

**Steve Largent**  
President/CEO

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Marlene H. Dortch  
Office of the Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, S.W.  
Room TW-A325  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of: Nomination for Universal Service Administrative  
Company Board of Directors, CC Docket Nos. 97-21 and 96-45.

Dear Ms. Dortch:

CTIA - The Wireless Association® (“CTIA”) hereby nominates Scott K. Bergmann to continue to serve as the representative for Commercial Mobile Radio Service (“CMRS”) providers on the Board of Directors of the Universal Service Administrative Company (“USAC”). Mr. Bergmann is the Vice President, Regulatory Affairs for CTIA, and has a wealth of experience in the telecommunications regulatory arena, with a particular focus on universal service issues. He has served as a member of USAC’s Board of Directors since 2009, as the principal representative of the wireless industry, and it is my pleasure to recommend his reappointment without reservation.

Mr. Bergmann’s extensive experience inside and outside of Government will be invaluable to the USAC Board of Directors as it addresses increasingly complex and important universal service administrative issues. Mr. Bergmann’s professional biography is attached. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions regarding this nomination.

Sincerely,



Steve Largent

Cc: Mignon Clyburn, Acting Chairwoman, FCC  
Dr. Brian L. Talbott, Chairman, USAC Board of Directors  
D. Scott Barash, Acting Chief Executive Officer, USAC  
Vickie Robinson, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, FCC  
Charles Tyler, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, FCC

## **PROFESSIONAL BIOGRAPHY FOR SCOTT K. BERGMANN**

**Scott K. Bergmann** is Vice President, Regulatory Affairs for CTIA – The Wireless Association®, where he is responsible for coordinating regulatory issues for the association affecting the wireless industry. These issues include universal service, intercarrier compensation, broadband, and spectrum policymaking. Mr. Bergmann has represented the wireless industry as a member of the Universal Service Administrative Company’s (“USAC”) Board of Directors since 2009, also serving on the High Cost-Low Income Committee and Nominations Committee.

Prior to joining CTIA, Mr. Bergmann served for over 10 years at the Federal Communications Commission in a wide range of positions. Among other positions, Mr. Bergmann served as the Senior Legal Advisor to FCC Commissioner Jonathan S. Adelstein. In this capacity, he served as chief of staff for all policy, legal, and administrative issues within the Commissioner’s office, and was directly responsible for matters involving broadband, rural telecommunications, universal service, consumer protection, disability access, and competition.

Mr. Bergmann also served as Legal Counsel to the Bureau Chief and Deputy Chief of the Competition Policy Division in the FCC’s Wireline Competition Bureau. Mr. Bergmann started his career at the FCC as an Attorney-Advisor in the Industry Analysis and Technology Division of the FCC’s Common Carrier Bureau, focusing on universal service and broadband issues. Mr. Bergmann received his B.A. from Duke University and his J.D. from the University of Southern California.