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Notice of *Ex Parte* Presentation

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
The Portals
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: GN Docket Nos. 09-51, 09-157; PS Docket No. 06-229; WT Docket No. 06-150

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On behalf of Sprint Nextel Corporation, Lawrence Krevor, Trey Hanbury, and Richard Engelman met Friday with Margaret Wiener, Saurbh Chhabra, Jim Schlichting, Peter Trachtenberg, Tom Peters, Brenda Boykin, Nese Guendelsberger, Leon Jackler, Paul Murray and John Leibowitz of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau.

Sprint Nextel's representatives discussed key elements for a successful 700 MHz D Block auction. Sprint Nextel recommended adopting rules and policies governing substantial service and technology neutrality substantially similar to those that apply to other bands that support wireless broadband communications. Consistent with its prior advocacy in this proceeding, moreover, Sprint Nextel expressed its preference for common, six-megahertz channelizations in the 700 MHz D Block. Finally, Sprint Nextel discussed the technological viability of priority and preemptive access arrangements in the 700 MHz band as well as the economic feasibility of incorporating frequencies allocated for public safety broadband use into the baseband chipsets of 700 MHz operators.

If any questions arise concerning this submission, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Trey Hanbury, Esq.
Director, Sprint Nextel Corporation

cc: Margaret Wiener, Saurbh Chhabra, Jim Schlichting, Peter Trachtenberg, Tom Peters, Brenda Boykin, Nese Guendelsberger, Leon Jackler, Paul Murray, John Leibowitz