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Via Electronic Filing

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street SW
Washington, DC 20544

Re: Sorenson Ex Parte Notice-CG Docket No. 10-51, dated April 15, 2010

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 15, 2010, Sorenson urged the FCC to adopt a multi-year, incentive-based, price cap methodology rather than a cost-based rate-of-return methodology for the next VRS rate cycle.

I, as a former executive director of TDI who assisted in developing ADA and Telecommunications Act of 1996, applaud the concept only if the laws and regulations of separation of service providers and manufacturers of related products are being enforced.

To date, at least 85% of the videophone users have received from Sorenson at no cost Sorenson-manufactured-and-operated videophones with built-in incentives that circumvent the laws of simple interoperability and inter-connectability.

Should Sorenson's request be accepted without the separation, it would create a walled garden that would eventually lead to complete monopoly of one VRS provider with one mission of maximum generation of revenues at the expense of people with hearing disabilities.

If the Commission, at this point, does not have the jurisdiction to mandate the separation, it is strongly recommended that the Commission refrain from any form of consideration.

Sincerely,

Alfred Sonnenstrahl