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Ms. Marlene Dortch
Secretary of the Federal Communications Commission
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Dear Ms. Dortch:

LightSquared is an incredible, consumer driven company that is looking to improve wireless technology across the entire United States. They have developed at state-of-the-art wireless broadband network that will bring broadband to all Americans, as mandated by the FCC. This new network will bring 4G-LTE service, the latest and greatest wireless coverage, to at least 260 million people by 2015.

Many Americans, including myself, were looking forward to lower wireless prices and reliable coverage. However, the FCC has put a damper on this and has currently prevented LightSquared from bringing their network to Americans. Months ago the GPS industry found the possibility that some GPS receivers may be subject to interference because they can be overpowered by signals transmitted by LightSquared. Yet, the GPS industry generated this problem on their own because they are squatting inside the spectrum the FCC licensed LightSquared. Now the FCC has decided to stop working towards a solution that would solve the interference issue. The FCC has sided with the GPS industry, effectively undermining one of the most significant investments in United State wireless infrastructure of the past ten years. They have forgotten about all the good that LightSquared's network can provide to America and the wireless industry as a whole.

The FCC needs to rethink their choice to stop working towards a solution and make a fair decision to approve LightSquared's network. LightSquared deserves a fair and just process, not a decision based off of political pressure from the GPS industry. The fact is that reasonable solutions to the remaining GPS interference issues have been developed and successfully tested. Results have shown that LightSquared's network CAN co-exist with GPS devices without interference.

We deserve a wireless network that will broaden access for all Americans and facilitate affordability, choice, and innovation. I hope that you will support LightSquared and encourage the FCC to continue to work towards an interference solution as a way to improve our nation's telecom infrastructure.

Sincerely,

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President

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