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## BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

## In re the Matter of:

The Petition of T-Mobile West Corporation	)		
for Certification as an Eligible	)	Docket No	
Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to	)		
47 U.S.C. § 254(e)(2)	)		

I am H. Skip Cornett, Vice President of Tax for T-Mobile USA, Inc., which is the parent company of and controls T-Mobile West Corporation (hereinafter "T-Mobile") in this matter. I submit this certification in support of T-Mobile's petition for certification as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier pursuant to Section 254(e)(2) of the Communications Act of 1934 ("Petition").

In my capacity as Vice President of Tax for T-Mobile, I have general knowledge regarding T-Mobile's operation as a commercial mobile radio services ("CMRS") provider in the State of Washington, and its qualifications and abilities to provide CMRS-based Universal Service consistent with this Petition. I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, T-Mobile:

- 1. will use its HIGH-COST SUPPORT only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services within the service area described in Attachment A to the referenced Petition for which support is intended, consistent with Section 254(c) of the Communications Act, 47 U.S.C. § 254(e);
- 2. complies with the applicable service quality standards required by the Commission (specifically, CTIA-The Wireless Association's® Consumer Code for Wireless Service);

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- 3. is able to function in emergency situations, in part based on compliance with Washington Administrative Code 480-123-030(1)(g), requiring (i) at least four (4) hours back up battery power at each cell site, (ii) back up generators at each microwave hub, and (iii) at least five (5) hours back up battery power and back up generators at each switch, subject to the temporary exemption granted to T-Mobile by the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission in Order No. 01 in Docket UT-101060; and,
- **4.** advertises the availability of its telephone assistance program in a manner reasonably designed to reach those likely to qualify for service.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of T-Mobile.

Signed,

H. Skip Cornett

Vice President, Tax

T-Mobile West Corporation

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STATE OF WASHINGTON COUNTY OF KING

Acknowledged before me this 28th day of July, 2011, by H. Skip Cornett, as Vice President, Tax of T-Mobile USA, Inc., who is personally known to me or produced identification and who did take an oath.

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