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via Federal Express Ms. Beth O'Donnell Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Blvd. P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40601

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## Re: West Virginia PCS Alliance LC (d/b/a NTELOS) Petition for Confidential Treatment of Exhibit D to the Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

Enclosed for confidential filing with the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Kentucky (the "Commission"), pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, is one original (containing the confidential information outlined in <u>yellow</u>) and ten (10) <u>redacted</u> copies (not containing the confidential information) of West Virginia PCS Alliance LC (d/b/a "NTELOS") Petition for Confidential Treatment of the designated portion of Exhibit E to the Petition for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the above-styled case.

Very truly yours,

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## BEFORE THE KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

Petition of West Virginia PCS Alliance LC (d/b/a NTELOS)

For Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier In the State of Kentucky Case No. <u>2006-00312</u> RECEIVED

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## PETITION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF EXHIBIT E TO THE PETITION FOR DESIGNATION AS AN ELIGIBLE <u>TELECOMMUNCATIONS CARRIER</u>

West Virginia PCS Alliance LC (d/b/a NTELOS), by counsel, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, hereby petitions the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Kentucky (the "Commission") for confidential treatment of the highlighted portion of the attached coverage area map reflecting NTELOS' five-year build-out plan which is submitted as part of Exhibit E to NTELOS' petition for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier. In support of its motion, NTELOS states as follows.

1. The highlighted portion of the coverage area map showing NTELOS' five-year buildout plan is exempt from public disclosure pursuant to KRS 61.878(c). This statute provides that "records confidentially disclosed to an agency or required by an agency to be disclosed to it, generally recognized as confidential or proprietary, which if openly disclosed would permit an unfair commercial advantage to competitors of the entity that disclosed the records" shall remain confidential unless otherwise ordered by a court of competent jurisdiction.

2. NTELOS notes that the cellular telephone market is a competitive industry and that it has active competitors.

3. The public disclosure of the highlighted portion of the coverage area map showing where NTELOS intends to construct cell sites within the next five years would permit an unfair advantage to NTELOS' competitors.

4. With the information provided in the attached map, NTELOS' competitors could very easily determine the location of NTELOS' future cell sites, thereby allowing them to ascertain where NTELOS intends to expand service in the near future, and giving them the opportunity to build in those locations prior to NTELOS. Ordinarily, a competitor could not obtain this information. This information would give NTELOS' competitors a distinct competitive advantage due to the inability of NTELOS to likewise determine the future build-out plans of its competitors.

WHEREFORE, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, NTELOS requests the Commission issue an order directing that the highlighted portion of the attached coverage area map, which is part of Exhibit E to NTELOS' petition for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier, be afforded confidential treatment pursuant to the rules and regulations of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was served, via U.S. mail, first-class, postage pre-paid, on this  $\frac{1912}{12}$  day of June, 2006, on the following:

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