May 30, 2012

VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

David Turetsky, Chief
Public Safety & Homeland Security Bureau
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Status Report and Further Request for Waiver;
PS Docket Nos. 07-287 and 08-146

Dear Mr. Turetsky:

On April 5, 2012 Cricket Communications, Inc. ("Cricket"), along with certain other wireless carriers, filed with the Federal Communications Commission ("Commission") a request (the "Waiver Request") for a brief extension of time, to May 15, 2012, of the April 7, 2012 deadline for Cricket to implement the Commercial Mobile Alert System ("CMAS") for transmitting emergency alerts to its subscribers.

By this letter, Cricket informs the Commission that effective April 24, 2012 Cricket's network was connected to the Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") gateway through its CMAS vendor, TeleCommunications Systems.

Due to unexpected vendor delays, one Cricket switch is not yet CMAS-capable. We are working to connect this switch to the CMAS system and expect to do so in the near future. While that work is in process, Cricket requests a further extension to July 15, 2012 to connect this one switch to the CMAS system. We will notify the Commission once this portion of the network is CMAS-capable.

Please direct any questions in connection with this notification to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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