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

Re: RM-11683, IB Docket No. 12-340

Dear Ms. Dortch:

As a minister for more than 37 years, I am constantly amazed at how technological advances have influenced missionary efforts not just in our country but throughout the world. Not too many decades ago, we relied on the willingness of ministers and their families to travel to far-flung, remote areas to develop congregations or establish places of worship. Later, we saw more progress with our use of radio and television broadcasts of sermons and worship services. And today, with the power of the Internet and the innovation that mobile devices provide, we're seeing even greater strides in spreading the gospel.

That's why I'm eager to support LightSquared and urge you to approve the company's license modification application. Without a doubt, granting the modification will not only create a tremendous ripple effect across rural America, but I'm convinced it will also have a profound impact on religious efforts to reach more and more people interested in learning about the Bible. And while I'm grateful that my grandkids from Arlington, Virginia utilize mobile applications to easily study their Sunday school lessons, I'm perplexed that the members of so many rural congregations aren't able to experience similar blessings of connectivity. Wouldn't it be great if all Americans, regardless of where they live, could use their smart phones or tablets to tap into one of the numerous applications carrying the various versions of the Bible?

I'm very impressed with the LightSquared business model, and I find admirable the company's continued efforts to appease the GPS industry by giving up its terrestrial rights to the spectrum alleged to cause interference concerns with GPS receivers. I thank you for your time, your consideration of my views and your prompt attention to doing the right thing when it comes to LightSquared.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Harold E. Tucker".

Harold E. Tucker