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S. Derek Phelps
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Re: **Docket No. 387 - Application of SBA Towers II LLC for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the Construction, Maintenance and Operation of a Telecommunications Facility at 44 Gavitt Road, Barkhamsted, Connecticut**

Dear Mr. Phelps:

Enclosed please find an original and twenty (20) copies of Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless' Petition to Intervene in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions or require additional information. Thank you.

Sincerely,



Joey Lee Miranda

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IN RE: :
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 APPLICATION OF SBA TOWERS II LLC FOR : DOCKET NO. 387
 A CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL :
 COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR :
 THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND :
 OPERATION OF A TELECOMMUNICATIONS :
 FACILITY AT 44 GAVITT ROAD, :
 BARKHAMSTED, CONNECTICUT : SEPTEMBER 24, 2009

PETITION TO INTERVENE

Pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes (“Conn. Gen. Stat.”) Section 16-50n and Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies (“R.C.S.A.”) Section 16-50j-15a, Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless (“Cellco”) hereby petitions the Connecticut Siting Council (“Council”) to be designated as an intervenor in the above-captioned docket.

As the Council is aware, Cellco is a licensed wireless telecommunications service provider in Connecticut. The tower location proposed in the Docket No. 387 application would satisfy Cellco’s need for service in the Town of Barkhamsted, particularly along the heavily-traveled Routes 219 and 179. Cellco will, therefore, be significantly affected by this proceeding.

In addition, Cellco has an interest in the hearing and in the pre-hearing process to aid the Council in evaluating the public interest and need considerations set forth in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 16-50g. Cellco’s expertise and experience in designing, constructing, operating and maintaining a wireless telecommunications system in the State of Connecticut in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Council, the Department of Public Utility Control and the Federal Communications Commission, may be of benefit to the Council in resolving issues presented in

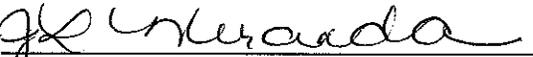
Docket No. 387.

Cellco has been admitted as an intervenor in numerous prior Council dockets. Cellco proposes to fully participate in the proceeding, including but not limited to some or all of the following actions: filing pre-hearing interrogatories, submission of pre-filed testimony and exhibits, participation in any hearings convened by the Council, including cross-examination of witnesses, and submission of a brief.

For the above-stated reasons, Cellco seeks permission to participate in this docket as an intervenor.

Respectfully submitted,

CELLCO PARTNERSHIP d/b/a VERIZON
WIRELESS

By 

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 24th day of September 2009, a copy of the foregoing was sent,
postage prepaid, to:

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