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Dear Madam or Sir:

In August 2013, the FCC decided to regulate interstate, long-distance calling charges, capping prices to 25¢ per minute for collect calls. The FCC's decision is supposed to apply to all interstate calls made from local, state and federal jails and prisons.

The Florida Department of Corrections contracts with Securus. There is a kick-back scheme involved. I am a prisoner of the State of Florida.

I used to phone my mom three times a year — Mother's Day, her birthday (Aug. 24th) & Christmas. She lives in Arkansas.

My mom's name is Wilma Jean Niles. Her phone number is (501) 318-1084. She is 77 years old. She paid the bills from Securus by check.

Securus claimed my mom did not pay for the call I made in May.

My mom told them she paid by check. Securus claimed they did not get it. Mom's banker produced a copy of the check which Securus cashed.

In August I tried to call Mom to tell her happy birthday, but Securus prevents me from calling. "That number is restricted."

I've given you enough information so everything I've told you can be verified.

Please help me like you helped Ulandis Forte phone his grandmother Martha Wright.

I would appreciate hearing back from you on this matter.

Richard Smith's & Ajit Pai's objections to your decision are refuted by practical evidence such as New York's ban on kickbacks.

I applaud the FCC's stand against corporate greed on behalf of poor prisoners & their families.

Thank you very much.

Respectfully submitted,

Gerald Niles