under the Second Protective Order.<sup>2</sup> Accordingly, Verizon Wireless respectfully requests that the Commission dismiss or deny the Acknowledgments of Ms. Coltrane in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

*/s/ Nancy J. Victory*

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<sup>2</sup> See Letter from Nancy J. Victory, Wiley Rein LLP, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC (Dec. 10, 2009); Letter from Nancy J. Victory, Wiley Rein LLP, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC (Dec. 23, 2009). We incorporate by reference the arguments made in those letters.

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this fifth day of January, 2010, I caused true and correct copies of the foregoing to be served by electronic mail (to Best Copy and Printing, Inc. and the FCC staff members listed below) or by hand delivery (to Dow Lohnes PLLC) upon:

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