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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW – Lobby Level
Washington, DC 20554

Re : ***In the Matter of Promoting Interoperability in the 700 MHz Commercial Spectrum ; Interoperability of Mobile User Equipment Across Paired Commercial Spectrum Blocks in the 700 MHz Band, WT Docket No. 12-69***

Dear Ms. Dortch :

On Thursday, May 17, James W. Cicconi, Senior Executive Vice President-External & Legislative Affairs, AT&T Inc., and Robert W. Quinn, Jr., Senior Vice President-Federal Regulatory & Chief Privacy Officer, AT&T Inc., discussed the above-referenced proceeding with Zachary Katz, Chief of Staff, Josh Gottheimer, Senior Counselor and Renee Wentzel, Legal Advisor, FCC Office of Chairman Julius Genachowski.

During the discussion, the AT&T representatives expressed their view that industry-led standards efforts are preferable to regulatory mandates. In addition, AT&T also encouraged the FCC to clear high-powered TV Channel 51 expeditiously in order to minimize interference to the Lower 700 MHz licenses.

The position expressed by AT&T during the discussion was consistent with AT&T's prior submissions in this docket.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Pursuant to section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed electronically with the Commission.

Sincerely,

Robert W. Quinn, Jr.

Cc : Zachary Katz
Josh Gottheimer
Renee Wentzel