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Re: ERRATUM: Notice of Permitted Ex Parte Presentation - PSAP Survey on Wireless 9-1-1 Location Accuracy

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On April 24, 2014, James Arden Barnett, Jr. of the law firm Venable LLP, shared the attached survey regarding Public Safety Answering Points (“PSAPs”), *PSAP Survey on Wireless 9-1-1 Location Accuracy*, and ancillary documents, with Chairman Wheeler and staff members of the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”) on behalf of the Find Me 911 Coalition. This erratum is being filed due to an error in color-coding, which has been corrected in the attached survey, in the chart at question 17. The survey data has not been changed, just the color-coding. The corrected survey has also been re-sent to all named recipients.

The Find Me 911 Coalition shared the attached survey and ancillary documents with:

Chairman Thomas Wheeler
Mr. Daniel Alvarez, Legal Advisor, Wireline, Public Safety, & Homeland Security

Staff of Commissioner Mignon Clyburn:
Mr. Louis Peraertz, Legal Advisor - Wireless, International, & Public Safety
Ms. Drema Johnson, Deputy Chief of Staff

Staff of Commissioner Ajit Pai:
Mr. Matthew Berry, Chief of Staff
Mr. Nicholas Degani, Legal Advisor, Wireline
Mr. Brendan Carr, Legal Advisor, Wireless, Public Safety, & International

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Ms. Courtney Reinhard, Senior Legal Advisor & Chief of Staff, Media
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Specifically, Chairman Wheeler and staff of the FCC were sent an e-mail briefly discussing the survey, with attachments including: the *PSAP Survey on Wireless 9-1-1 Location Accuracy* and Executive Summary, PSAP Survey Open Responses, and the Find Me 911 Coalition's press release. Additionally, the e-mail included a link to an April 24, 2014 Washington Post article by Brian Fung. The *PSAP Survey on Wireless 9-1-1 Location Accuracy* was conducted online among 1,014 managers and employees of PSAPs from March 27 – April 3, 2014. According to the National Emergency Number Association ("NENA"), there are 5,976 primary and secondary PSAPs in the United States as of April 2014. Of those, survey respondents represented 880 individual PSAPs in all 50 states, or approximately 15 percent of all PSAPs.

The survey found that most dispatchers have difficulty locating wireless callers through the location information provided by the carriers, particularly when they are calling from indoor locations. According to the survey, the majority of emergency calls now come from wireless phones, but the location information that PSAPs receive from carriers is unreliable and often inaccurate.

The survey results are both supported and complemented by more than 200 stories from individual 9-1-1 professionals about difficulties they have faced in locating callers with inaccurate location information. Those stories can be found on www.findme911.org.

This disclosure is made in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206.

Sincerely,

/s/ James Arden Barnett, Jr.

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