

Exhibit No. \_\_\_\_ (KMF-2)  
Docket No. UT-051291  
Witness: Kathy M. Folsom

BEFORE THE  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the )  
 )  
Request of Sprint Nextel Corporation )  
for an Order Declining to Assert ) DOCKET NO. UT-051291  
Jurisdiction over or, in the Alternative, )  
Application of Sprint Nextel )  
Corporation for Approval of the )  
Transfer of Control of United )  
Telephone Company of the Northwest )  
and Sprint Long Distance, Inc. from )  
Sprint Nextel Corporation to LTD )  
Holding Company. )  
\_\_\_\_\_ )

EXHIBIT TO TESTIMONY OF

KATHY M. FOLSOM

STAFF OF  
WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND  
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

*Sprint's Response to Staff Data Request No. 26*

November 30, 2005

Docket No. UT-051291

Sprint Nextel's Response to WUTC Staff Data Request No. 26

Date: 11/4/05

Preparer: Richard Pfeifer

Witness: Same

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**WUTC Data Request No. 26:**

Please provide the most current Standard & Poor's and Moody's corporate credit or bond rating and all current issue ratings for Sprint Nextel Corporation (or its predecessor Sprint Corporation) for any Sprint subsidiary obtaining capital on behalf of Sprint, and for Sprint subsidiaries authorized to provide telecommunications services in Washington. Please provide this information by date of issuance and include all CreditWatch information and supporting documents.

**ANSWER:**

Please see Attachment Staff 26.1 for credit issues with issue date and S&P/Moody's debt ratings. See Attachment Staff 26.2 for credit watch summary from S&P.

## Current Issue Ratings

Attachment Staff 26.1

Issuer	Issue Date	Maturity Date	Moody's Rating	S&P Rating
Carolina Telephone & Telegraph Com	5-Aug-93	5-Aug-13	Baa1	BBB-
Centel Capital Corp.	13-Oct-89	15-Oct-19	Baa2	BBB-
Central Telephone Co.	14-Sep-92	21-Sep-07	A3	A-
NEXTEL Communications, Inc.	21-Jan-00	15-Jan-10	Baa2	BBB+
NEXTEL Communications, Inc.	19-Jan-01	1-Feb-11	Baa2	BBB+
NEXTEL Communications, Inc.	22-Jul-03	1-Aug-15	Baa2	BBB+
NEXTEL Communications, Inc.	16-Oct-03	31-Oct-13	Baa2	BBB+
NEXTEL Communications, Inc.	16-Mar-04	15-Mar-14	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	16-Nov-98	15-Nov-08	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	16-Nov-98	15-Nov-28	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	6-May-99	1-May-09	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	6-May-99	1-May-19	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	25-Jan-01	30-Jan-06	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	25-Jan-01	30-Jan-11	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	10-Aug-01	17-Aug-06	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	2-Nov-01	15-Jan-07	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	14-Mar-02	15-Mar-12	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Capital Corporation	14-Mar-02	15-Mar-32	Baa2	BBB+
Sprint Nextel Corporation	7-Apr-92	15-Apr-22	Baa2	BBB+
United Telephone Co. of Florida	1-Jul-93	15-Jul-13	A3	BBB+
United Telephone Co. of Florida	1-Jul-93	15-Jul-23	A3	BBB+
United Telephone Co. of Florida	12-Jan-95	15-Jan-25	A3	BBB+

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**CreditWatch Information**

Sprint - Florida, Inc. [REDACTED]

FL  
USA

<b>Issue</b>	US\$60 mil 6 7/8% 1st mtg bnds ser FF due 07/15/2013
<b>Maturity Date</b>	Jul 15, 2013
<b>Rating</b>	BBB+/Watch Neg
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

Sprint - Florida, Inc. [REDACTED]

FL  
USA

<b>Issue</b>	US\$70 mil 8.375% 1st mtg bnd ser HH due 01/15/2025
<b>Maturity Date</b>	Jan 15, 2025
<b>Rating</b>	BBB+/Watch Neg
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

Sprint - Florida, Inc. [REDACTED]

FL  
USA

<b>Issue</b>	US\$75 mil 7 1/8% 1st mtg bnds ser GG due 07/15/2023
<b>Maturity Date</b>	Jul 15, 2023
<b>Rating</b>	BBB+/Watch Neg
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

Centel Corp. [REDACTED]

IL  
USA

<b>Description</b>	Credit Rating
<b>Rating</b>	BBB-/Watch Neg/--
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

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**CreditWatch Information**

Centel Capital Corp. [REDACTED]

IL  
USA

<b>Issue</b>	US\$150 mil 9% deb due 10/15/2019
<b>Maturity Date</b>	Oct 15, 2019
<b>Rating</b>	BBB-/Watch Neg
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Enhancers</b>	Guarantor: Centel Corp.
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

Central Telephone Co. [REDACTED]

IL  
USA

<b>Description</b>	Credit Rating
<b>Rating</b>	BBB-/Watch Neg/NR
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
<b>Analyst Phone</b>	(1) 212-438-7833

Carolina Telephone &amp; Telegraph Co. [REDACTED]

NC  
USA

<b>Issue</b>	US\$50 mil 6.75% debs due 08/15/2013
<b>Maturity Date</b>	Aug 15, 2013
<b>Rating</b>	BBB-/Watch Neg
<b>Rating Date</b>	Jun 14, 2002
<b>CreditWatch Date</b>	Aug 04, 2005
<b>Analyst Name</b>	Eric Geil
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