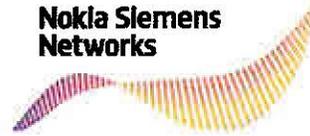


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Re: Notice of Ex Parte Presentation in WT Docket No. 06-150, PS Docket Nos. 12-94 and 06-229, and WP Docket No. 07-100

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On June 8, 2012, Chris Stark, Bob Fennelly and the undersigned, all of Nokia Siemens Networks met with Commission staff regarding deployment of the nationwide, interoperable public safety broadband network ("PSBN").

Commission staff in attendance at the meeting were Jennifer Manner, Kim Anderson, Behzad Ghaffari, and Rasoul Safavian, all of the Public Safety and Homeland Security Bureau.

The Nokia Siemens Networks representatives provided a high-level overview of the company's latest efforts in developing solutions for the planned LTE public safety network. Nokia Siemens Networks takes the view that this network will only be a success if the targeted end users, specifically first responders, find the capabilities of the network truly compelling and have confidence in its reliability and security.

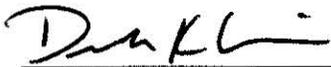
We offered the company's opinions on issues surrounding ongoing and proposed deployments of wireless network infrastructure utilizing the spectrum set aside for the network in advance of the establishment of the First Responder Network Authority ("FirstNet") through the U.S. Department of Commerce. Specifically, we discussed our view that while the Commission can and should authorize small-scale radio access network ("RAN") pilots that seek to inform regarding end-user experience and may simulate deployment scenarios, it should stop short of allowing broader network deployments that threaten to constrain or overly influence the efforts of FirstNet to establish the ultimate governance and architecture of the nationwide PSBN. A key component of the FirstNet framework, as mandated by Congress, is the establishment of a procurement process for the PSBN that fosters a competitive supply of equipment and solutions in order to mirror the innovations and cost efficiencies that define the commercial wireless marketplace. Nokia Siemens Networks cautioned the Commission staff that the larger an early deployment is, the greater is the potential risk to the ability of FirstNet to conduct truly open procurements in that geographic region.

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To the extent that the Commission nonetheless authorizes deployments that are intended to be maintained beyond a short pilot or trial period, it should impose meaningful conditions upon them in order to ensure that they can be incorporated into the nationwide PSBN, including full interoperability showings. It should be beyond dispute at this point that deployments that break interoperability with the national network since they are network "islands" unto themselves do not serve the public interest.

Pursuant to Section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206, this notice is being filed in the above-captioned proceedings and copies will be sent via email to the Commission staff present. Please contact the undersigned with any questions in connection with this filing.

Respectfully submitted,



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