



December 4, 2013

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

RE: Comment on AT&T Request of Waiver Rule 22.913  
County of Miami-Dade, Florida

Ms. Dortch:

Please consider this our comment regarding the request filed by AT&T for waiver of rule section 22.913 to permit use of PSD Measurements in cellular bands in South Florida:

- The frequencies in AT&T's licenses used in the South Florida market operate in adjacent bands to Miami-Dade County's public safety frequencies. With that, Miami-Dade County feels that there will be a significant increase in power from AT&T, causing harmful interference to our radio systems. These systems have multiple police users that consist of several public safety agencies for the County, Cities, State, Federal, and Tribal organizations in the local area. If this waiver is granted to AT&T, it would have serious adverse effect on the health, welfare, and safety of both the public safety personnel and the citizens they serve.
- In case that the AT&T's rule waver is approved by the FCC, regardless of our objection, we would like the language modified. This would require AT&T to get approval from the local agencies, each time the power is modified in a site close by. At such time we can conduct joint studies and field tests involving AT&T and Miami-Dade County to ensure that no impact on the Public Safety radio systems are observed with any future power modification.

It is critical to approve this objection request which allows public safety staff the existing reliable communications systems that protect the citizens and community. If the objection is met, this will have a beneficial effect on the health, welfare, and safety of both the public safety and the citizens they serve.

Please contact Cindy Cast if you should have any questions concerning this critical request at (305) 596-8607 or Sheryl Vanegas at (305) 596-8909.