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The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: DA 12-1863, IB Docket No. 12-340; RM-11683 Reply Comments

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

I am proud to work for a company that puts people to work. Our job is to find employment for employers in Michigan.

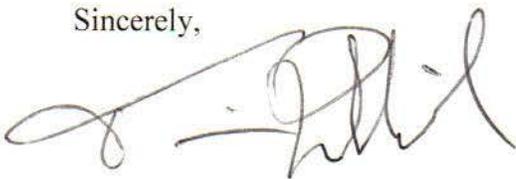
LightSquared is a company that presents a virtual immediate solution to a problem that we face in Michigan and across the country, we need jobs. LightSquared has stepped up to the plate and made significant investments that will lead to more employment and increased business activity.

While it is incumbent on the FCC to perform due diligence on proposals such as the one from LightSquared, it is also key that the FCC act swiftly. There is clearly a need for further competition between companies in the mobile broadband network. The consumer will benefit and every day they do not have more competition is a loss.

Increased competition and more jobs is a winning formula. LightSquared offers a great positive opportunity at many levels. Please approve the LightSquared proposal as quickly as possible.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Tim Parkkila', written in a cursive style.

Tim Parkkila

cc:

Senator Carl Levin

Senator Debbie Stabenow

Representative Gary Peters