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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING (ECFS)

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

RE: **EX PARTE PRESENTATION**

In the Matters of Telecommunications Relay Services and Speech-to-Speech Services for Individuals with Hearing and Speech Disabilities, CG Docket No. 03-123; Structure and Practices of the Video Relay Service Program, CG Docket No. 10-51

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 9, 2014, Scott Freiermuth from Sprint Corporation (Sprint) spoke on the telephone with Karen Peltz Strauss, Deputy Chief, Consumer and Governmental Affairs Bureau (CGB) and Bob Aldrich, Disability Rights Office within the CGB.

The brief call was a follow-up to an in-person meeting on April 2nd in which Sprint discussed its Petition for Reconsideration of the July 1, 2013 Order in which the Commission adopted per-minute compensation rates to be paid from the Interstate TRS Fund. During the April 9th phone call, Sprint again urged the Commission to reconsider the IP Relay rate. Consistent with its initial Petition for Reconsideration, Sprint suggested the Commission suspend or freeze the IP Relay rate at its current level in order to provide ample time to consider new cost information. Sprint also suggested that, because the Commission has not yet established a National Outreach Coordinator for Relay services, the marketing/outreach cost component should be included in any cost calculations.

This filing is made in accordance with Section 1.1206(b)(1) of the Commission's rules. In the event that there are any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Scott R. Freiermuth

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