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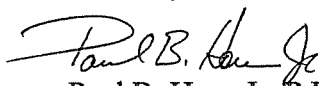
Kentucky Public Service Commission
Executive Director
211 Sower Boulevard
P.O. Box 615
Frankfort, KY 40602

RE: Proposed Wireless Communication Facility Docket Number 2004-00328

Dear Executive Director

Beech Fork Processing (Beech Fork) is an adjacent landowner to this proposed facility. Beech Fork is also the owner or lessee of the underground coal reserves underlying the proposed facility. Beech Fork has an existing valid permit to mine these reserves by an underground deep mine. Beech Fork believes this proposed facility would adversely interfere with its ability to mine these permitted reserves and create a mining hazard. The underground mine has to have a separate ground field to prevent lightning strikes from going underground. This proposed facility will create a 320 foot tall lightning rod with a deep mine operating directly underneath the facility. Beech Fork objects to the proposed wireless communication facility for the above-mentioned reasons.

Sincerely,


Paul B. Horn Jr. P.E.
Manager of Engineering

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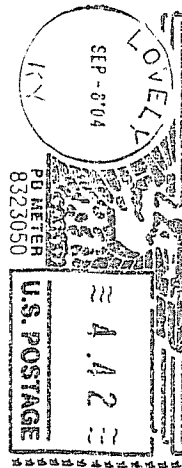
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