

**POWERTEL/MEMPHIS, INC. (Mississippi)
MOBILITY FUND PHASE I SUPPORT
ANNUAL REPORT AND CERTIFICATIONS
PURSUANT TO 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009
WT Docket No. 10-208**

July 1, 2013

PowerTel/Memphis, Inc. (“T-Mobile” or “Company”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc., which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary of T-Mobile US, Inc., hereby submits its Annual Report and Certifications (“Annual Report”) to the Federal Communications Commission (“Commission”), pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009. T-Mobile was conditionally designated as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”) by the Mississippi Public Service Commission on June 22, 2012 for purposes of participating in Mobility Fund Auction 901.¹ T-Mobile subsequently became the winning bidder for Census Blocks T28007060100 and T28159950500 in Mississippi² and was recently authorized to receive Mobility Fund Phase I support.³ T-Mobile has been assigned study area codes 288001 and 288002 to represent its Mobility Fund ETC service area in Mississippi by the Universal Service Administrative Company (“USAC”).

I. APPLICABLE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

The Commission has adopted annual reporting requirements for recipients of Mobility Fund Phase I support.⁴ Under the Commission’s annual reporting requirements, a “winning bidder authorized to receive Mobility Fund Phase I support shall submit an annual report no later

¹ *Petition of T-Mobile South LLC and Powertel/Memphis, Inc. for Conditional Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carriers for the purposes of establishing Eligibility to Participate in the Mobility Fund Phase I Auction on September 27, 2012 at the Federal Communications Commission and Request for Expedited Consideration*, Docket No. 12-UA-134, Order, June 22, 2012).

² *Mobility Fund Phase I Auction Closes Winning Bidders Announced for Auction 901*, DA 12-1566, October 3, 2012.

³ FCC Public Notice, *Mobility Fund Phase I Support Authorized For 42 Winning Bids*, DA 13-1429, June 24, 2013.

⁴ See 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009.

than July 1 in each year for the five years after it was so authorized.”⁵

As a winning bidder in Auction 901, T-Mobile filed its Long Form Application (FCC Form 680) with the Commission on November 5, 2012, which, as explained below, contains the information required by 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009. Because T-Mobile’s Long Form Application was only recently approved on June 24, 2013, the Company has not received any Mobility Fund Phase I support nor has it commenced the build-out of network facilities and operation of service in Census Blocks T28007060100 and T28159950500.

II. SECTION 54.1009 REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

A. Coverage Plots, Census Block Information and Testing

47 C.F.R. §54.1009(a)(1)-(3) requires winning bidders to submit information on the newly served areas in the winning census blocks. T-Mobile was just recently authorized to receive Mobility Fund Phase I support and has not yet received any support, and therefore the Company has not yet expanded its coverage and services in Census Blocks T28007060100 and T28159950500; consequently, no further information is available for submission in this Annual Report.

B. Certifications

47 C.F.R. §54.1009(a)(4) requires a certification that the winning bidder is offering service at rates similar to those rates in urban areas. As explained above, T-Mobile was just recently authorized to receive Mobility Fund Phase I support and has not yet received any support, and therefore the Company has not yet begun to offer service in Census Blocks T28007060100 and T28159950500.

⁵ 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009(a).

47 C.F.R. §54.1009(a)(5) requires the submission of information and certifications applicable to winning bidders serving tribal lands. There are no tribal lands within T-Mobile's winning bid area for Census Blocks T28007060100 and T28159950500.

C. Updates To Project Description

47 C.F.R. §54.1009(a)(6) requires winning bidders to submit updated information on the project description previously submitted in its Long Form Application pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §54.1005(b)(2)(v). T-Mobile has no further updates to the project description previously submitted in its Long Form Application and subsequently amended prior to the Commission's authorization of Mobility Fund Phase I support.

III. CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing information, T-Mobile respectfully submits its Annual Report for Mobility Fund Phase I support in Mississippi, pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.1009.

CERTIFICATION

I, Chris Miller, Vice President of Tax for T-Mobile US, Inc., am authorized to submit this Annual Report on behalf of PowerTel/Memphis, Inc., a wholly-owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc., which in turn is a wholly-owned subsidiary of T-Mobile US, Inc.

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