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# Re: Notice of Exempt Modification – Facility Modifications Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless

# P2P Project - 850 West Main Street, Branford, Connecticut

Dear Attorney Bachman:

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") currently holds a license, issued by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"), to provide wireless communications services in the 28 GHz frequency range. To meet its FCC license requirements for frequency use and deployment, Cellco plans to deploy a new, "Point to Point" ("P2P") 28 GHz microwave system at numerous cell sites in Connecticut. Initially, these frequencies will help Cellco maintain certain security systems currently used to monitor cell site equipment. This notice pertains to the P2P system that will be deployed at Cellco's existing cell site at 850 West Main Street in Branford, Connecticut (the "Branford SW Cell Site").

To establish the referenced P2P system, Cellco will install two (2) point to point microwave dish antennas on the roof of the existing equipment shelter at the Branford SW Cell Site. Unlike the broadcast antennas on the tower, the P2P dish antennas will communicate only with each other. Shelter-mounted dish antennas will be installed at opposite ends of the shelter roof, approximately 20 feet apart, at a height of approximately twelve (12) feet above grade. The antennas would be attached to a non-penetrating ballast-mounted antenna mast. A copy of the Proposed Shelter View, antenna mount illustration and dish antenna specifications are included in <u>Attachment 1</u>.

Please accept this letter as notification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-73, for construction that constitutes an exempt modification pursuant to R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2). In accordance with R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-73, a copy of this letter is being sent to Chief Elected Official and Land Use Officer in the Town of Branford. A copy of this filing will also be sent to the property owner of the Branford SW Cell Site facility location.

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The planned modifications to the listed facilities fall squarely within those activities explicitly provided for in R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2).

- 1. The proposed modifications will not result in an increase in the height of the existing tower. The proposed 28 GHz antennas will be installed on roof of the existing equipment shelter, approximately 12 feet above grade.
- 2. The proposed modifications will not require the extension of the site boundary.
- 3. The proposed modifications will not increase noise levels at the facility by six decibels or more, or to levels that exceed state and local criteria.
- 4. The installation of the 28 GHz antennas will not increase radio frequency ("RF") emissions at the facility to a level at or above the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) safety standard. Included in <u>Attachment 2</u> is a Calculated Radio Frequency Emissions Report verifying that RF emissions from the Branford SW Cell Site with the P2P system installed will comply with the FCC Standards.
- 5. The proposed modifications will not cause a change or alteration in the physical or environmental characteristics of the site.
- 6. According to the attached August 14, 2023, letter from Dewberry Engineers Incorporated, Cellco's existing equipment shelter roof and the proposed ballast sled antenna mounting system can support the proposed 28 GHz antenna installations. A copy of the Dewberry letter is included in <u>Attachment 3</u>.

A Certificate of Mailing verifying that this filing was sent to the municipal officials and the property owner is included in <u>Attachment 4</u>.

For the foregoing reasons, Cellco respectfully submits that the proposed modifications to the above-referenced telecommunications facility constitutes an exempt modification under R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2).

Sincerely,

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Kenneth C. Baldwin

Enclosures Copy to:

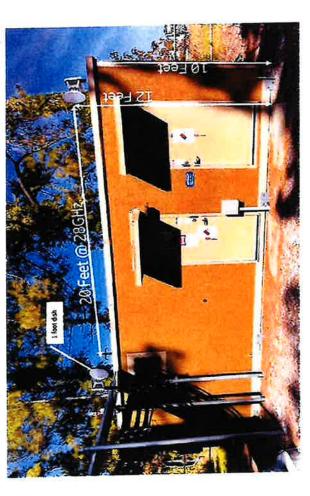
James Cosgrove, First Selectman Harry Smith, Town Planner SBC Real Estate Group, Property Owner Aleksey Tyurin, Verizon Wireless

# **ATTACHMENT 1**

# Proposed shelter view



- Rohn Non-Penetrating Roof mount (not quoted HW/Logistics per RFP)
- 30-inch mast
- Quick assembly
- 8 blocks @ 32lbs = 256 lbs of ballast (TBD)
- Cable management will consist of
- Zip ties
- Angle adaptors with snap-ins
- PVC pipe runs across roof top
- Possible Fiberbond chase (still being reviewed)



- Hatch plate to be used
- Existing grounding points No new penetrations Roof or walls
  - - Indoor
- Existing rack power
   2 x 10amp
- **Existing cable trays**



# Technical Specifications WTM 4100 ANSI with A2C+ Operation

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# General Specifications

General		
Frequency Bands		5 - 38 GHz
Physical Configurations		1+0, 2+0 ACCP (via A2C+), 2+0 XPIC (via external OMT)
Modulation and Coding	Fixed or Adaptive	QPSK to 4096 QAM / Hitless AM
Channel Sizes		3.75, 5, 10, 20, 25, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80 and 100 MHz
Capacity (standard single channel)	Airlink Capacity	up to 918 Mbit/s*
Capacity (A2C mode)	Airlink Capacity	up to 1836 Mbit/s*
Encryption		256-bit AES Payload Encryption
Design Tools	Recommended Supported	Aviat Design™ on aviatcloud.com (includes MIMO, Multi-band) Pathloss 5 (basic support only)
Power Supply		
Voltage	DC	±20 to 57V
	PoE	48Vdc (44 to 58Vdc)
Consumption		50 Watts nominal
		65 Watts maximum
Physical		
Size (h-w-d), including antenna interfaces		11.5in x 10.5in x 4in (295mm x 270mm x 95mm)
Weight, including antenna interfaces		12lbs (5.5 kg)
Operating Temperature	Guaranteed	-27 to +131°F (-33° to +55°C)
	Extended	-49 to +159°F (-45° to +65°C)[
Humidity	Guaranteed	100%
Altitude	Guaranteed	15,000 ft (4500m)
Standards Compliance		
EMC		FCC CFR 47, Part 15, ICES-003
Operation		EN 300 019-2-4, Class 4.1
Safety		UL 60950-1, UL 60950-22, UL 62368-1
RF Performance		FCC CFR 47, Part 101
	All Federal Frequer	
		Frequency Management
Maximum Permissible Exposure		EN 50385
Water Ingress		IEC 60529, IP66
Lightning Protection		Internal, compliant to IEC 61000-4-5, Class 5
Security		FIPS 197 validated (Certificate A980)

# Transmitter / Receiver

Transmitter	Lo la Vallerie	
Transmit Power Tolerance	5-28 GHz	± 2.0 dB
	38 GHz	± 2.5 dB
Transmitter Source		Synthesized
Frequency Stability		± 5 ppm
Manual Transmitter Power Control Range		Configurable in 0.1 dB steps from min to max power levels
Automatic Transmitter Power Control Range		Configurable over the 20dB attenuation range
Automatic Transmitter i Swer Sender Hange	Resolution / Speed	0.1 dB steps / 50dB/s
Synthesizer Resolution		250 KHz
		> 50 dB
Transmitter Mute		

\*[] See notes in last page AVIAT NETWORKS



IEEE 1588v2 TC or BC

# Transmitter / Receiver

Receiver		
Receiver Source		Synthesized
Frequency Stability		± 5 ppm
Receiver Overload	BER = 1E-6	-20 dBm
Residual (Background) Bit Error	Rate	Better than 1E-13
RSSI Accuracy [4]	-30 to -70 dBm, -27 to +131°F (-33° to +55°C)	Better than ± 2.5dB
	-20 to -30 dBm, -27 to +131°F (-33° to +55°C)	Better than ± 3.5dB
A	-20 to -30 dBm, -49 to +149°F (-45° to +65°C)	Better than ± 4.5dB

# Networking

CE/L2	
Switch capability	50 Gbps non-blocking
Quality of Service (QoS)	8 COS, Scheduling, Policing, Storm Control, Shaping
QoS Mapping	PCP (802.1p), DSCP, H-QoS
VLANs	IEEE 802.1Q and IEEE 802.1ad (Q-in-Q)
Spanning Tree	Rapid and multiple protocols (RSTP, MSTP)
Ethernet OAM	IEEE 802.3ah, IEEE 802.1ag, ITU-T Y.1731
Congestion Avoidance	WRED, per queue
Congestion Avoidance	Packet Buffer – 180 Mbyte
Jumbo frames	Up to 9600 bytes
Synchronisation	

Precision Time Protocol

# **General Specifications**

Interfaces		
Traffic	2x fixed RJ45	10/100/1000BT Electrical
	2x optional SFP	1, 2.5 & 10Gbps speeds, both
		Optical (Single and Multi-mode) and Electrical
Power	Direct	24Vdc or 48Vdc
	Power over Ethernet	Via 10/100/1000BT Electrical port
USB support	Management	Local setup, sw/fw upgrade, config backup
Wireless connection		via Wifi
RSSI		Dual voltmeter pins
Management		
Local Management		Configuration save & load
Elocar management		Wireless USB dongle to support Wifi
-		Aviat OS software upgrade
Event Capture		Event and Alarm capture, time stamp and logging
Statistics		RMON 1 Ethernet and radio performance statistics
Network Management		SNMPv2c ProVision or MIB interface support
The work management	IPv4 addressing with	an In-Band Management VLAN. Teinet or SSH access
		Aviat Cloud – Manage Advanced
Clock	Simple Networ	k Time Protocol (SNTP V4), embedded real time clock

\*[] See notes in last page AVIAT NETWORKS



Shenglu

# SLA0328S3S49A20 0.3m Ultra High Performance Antenna Flange Type Rectangular

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	<b>Electrical Specif</b>	ficat			14			
Frequency (GHz)			27.5~2	29.5				
Polarization	_	Single(V or H)						
Gain , Low(dBi)	37.7							
Gain, Mid(dBi)	38							
Gain, Top(dBi)			38.3					
Beam Width			2.0°					
Cross-pol. Discrimination_XPD (d	B)		30					
F/B Ratio (dB)			64					
VSWR / RL (dB)			1.3/17	<b>'</b> .7				
Regulatory Compliance			ETSI E	N 302217 R	lange 4 C	lass 3		
	Aechanical Spec	ifica	ations	A BEALLY	40.54			
Diameter (m)			0.3					
Antenna Color			Cool G	iray 1C				
Radome Options			Foam					
Interface Type			UBR32	20 OR Custo	omized			
Side Struts, Included		0						
Azimuth Adjustment		Coarse : 360 ° Fine : ±15 °						
Elevation Adjustment				Fine : ±15°				
Diameter of Mounting Pole (mm)				Φ51~Φ114				
Wind Velocity Survival Rating (km/h)				252				
Wind Velocity Operational (km/h	)		200					
Ice-load (mm)			25.4					
Operational Temperature (℃)			-45~+60					
Packaging			Carton					
L×W×H (mm)			480*480*267					
	<b>Wind Load Speci</b>	fica	tions			Jan Karl		
Axial Force (N) @ survival wind sp	peed		444					
Side Force (N) @ survival wind sp			219					
Twisting Moment (N•m) @ surviv			141					
B	Dimensions		ФА	В	С	D		
c/	(mm)		386	318	137	180		
	Note: 1. The values of B and 2. The thickness of the							

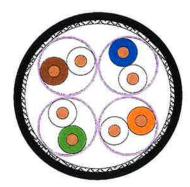
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# LEONI

# LEONI Cable (China) Co., Ltd.

Technisches Datenblatt - Technical Data Sheet – Technisches Datenblatt – Technical Data Sheet – Technisches Datenblatt

# 02YSCH 4X2X0.62/1.5-100 PIMF BK Cat 6A



# **Design:**

### Wire

Bare copper wire (22AWG) Insulation of foamed Polyethylene (PE) with skin

### Screened pair

2 wires twisted to a pair Alulaminate foil overlapped, applied longitudinally

### Core:

4 screened pairs Sequence of colors: WH/BL, WH/OR, WH/GN, WH/BR Shield braiding of tinned copper wires Coverage about 80%

### Jacket:

Thermoplastic copolymer (FRNC)BK Wall thickness about 0.80 mm

Inkjet -marking: "sequential length in metres" LEONI L \* S/FTP CAT 6A SOLID CABLE 22AWG 4PR "internal lot number"

### Electrical data at 20°C

Coductor resistance Insulation resistance Capacitance (1kHz) Phase delay Skew at 100 MHz Characteristic impedance 100 MHz Operating voltage (peak) Test voltage

Ø (8.8±0.3) mm (0.346 ±0.012 in dia)

 $\leq$ 

 $\geq$ 

65	Ohm/km
5	GOhm*km
46	pF/m
460	ns/100 m
10	ns/100 m
$100 \pm 10$	Ohm
125	V
1000	V

Ø 0.62 mm (0,024 in dia)

Ø 1.50 mm (0,059 in dia)

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# **ATTACHMENT 2**



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Calculated Radio Frequency Emissions Report



# Branford SW 850 West Main Street, Branford, CT 06405

October 5, 2023

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# 1. Introduction

The purpose of this report is to investigate compliance with applicable FCC regulations for the proposed installation of Verizon's 28 GHz microwave antenna to be mounted at 12' AGL on roof of the equipment shelter located at 850 West Main Street in Branford, CT. The coordinates of the monopole tower are 41° 16' 40.05" N, 72° 50' 12.76" W.

Verizon is proposing the following:

1) Install one (1) 28 GHz point-to-point microwave system.

This report considers the planned<sup>1</sup> antenna configuration for Verizon as well as existing antenna configuration for T-Mobile<sup>2</sup> and Verizon<sup>3</sup> to derive the resulting % MPE of its proposed installation.

# 2. FCC Guidelines for Evaluating RF Radiation Exposure Limits

In 1985, the FCC established rules to regulate radio frequency (RF) exposure from FCC licensed antenna facilities. In 1996, the FCC updated these rules, which were further amended in August 1997 by OET Bulletin 65 Edition 97-01. These new rules include Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) limits for transmitters operating between 300 kHz and 100 GHz. The FCC MPE limits are based upon those recommended by the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements (NCRP), developed by the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Inc., (IEEE) and adopted by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI).

The FCC general population/uncontrolled limits set the maximum exposure to which most people may be subjected. General population/uncontrolled exposures apply in situations in which the general public may be exposed, or in which persons that are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be fully aware of the potential for exposure or cannot exercise control over their exposure.

Public exposure to radio frequencies is regulated and enforced in units of milliwatts per square centimeter (mW/cm<sup>2</sup>). The general population exposure limits for the various frequency ranges are defined in the attached "FCC Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)" in Attachment C of this report.

Higher exposure limits are permitted under the occupational/controlled exposure category, but only for persons who are exposed as a consequence of their employment and who have been made fully aware of the potential for exposure, and they must be able to exercise control over their exposure. General population/uncontrolled limits are five times more stringent than the levels that are acceptable for occupational, or radio frequency trained individuals. Attachment C contains excerpts from OET Bulletin 65 and defines the Maximum Exposure Limit.

Finally, it should be noted that the MPE limits adopted by the FCC for both general population/uncontrolled exposure and for occupational/controlled exposure incorporate a substantial margin of safety and have been established to be well below levels generally accepted as having the potential to cause adverse health effects.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As referenced to Verizon's Far Field Calculation sheet updated 06/07/2023 included in Attachment D

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> As referenced to Connecticut Siting Council Notice of Exempt Modification - 850 West Main Street, Branford, Connecticut, dated 12/30/2021

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> As referenced to Verizon's Radio Frequency Design Sheet (RFDS) updated 11/17/2021



# 3. RF Exposure Prediction Methods

The emission field calculation results displayed in the following figures were generated using the following formula as outlined in FCC bulletin OET 65:

Power Density = 
$$\left(\frac{\text{GRF}^2 \times 1.64 \times \text{ERP}}{4\pi \times R^2}\right)$$
 X Off Beam Loss

Where:

EIRP = Effective Isotropic Radiated Power

R = Radial Distance =  $\sqrt{(H^2 + V^2)}$ 

H = Horizontal Distance from antenna in meters

V = Vertical Distance from radiation center of antenna in meters

Off Beam Loss is determined by the selected antenna patterns

Ground reflection factor (GRF) of 1.6

These calculations assume that the antennas are operating at 100 percent capacity, that all antenna channels are transmitting simultaneously, and that the radio transmitters are operating at full power. Obstructions (trees, buildings, etc.) that would normally attenuate the signal are not taken into account. The calculations assume even terrain in the area of study and do not take into account actual terrain elevations which could attenuate the signal. As a result, the predicted signal levels reported below are much higher than the actual signal levels will be from the final installations.



# 4. Antenna Inventory

Table 1 below outlines Verizon's existing antenna configuration for the site. The associated data sheets and antenna patterns for these specific antenna models are included in Attachment C.

Operator		TX Freq (MHz)	Power at Antenna (Watts)	Ant Gain (dBi)	Power EIRP (Watts)	Antenna Model	Beam Width	Mech. Tilt	Length (ft)	Antenna Centerline Height (ft)	
		750	140	14.5	4070		67				
		850	120	15.8	4705	JAHH-65B-R3B	65	0	6.1	110	
	Alpha	1900	160	18.4	10604	JAHH-05D-K5D	63		0.1	110	
		2100	240	18.5	16991		65	í.			
		3700	200	25.5	70963	МТ6407-77А		0	2.92	110	
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		850	120	15.8	4705		65				
	Beta	1900	160	18.4	10604		63				
Verizon	5	2100	240	18.5	16991		65				
		3700	200	25.5	70963	МТ6407-77А		0	2.92	110	
		750	140	14.5	4070	JAHH-65B-R3B		67			
		850	120	15.8	4705		65	0	6.1	110	
	Gamma	1900	160	18.4	10604		63				
		2100	240	18.5	16991		65				
		3700	200	25.5	70963	MT6407-77A	2	0	2.92	110	
	P2P	28000	0.2	38	1287	SLA0328S3S49A20	2.0	0	1	12	

**Table 1: Proposed Antenna Inventory** 



# 5. Calculation Results

The calculated power density results are shown in Figure 1 below. For completeness, the calculations for this analysis range from 0 feet horizontal distance (directly below the antennas) to a value of 3,000 feet horizontal distance from the site. In addition to the other worst-case scenario considerations that were previously mentioned, the power density calculations to each horizontal distance point away from the antennas was completed using a local maximum off beam antenna gain (within  $\pm$  5 degrees of the true mathematical angle) to incorporate a realistic worst-case scenario.

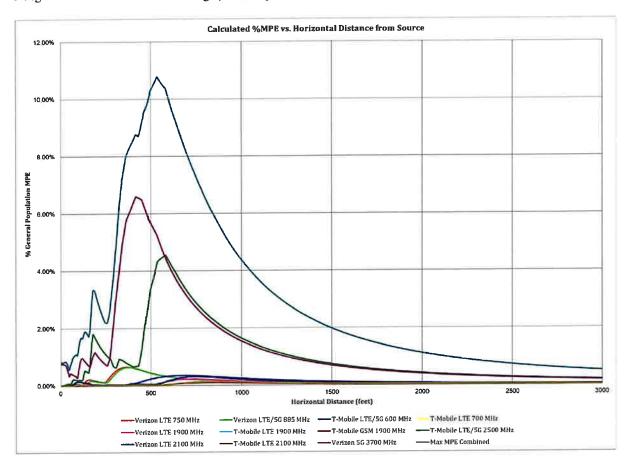


Figure 1: Graph of General Population % MPE vs. Distance

The highest combined value for % MPE for existing emitters (10.77% of the General Population limit) is calculated to occur at a horizontal distance of 537 feet from antennas. The maximum %MPE generated by the proposed 28 GHz microwave system is 0.12% and occurs at the distance of 344 feet. While the peak % MPE generated by the proposed 28 GHz microwave system does not occur at the same point as the peak cumulative %MPE for all existing emitters, as a very conservative calculation of the total %MPE, we add the 10.77% predicted at 537 feet to the 0.12% predicted for the 28 GHz system at 344 feet to arrive at a total maximum % MPE of 10.89%.

Please note that the percent of MPE calculations close to the site take into account off beam loss, which is determined from the vertical pattern of the antennas used. Therefore, RF power density levels may increase as the distance from the site increases. At distances of approximately 1500 feet and beyond, one would now be in the main beam of the antenna pattern and off beam loss is no longer considered. Beyond this point, RF levels become calculated solely on distance from the site and the percent of MPE decreases significantly as distance from the site increases.



Table 2 below lists percent of MPE values as well as the associated parameters that were included in the calculations. The highest percent of MPE value was calculated to occur at a horizontal distance of 537 feet from the site (reference Figure 1).

As stated in Section 3, all calculations assume that the antennas are operating at 100 percent capacity, that all antenna channels are transmitting simultaneously, and that the radio transmitters are operating at full power. Obstructions (trees, buildings etc.) that would normally attenuate the signal are not taken into account. In addition, a six foot height offset was considered in this analysis to account for average human height. As a result, the predicted signal levels are significantly higher than the actual signal levels will be from the final configuration. The results presented in Figure 1 and Table 2 assume level ground elevation from the base of the tower out to the horizontal distances calculated.

Carrier	Number of Transmitters	Power out of Base Station Per Transmitter (Watts)	Antenna Height (Feet)	Distance to the Base of Antennas (Feet)	Power Density (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Limit (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	% MPE
T-Mobile GSM 1900 MHz	1	120.0	130.0	537	0.000124	1.000	0.01%
T-Mobile LTE 1900 MHz	1	120.0	130.0	537	0.000124	1.000	0.01%
T-Mobile LTE 2100 MHz	1	120.0	130.0	537	0.000174	1.000	0.02%
T-Mobile LTE 700 MHz	1	60.0	130.0	537	0.000133	0.467	0.03%
T-Mobile LTE/5G 2500 MHz	1	240.0	130.0	537	0.043279	1.000	4.33%
T-Mobile LTE/5G 600 MHz	1	140.0	130.0	537	0.001130	0.400	0.28%
Verizon 5G 3700 MHz	1	200.0	110.0	537	0.052010	1.000	5.20%
Verizon LTE 1900 MHz	1	160.0	110.0	537	0.000680	1.000	0.07%
Verizon LTE 2100 MHz	1	240.0	110.0	537	0.000511	1.000	0.05%
Verizon LTE 750 MHz	1	160.0	110.0	537	0.001906	0.500	0.38%
Verizon LTE/5G 885 MHz	1	160.0	110.0	537	0.002184	0.567	0.39%
						Total	10.77%
Verizon LTE 28GHz	1	0.2	12.0	344	0.001248	1.000	0.12%
						Grand Total	10.89%

Table 2: Maximum Percent of General Population Exposure Values<sup>4</sup>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> In the case where antenna pattern data was unavailable from the manufacturer, vertical patterns used are for antennas with similar specifications.



# 6. Conclusion

The above analysis verifies that RF exposure levels from the site with Verizon's proposed 28 GHz microwave antenna will be well below the maximum permissible levels as outlined by the FCC in the OET Bulletin 65 Ed. 97-01. Using the conservative calculation methods and parameters detailed above, the maximum cumulative percent of MPE in consideration of all existing transmitters and the proposed 28 GHz microwave system is calculated to be 10.89% of the FCC limit (General Population/Uncontrolled). This maximum cumulative percent of MPE value is calculated to occur 537 feet away from the site.

# 7. Statement of Certification

I certify to the best of my knowledge that the statements in this report are true and accurate. The calculations follow guidelines set forth in ANSI/IEEE Std. C95.3, ANSI/IEEE Std. C95.1 and FCC OET Bulletin 65 Edition 97-01.

Report Prepared By:

Ram Acharya RF Engineer C Squared Systems, LLC

October 4, 2023 Date

Reviewed/Approved By: Martin Lavin

Martin Lavin Senior RF Engineer C Squared Systems, LLC October 5, 2023 Date



# **Attachment A: References**

OET Bulletin 65 - Edition 97-01 - August 1997 Federal Communications Commission Office of Engineering & Technology

IEEE C95.1-2005, IEEE Standard Safety Levels With Respect to Human Exposure to Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields, 3 kHz to 300 GHz IEEE-SA Standards Board

IEEE C95.3-2002 (R2008), IEEE Recommended Practice for Measurements and Computations of Radio Frequency Electromagnetic Fields With Respect to Human Exposure to Such Fields, 100 kHz-300 GHz IEEE-SA Standards Board

Verizon's Radio Frequency Design Sheet updated 10/21/2022

AT&T's filing, Connecticut Siting Council Notice of Exempt Modification – Antenna Add - 180 North Main Street (aka 1 Service Road) Branford, CT, dated 9/23/2022

As referenced to Dish Wireless LLC's filing, Connecticut Siting Council Tower Share Application - 180 North Main Street, Branford, CT, dated 11/19/2021

T-Mobile's filing, Connecticut Siting Council Notice of Exempt Modification - 180 North Main Street, Branford, CT, dated 10/1/2020



(A) Li	(A) Limits for Occupational/Controlled Exposure <sup>5</sup>					
2	Frequency Range	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (E) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time $ E ^2$ , $ H ^2$ or S (minutes)	
-	(MHz) 0.3-3.0	<u> </u>	1.63	(100)*	6	
	3.0-30	1842/f	4.89/f	(900/f <sup>2</sup> )*	6	
	30-300	61.4	0.163	1.0	6	
	300-1500	÷.	-	f/300	6	
	1500-100,000	-	-	5	6	

# Attachment B: FCC Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)

# (B) Limits for General Population/Uncontrolled Exposure<sup>6</sup>

Frequency Range (MHz)	Electric Field Strength (E) (V/m)	Magnetic Field Strength (E) (A/m)	Power Density (S) (mW/cm <sup>2</sup> )	Averaging Time $ E ^2$ , $ H ^2$ or S (minutes)
0.3-1.34	614	1.63	(100)*	30
1.34-30	824/f	2.19/f	$(180/f^2)^*$	30
30-300	27.5	0.073	0.2	30
300-1500	8	<b>1</b>	f/1500	30
1500-100,000	-	-	1.0	30
requency in MHz * Pl	ane-wave equivaler	nt power density		

### Table 3: FCC Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Occupational/controlled limits apply in situations in which persons are exposed as a consequence of their employment provided those persons are fully aware of the potential for exposure and can exercise control over their exposure. Limits for occupational/controlled exposure also apply in situations when an individual is transient through a location where occupational/controlled limits apply provided he or she is made aware of the potential for exposure.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> General population/uncontrolled exposures apply in situations in which the general public may be exposed, or in which persons that are exposed as a consequence of their employment may not be fully aware of the potential for exposure or cannot exercise control over their exposure.



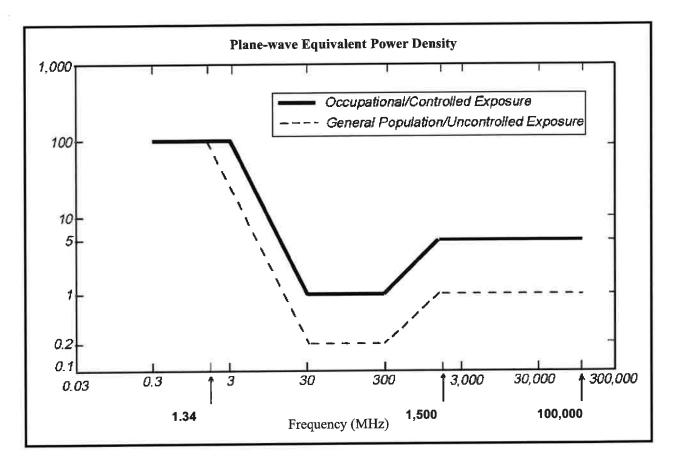


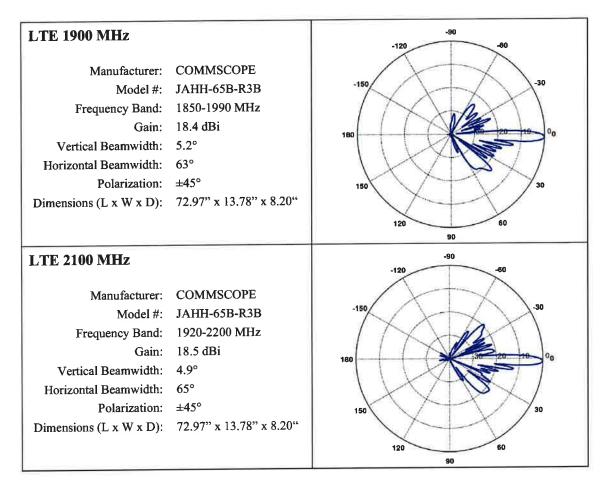
Figure 2: Graph of FCC Limits for Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE)



LTE 750 MHz		-90 -60
Manufacturer: Model #: Frequency Band: Gain: Vertical Beamwidth: Horizontal Beamwidth: Polarization: Dimensions (L x W x D):	698-787 MHz 14.5 dBi 12.4° 67° ±45°	
LTE 850 MHz Manufacturer: Model #: Frequency Band: Gain: Vertical Beamwidth: Horizontal Beamwidth: Polarization: Dimensions (L x W x D):	824-894 MHz 15.8 dBi 10.5° 65° ±45°	

# Attachment C: Verizon Antenna Model Data Sheets and Electrical Patterns







# **Attachment D: Far Field Calculation Sheet**

Dand	28 GHz	
Band		
<b>Operating Frequency (MHz)</b>	27,500	
General Population MPE (mW/cm^2)	1.000	
ERP Per Transmitter (Watts)	785	
Number of Transmitters	1	
Antenna Centerline (feet)	12	
Total ERP (Watts)	785	
Total ERP (dBm)	59	
Maximum % of General Population Limit	0.12%	
Distance to Maximum % of General Population Limit (feet)	344	

# **ATTACHMENT 3**

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August 14, 2023

Alex Tyurin Verizon Wireless 99 East River Drive East Hartford, CT 06108

Dear Mr. Tyurin:

Verizon Wireless has proposed to install (2) new Rohn FRM Ballast Sleds, (2) new 0.3m Microwave Antenna, and (2) WTM4000 Radio on the rooftop of an equipment shelter at various locations in Connecticut. The proposed equipment will be mounted on the rooftop of the ground mounted equipment shelter with a maximum height of 15' to the CL of the dish. This assessment letter is limited to Connecticut sites only.

Dewberry Engineers Inc. (Dewberry) has reviewed the latest antenna design provided by Verizon Wireless and has determined, based on a maximum ultimate wind speed of 140 mph, exposure D, per ANSI/TIA-222-H and 2022 CT State Building Code, that the proposed ballast sled and equipment shelter roof have adequate capacity to support the proposed equipment configuration. Each proposed ballast sled requires (6) CMU ballast blocks (34 lb . ea.), equaling 204 lbs of ballast to be evenly distributed across both trays. The proposed ballast sled, including ballast blocks, do not exceed the 40 psf minimum allowable roof live load of the existing shelter. The proposed ballast frame is controlled by overturning moment and the maximum utilization of the proposed mount is 43.0%. Dewberry assumes that the new antennas and associated equipment are installed per the manufacturer's specifications.

This assessment is based on our assumption that the ground mounted equipment shelter, and proposed ballast mounts are in good condition and were constructed in accordance with ANSI/TIA-222-H standards and the 2022 CT State Building Code. If, during construction, any damage, deterioration, and/or discrepancies are noticed, Dewberry is to be notified to assess any deviation from the assumed condition. Any alteration in equipment loading described above and on the associated plans will void any conclusions expressed herein and will require further analysis and design. No structural qualification is made or implied by this structural letter for existing structural members not supporting the proposed installation.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at 617-531-0744.



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# **ATTACHMENT 4**

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