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

Re: WT Docket No. 02-55
Ex Parte Presentation

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Friday, May 21, 2004, Joel Johnson of the Harbour Group LLC, consultant to Nextel Communications, Inc. ("Nextel"), electronically forwarded to Commissioner Jonathan Adelstein a copy of comments filed by Verizon Wireless ("Verizon") on April 14, 2003 in ET Docket No. 00-258. On pages 8-9 of those comments, Verizon described the unsuitability of the 2020-2025 MHz band for CMRS services. Verizon asserted there is no optimal band pairing arrangement available for this band segment, and recommended that these frequencies be reallocated for use by the Federal Government. As Nextel has pointed out previously, this position directly undercuts Verizon's recent proposal in the above-captioned proceeding that Nextel be assigned replacement spectrum at 2020-2025/2170-2175 MHz, rather than in the 1.9 GHz band.

Pursuant to section 1.1206(b)(2) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 1.1206(b)(2), this letter is being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced proceeding.

Sincerely,

/s/ Regina M. Keeney
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cc: Jonathan Adelstein