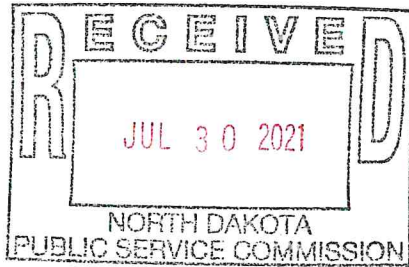


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July 30, 2021

Darrell Nitschke  
Executive Secretary  
Public Service Commission  
State Capitol  
600 East Boulevard Avenue, Twelfth Floor  
Bismarck, ND 58505

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

**Re: Annual ETC Report for Calendar Year 2020 of New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC**

Dear Mr. Nitschke:

Enclosed for filing please find an original and eight copies of the following:

- New Cingular's Annual ETC Report for Calendar Year 2020;
- Map depicting cell sites in 2020, attached as Exhibit A-2;
- Use of Funds Certification of Demetrus Hayes, Vice President/General Manager for Mobility Northern Plains Market, attached as Exhibit B;
- Compliance Certification of Demetrus Hayes, Vice President/General Manager for Mobility Northern Plains Market, attached as Exhibit D;
- Redacted Confidential Exhibits A-1 and C referenced in the annual report; and
- Affidavit Regarding the Use of Federal High-Cost Support.

Please file-stamp one copy of the above-referenced filings and return it to me in the enclosed self-addressed envelope.

By separate cover letter, and separately bound and placed in a sealed envelope labeled "PROTECTED INFORMATION – PRIVATE" is one copy of Confidential Exhibits A-1 and C referenced in the annual report.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding this filing please contact my office at any time. Thank you for your consideration and attention to this matter.

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Affidavit regarding certification of use of Federal  
Universal Service Support

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Seth A. Thompson". The signature is stylized with a large initial "S" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Seth A. Thompson

Enclosure

**AFFIDAVIT REGARDING THE USE OF FEDERAL HIGH-COST SUPPORT**

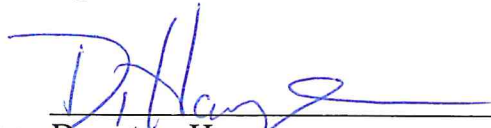
**AT&T Mobility LLC (SAC 399015)**

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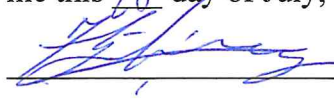
The undersigned, Demetrus Hayes, does hereby certify as follows:

1. I serve as Vice President/General Manager for Mobility Northern Plains Markets for AT&T Mobility LLC. I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of AT&T Mobility LLC (“AT&T Mobility”).
2. I am a corporate officer at AT&T Mobility Corporation, the Vice President/General Manager of AT&T Mobility LLC.
3. On May 11, 2011, the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”) designed AT&T Mobility as an eligible telecommunications (“ETC”) for service offered to Oglala Sioux Tribe members on the Pine Ridge Reservation in South Dakota. *See Petition of AT&T Mobility LLC for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Pursuant to Section 214(e)(6) of the Communications Act and Transfer of the Alltel Pine Ridge Reservation Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Designation, WC Docket No. 09-197, Order, 26 FCC Rcd 6763 (2011).*
4. AT&T Mobility files this affidavit in compliance with 47 C.F.R. § 54.314(b), which requires carriers that are not subject to state jurisdiction to self-certify to the FCC and the Universal Service Administrative Company (“USAC”) that all federal high-cost universal service support received by the carrier will only be used for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which support is intended.
5. In accordance with section 54.314(b) of the FCC’s rules and section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, AT&T Mobility hereby certifies that it only used federal high-cost universal support received during the preceding calendar year (2019) and will only use federal high-cost universal service support in the coming calendar year (2021) for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

AT&T Mobility LLC  
By: AT&T Mobility Corporation  
Its: Manager

By:   
Name: Demetrus Hayes  
Title: Vice President/General Manager

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me this 28<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2021.

  
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Notary Public

