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Federal Communications Commission
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**Re: Cox Communications, Inc. and Its Affiliates
Annual Customer Proprietary Network Information Certification
EB Docket No. 06-36
Request for Confidentiality**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Cox Communications, Inc. (“Cox”), on behalf of itself and the affiliates listed on the attachment this letter and by its attorneys, hereby submits its annual customer proprietary network information (“CPNI”) certification and, pursuant to Section 0.459 of the Commission’s rules,¹ hereby requests that the Commission afford confidential treatment to the certification.

Cox requests confidentiality on two grounds. First, public disclosure of the CPNI certification would give data brokers valuable information they could use in their attempts to defeat Cox’s security mechanisms and safeguards. Second, much of the information provided in the certification, including information concerning Cox’s data security procedures and customer complaints is proprietary, nonpublic information that is commercially valuable and the public disclosure of which would subject Cox to serious competitive harm. Each of these grounds is sufficient under Section 0.457(d) of the Commission’s rules² to maintain the confidentiality of the CPNI certification.

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 0.459.

² 47 C.F.R. § 0.457(d).

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For these reasons, Cox requests that the Commission maintain the confidentiality of Cox's CPNI certification.

Please inform me if any questions should arise in connection with this request.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachment

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