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Re: T-Mobile

Petition for Confidential Treatment received 9/1/11

PSC Reference - Case No.: Admin. # 381

Dear Mr. Riggs:

The Public Service Commission has received the Petition for Confidential Treatment you filed on September 1, 2011 on behalf of T-Mobile Central LLC and PowerTel/Memphis, Inc. ("T-Mobile") to protect certain information filed with the Commission as confidential pursuant to Section 7 of 807 KAR 5:001 and KRS 61.870. The information you seek to have treated as confidential is identified as being contained in Exhibits to its Annual High Cost Universal Service Certification. The information is more particularly described as Exhibit B containing an estimate of capital and operating expenditures for 2012; Exhibit D containing complaints per 1,000 handsets 2010 report; and Exhibit E containing reports on whether there were unfulfilled requests in 2010.

Your justification for having the Commission handle this material as confidential is that the public disclosure of the information would compromise T-Mobile's competitive position in the industry and reveal trade secrets, which would result in an unfair commercial advantage to T-Mobile's competitors.

Based on a review of the information and pursuant to KRS 61.878 and 807 KAR 5:001, Section 7, the Commission has determined that the information requested to be held confidential is of a proprietary nature, which if publicly disclosed would permit an unfair commercial advantage to T-Mobile's competitors. Therefore, the information requested to be treated as confidential **meets the criteria for confidential protection** and will be maintained as a nonpublic part of the Commission's file in this case. The procedure for



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usage of confidential materials during formal proceedings may be found at Section 7(8) of 807 KAR 5:001.

If the information becomes publicly available or no longer warrants confidential treatment, T-Mobile Central LLC and PowerTel/Memphis, Inc. ("T-Mobile") is required by Section 8(9)(a) of 807 KAR 5:001 to inform the Commission so that the information may be placed in the public record.

Jeff Derouén Executive Director

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cc: Parties of Record