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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Special Access for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers, WC Docket No. 05-25 and RM-10593

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed is an ex parte for filing in the above-captioned proceeding.

The filing contains Highly Confidential Information. Highly Confidential Information has been marked "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION – SUBJECT TO SECOND PROTECTIVE ORDER IN WC DOCKET NO. 05-25, RM-10593" in accordance with the Second Protective Order in this proceeding.¹ The information is Highly Confidential Information because it includes, among other things: the location of individual companies' cell sites; locations that companies serve with last-mile facilities; and the extent to which companies rely on incumbent local exchange carrier (ILEC) and non-incumbent LEC last-mile facilities.²

Specifically, we are herewith submitting for filing one original of the Highly Confidential filing; and two copies of the redacted filing, as specified in the Second Protective Order.³ Additionally, one machine-readable copy of the redacted version of this document will be filed electronically via ECFS.

¹ See *Special Access for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers*, Second Protective Order, 25 FCC Rcd 17725 (2010) ("*Second Protective Order*").

² *Second Protective Order*, ¶ 6.

³ *Second Protective Order*, ¶ 15.

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Two copies of the Highly Confidential version of this ex parte filing will be delivered to Andrew Mulitz of the Pricing Policy Division of the Wireline Competition Bureau.⁴

We are also tendering to you certain copies of this letter for date-stamping purposes. Please date-stamp and return these materials.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Please contact me at 202-515-2527 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Donna Epps". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

⁴ FCC Public Notice, *Competition Data Requested in Special Access NPRM*, DA 11-1576 (Sept. 19, 2011).