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February 8, 2017

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10 Franklin Square
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RE: Notice of Exempt Modification for AT&T/ LTE 3C Crown Site BU: 800515
AT&T Site ID: CT2179
49 Wig Hill Road, Chester, CT 06412
Latitude: 41° 24' 13.93" Longitude: -72° 28' 20.82"

Dear Ms. Bachman:

AT&T currently maintains nine (9) antennas at the 132-foot level of the existing 150-foot monopole tower at 49 Wig Hill Road in Chester, CT. The tower is owned by Crown Castle. The property is owned by the Toni Myers. AT&T now intends to replace three (3) RRHs with three (3) new RRHs.

The Town of Chester could not confirm the original date and conditions of zoning.

Please accept this letter as notification pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies § 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.S.C.A. § 16-50j-73, a copy of this letter is being sent to Ms. Lauren Gister, First-Selectman, Town of Chester, as well as the property owner, and Crown Castle is the tower owner.

1. The proposed modifications will not result in an increase in the height of the existing tower.
2. The proposed modifications will not require the extension of the site boundary.
3. The proposed modification will not increase noise levels at the facility by six decibels or more, or to levels that exceed state and local criteria.
4. The operation of the replacement antennas will not increase radio frequency emissions at the facility to a level at or above the Federal Communication Commission safety standard.
5. The proposed modifications will not cause a change or alteration in the physical or environmental characteristics of the site.
6. The existing structure and its foundation can support the proposed loading.

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For the foregoing reasons, AT&T respectfully submits that the proposed modifications to the above-reference telecommunications facility constitutes an exempt modification under R.C.S.A. § 16-50j-72(b)(2). Please send approval/rejection letter to Attn: Jeffrey Barbadora.

Sincerely,

Jeffrey Barbadora
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Attachments:

Tab 1: Exhibit-1: Compound plan and elevation depicting the planned changes

Tab 2: Exhibit-2: Structural Modification Report

Tab 3: Exhibit-3: General Power Density Table Report (RF Emissions Analysis Report)

cc: Ms. Lauren Gister, First-Selectman
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