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Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

WT 11-65: ***In the Matter of applications of AT&T Inc. and Deutsche Telekom AG for consent to assign or Transfer Control of licenses and Authorizations***

Dear Commissioners:

On behalf of the Greater Philadelphia Hispanic Chamber of Commerce (GPHCC), I urge the support AT&T's acquisition of T-Mobile USA, which will benefit Hispanic communities locally and across the country.

Like many of our community organizations, GPHCC was established by a committed group of Hispanic business professionals and individuals in response to the pressing need to create an organization that would respond to the various needs of the growing Hispanic business community. Access to fast, affordable wireless broadband technology is critical to their success.

Combined, AT&T and T-Mobile would accelerate upgrades to expand network capacity, allowing consumers devices and services to perform better. We could look forward to improved voice quality and fewer dropped calls as a result of additional spectrum, increased cell tower density and broader network infrastructure. The expanded capacity will help lead the way to more advanced mobile broadband such as 4G LTE. This will allow the largely urban businesses we represent to compete on a global scale and bring consumers enhanced competition.

This deal also would help bridge the digital divide in our communities, allowing us to create numerous opportunities that spur economic growth and job creation in Philadelphia and nationwide.

Thank you for your consideration.

Truly,

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