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<u>**VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL**</u>

Beth O'Donnell
Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Blvd
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, KY 40602

> **Re: An Inquiry Into Universal Service and Funding Issues**
> **Administrative Case No. 360**

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Please find enclosed the original and five (5) copies of this cover letter and the attached certification and results of NPCR, Inc.'s ("Nextel Partners") annual Lifeline audit, which was conducted in accordance with the Commission's May 24, 2007 Order in this case.

Please date stamp and return one copy in the enclosed self-addressed, stamped envelope. Should you have any questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Douglas C. Nelson
Attorney, State Regulatory Affairs

Enclosures

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

An Inquiry Into Universal Service	)	**Administrative Case No. 360**
and Funding Issues	)	
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NPCR, INC. ANNUAL LIFELINE CERTIFICATION AUDIT

This filing is to certify that NPCR, Inc. ("Nextel Partners") has procedures in place to verify the continued eligibility of its Lifeline customers.

To the extent any Lifeline customers qualify based on their income, if applicable, I certify that Sprint Nextel has income verification procedures in place and that, to the best of my knowledge, the company was presented with corroborating income documentation.

I am an officer of NPCR, Inc. I am authorized to make this certification for the Study Area set forth below.

State	SPIN	SAC	Study Area Name	Number of Lifeline customers surveyed	Number of Lifeline customers found to be ineligible	Number of Lifeline customers who did not respond to survey
KY	143019623	269002	NPCR, Inc.	13	0	13

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