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April 17, 2012

Kenneth C. Baldwin, Esq. Robinson & Cole LLP 280 Trumbull Street Hartford, CT 06103

RE: **EM-VER-048-120330** - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 101 Burbank Road, Ellington, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) hereby acknowledges your notice to modify this existing telecommunications facility, pursuant to Section 16-50j-73 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies with the following conditions:

- The coax lines and diplexers be installed in accordance with the recommendations made in the Structural Analysis Report prepared by FDH Engineering dated March 20, 2012 and stamped by Christopher Murphy; and
- Following the installation of the proposed equipment, Verizon shall provide documentation certifying that the installation complied with the engineer's recommendation.
- Any deviation from the proposed modification as specified in this notice and supporting materials with Council shall render this acknowledgement invalid;
- Any material changes to this modification as proposed shall require the filing of a new notice with the Council:
- Not less than 45 days after completion of construction, the Council shall be notified in writing that construction has been completed;
- The validity of this action shall expire one year from the date of this letter; and
- The applicant may file a request for an extension of time beyond the one year deadline provided that such request is submitted to the Council not less than 60 days prior to the expiration;

The proposed modifications including the placement of all necessary equipment and shelters within the tower compound are to be implemented as specified here and in your notice dated March 29, 2012. The modifications are in compliance with the exception criteria in Section 16-50j-72 (b) of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies as changes to an existing facility site that would not increase tower height, extend the boundaries of the tower site, increase noise levels at the tower site boundary by six decibels, and increase the total radio frequencies electromagnetic radiation power density measured at the tower site boundary to or above the standard adopted by the State Department of Environmental Protection pursuant to General Statutes § 22a-162. This facility has also been carefully modeled to ensure that radio frequency emissions are conservatively below State and federal standards applicable to the frequencies now used on this tower.



This decision is under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Council. Please be advised that the validity of this action shall expire one year from the date of this letter. Any additional change to this facility will require explicit notice to this agency pursuant to Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies Section 16-50j-73. Such notice shall include all relevant information regarding the proposed change with cumulative worst-case modeling of radio frequency exposure at the closest point of uncontrolled access to the tower base, consistent with Federal Communications Commission, Office of Engineering and Technology, Bulletin 65. Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,

Linda Roberts

Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Maurice W. Blanchette, First Selectman, Town of Ellington Robert Phillips, Town Planner, Town of Ellington Hollis Redding, SBA

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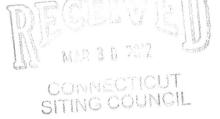
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March 29, 2012

Linda Roberts
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Connecticut Siting Council
10 Franklin Square
New Britain, CT 06051



Re: Notice of Exempt Modification – Antenna Swap 101 Burbank Road, Ellington, Connecticut

Dear Ms. Roberts:

Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("Cellco") currently maintains twelve (12) wireless telecommunications antennas at the 177-foot level on an existing 180-foot tower at the above-referenced address. The tower is owned by SBA. Cellco's use of the tower was approved by the Council in 2000. Cellco now intends to replace all of its existing antennas with six (6) model LPA-80080-4CF cellular antennas; three (3) model BXA-171085-8BF PCS antennas; two (2) model BXA-70063-4CF LTE antennas; and one (1) model BXA-70080-4CF LTE antenna, all at the 177-foot level. Cellco also intends to attach six (6) coax cable diplexers to its existing antenna mounts directly behind its proposed antennas. Attached behind Tab 1 are the specifications for the replacement antennas and diplexers.

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 Maurice W. Blanchette, First Selectman of the Town of Ellington. A copy of this letter is also being sent to Donald E. and Rosalie M. Stavens, Trustees, the owners of the property on which the tower is located.

The planned modifications to the facility 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. Cellco's replacement antennas and diplexers will be located at the 177-foot level on the existing 180-foot tower.



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- 2. The proposed modifications will not involve any change to ground-mounted equipment and, therefore, will not require the extension of the site boundaries.
- 3. The proposed modifications will not increase noise levels at the facility by six decibels or more.
- 4. The operation of the replacement antennas will not increase radio frequency (RF) power density levels at the facility to a level at or above the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) adopted safety standard. A cumulative power density table for Cellco's modified facility is included behind <u>Tab 2</u>.

Also attached is a Structural Analysis confirming that the tower and foundation can support Cellco's proposed modifications. (See <u>Tab 3</u>). Please note that Cellco's existing coax cables are currently installed as shown in Figure 1, consistent with Recommendation No. 1 on page 3 of the Structural Analysis.

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,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

Enclosures Copy to:

Maurice W. Blanchette, Ellington First Selectman Donald E. and Rosalie M. Stavens, Trustees Sandy M. Carter





LPA-80080-4CF-EDIN-X

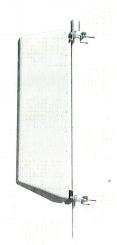
V-Pol | Log Periodic | 80° | 12.5 dBd

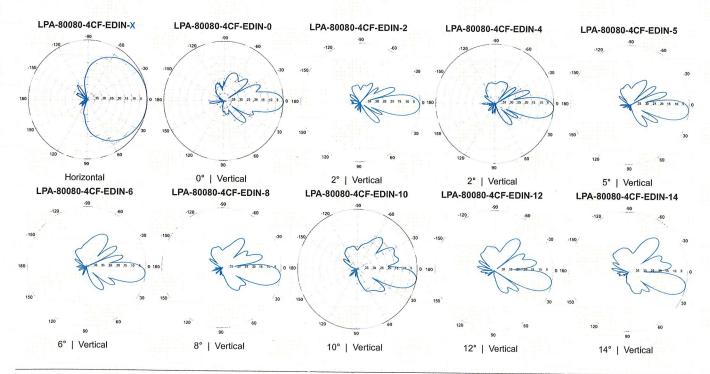


Replace 'X" with desired electrical downtilt

Antenna is also available with NE connector(s). Replace "EDIN" with "NE" in the model number when ordering.

| Electrical Characteristics | | ent beday | | 1900年 | - 10 a 188 | |
|--|----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------|-----------|
| Frequency bands | | | 806-960 MHz | | | |
| Polarization | | | Vertical | | | |
| Horizontal beamwidth | | | 80° | | | - |
| Vertical beamwidth | 1111 | | 15° | | | |
| Gain | | | 12.5 dBd (14.6 d | Bi) | | - |
| Electrical downtilt (X) | · · · · · · · · · · · · | 0, 2 | 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 1 | 2, 14 | | |
| Impedance | | | 50Ω | | | |
| VSWR | | osani e | ≤1.4:1 | | | |
| Upper sidelobe suppression (0°) | | | -14.2 dB | - | | |
| Front-to-back ratio (+/-30°) | | | -34.7 dB | | | |
| Null fill | | | 15% (-16.48 dB |) | | |
| nput power | | | 500 W | | | |
| ightning protection | | | Direct Ground | | | |
| Connector(s) | | 1 Port / EDIN | or NE / Female | Center | r (Back) | |
| Mechanical Characteristics | | | | | | |
| Dimensions Length x Width x Depth | 1200 | x 140 x 335 mm | AND AND ENGINEERING AND AND ASSESSED. | 47.2 | 5.5 x 13.2 in | at at a |
| Depth of antenna with z-bracket | 7 1. | 375 mm | | | 14.8 in | |
| Weight without mounting brackets | 7. 17. | 5.4 kg | | | 12 lbs | |
| Survival wind speed | | > 201 km/hi | | | > 125 mph | |
| Vind area | Front: 0.17 m ² | Side: 0.40 m ² | Front: | 1.8 ft ² | Side: 4.3 ft ² | |
| Wind load @ 161 km/hr (100 mph) | Front: 254 N | Side: 574 N | Front: | 57 lbf | Side: 129 lbf | |
| Mounting Options | Part Number | F | its Pipe Diamete | er | Weight | |
| 2-Point Mounting & Downtilt Bracket Kit (0-20°) | 21699999 | 50-1 | 102 mm 2.0-4. | 0 in | 5.4 kg 12 | lbs |
| ock-Down Brace | If the lock-down bra | ace is used, the max | kimum diameter of | the mou | unting pipe is 88.9 mm | or 3.5 in |





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BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X

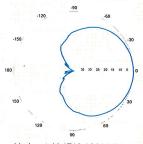
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X-Pol | FET Panel | 85° | 16.4 dBi

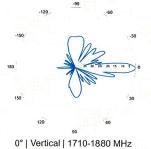
| Electrical Characteristics | | 31 (A) | 1710-2 | 170 MH | z | | 17.7113.4 | |
|---|----------------------------|---------------|----------------|----------|---------------------|-----------|-----------|---------|
| Frequency bands | 1710-1880 | MHz | 1850-1 | 990 MH | lz | 1 | 920-2170 | MHz |
| Polarization | ±45° | | ± | 45° | | | ±45° | |
| Horizontal beamwidth | 88° | | | 35° | | | 80° | |
| Vertical beamwidth | 7° | | | 7° | | - | 7° | |
| Gain | 13.5 dBd / 1 | 5.6 dBi | 13.9 dBd | 1 / 16.0 | dBi | 14. | 3 dBd / 1 | 6.4 dBi |
| Electrical downtilt (X) | | | 0, | 2, 4 | | | | |
| Impedance | | | 5 | Ω | | | | |
| VSWR | | | ≤1 | .5:1 | | | | |
| First upper sidelobe | | | < -1 | 7 dB | | | | |
| Front-to-back isolation | | | > 3 | 0 dB | | | | |
| In-band isolation | | | > 2 | 8 dB | | | | |
| IM3 (20W carrier) | | | < -15 | 0 dBc | | | | |
| Input power | | | 30 | 0 W | | | | |
| Lightning protection | | | Direct | Ground | | | | |
| Connector(s) | | 2 | Ports / EDIN / | Female | / Bottor | m | | |
| Operating temperature | | -4 | 10° to +60° C | -40° to | +140° F | = | | |
| Mechanical Characteristics | | | | | | 0.25 | | |
| Dimensions Length x Width x Depth | 1232 | x 154 x 105 | mm | | 48.5 | x 6.1 x 4 | 1.1 in | |
| Depth with t-brackets | | 133 | mm | | 1 | 5 | 5.2 in | |
| Weight without mounting brackets | | 4.8 | kg | | | 10 | 0.5 lbs | |
| Survival wind speed | | 296 | km/hr | | - | 1 | 84 mph | |
| Wind area | Front: 0.19 m ² | Side: 0.14 | m ² | Front: | 2.0 ft ² | Side: 1 | | |
| Wind load @ 161 km/hr (100 mph) | Front: 281 N | Side: 223 | N | Front: | 63 lbf | Side: | 50 lbf | |
| Mounting Options | Part Number | | Fits Pipe | Diamet | | | Weigh | No. |
| 2-Point Mounting Bracket Kit | 26799997 | | 50-102 mm | 2.0-4 | .0 in | 2. | 3 kg | 5 lbs |
| 2-Point Mounting & Downtilt Bracket Kit | 26799999 | | 50-102 mm | 2.0-4 | .0 in | | 6 kg | 8 lbs |
| Concealment Configurations | For concealment | configuration | ns, order BXA | -17108 | 5-8BF-E | | - | |



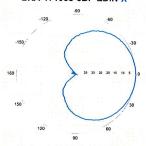
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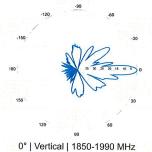
Horizontal | 1710-1880 MHz BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-0



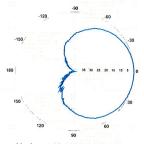
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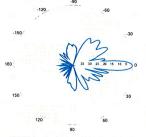
Horizontal | 1850-1990 MHz BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-0



BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X



Horizontal | 1920-2170 MHz BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-0



0° | Vertical | 1920-2170 MHz

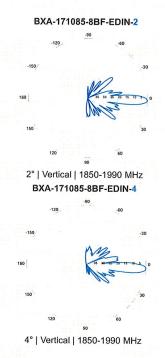
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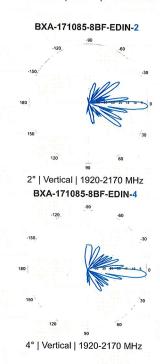


BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X

X-Pol | FET Panel | 85° | 16.4 dBi

4° | Vertical | 1710-1880 MHz







BXA-70063-4CF-EDIN-X

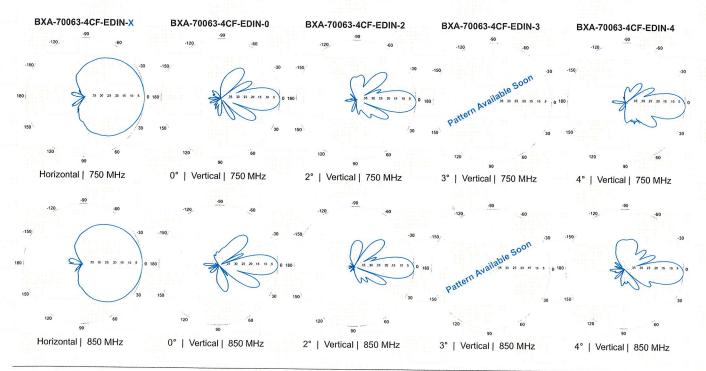
X-Pol | FET Panel | 63° | 13.0 dBd

Replace "X" with desired electrical downtilt.

Antenna is also available with NE connector(s). Replace "EDIN" with "NE" in the model number when ordering.

| Electrical Characteristics | | | 696-9 | 00 MHz | 4 | | | 2 / / |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|------------------|---------------------|------------|-------------------|--------|
| Frequency bands | 69 | 96-806 MHz | | Name and Parties | ALCO COMP | 806-900 |) MHz | |
| Polarization | | 112 | ± | 45° | | | | |
| Horizontal beamwidth | | 65° | 11 11 11 11 11 | T | | 63 | 0 | |
| Vertical beamwidth | 11111 | 17° | | | | 15 | • | |
| Gain | 12.5 | dBd (14.6 dE | i) | + | 13 | 3.0 dBd (| | i) |
| Electrical downtilt (X) | | | , 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 | 8, 9, 10 | | | | ·/ |
| Impedance | | | | 0Ω | | | - | |
| VSWR | | - | ≤1. | 35:1 | | | | |
| Upper sidelobe suppression (0°) | | -16.3 dB | | 171 | | -22.1 | dB | 1 |
| Front-to-back ratio (+/-30°) | | -36.1 dB | | + | 7 | -34.9 | | |
| Null fill | | | 5% (-2 | 6.02 dB |) | 34.0 | u.D | |
| Isolation between ports | | | | 0 dB | , | | | |
| Input power with EDIN connectors | 4.11 | | | 0 W | | - | | |
| Input power with NE connectors | | Acceptable to the second second | 30 | 0 W | | | 1 | |
| Lightning protection | | | Direct | Ground | - 1 | | _ | |
| Connector(s) | | 2 Ports / | EDIN or NE / | | / Cente | r (Back) | · · · · · · · · · | - |
| Mechanical Characteristics | | | | | | . (Bask) | | |
| Dimensions Length x Width x Depth | 1205 | x 285 x 133 | mm | | 47.4 | (11.2 x 5 | 2 in | |
| Depth with z-brackets | | 173 | mm | | | | .8 in | |
| Weight without mounting brackets | | 4.5 | kg | | | | .9 lbs | |
| Survival wind speed | | > 201 | km/hr | | | | 25 mph | |
| Wind area | Front: 0.34 m ² | Side: 0.16 | m² | Front: | 3.7 ft ² | Side: 1 | | - |
| Wind load @ 161 km/hr (100 mph) | Front: 498 N | Side: 260 | V | Front: | 111 lbf | Side: | ************* | |
| Mounting Options | Part Number | | Fits Pipe | Diamet | | | Weig | ht |
| 2-Point Mounting Bracket Kit | 36210002 | | 50-160 mm | 2.0-6 | | 4. | 5 kg | 10 lbs |
| 2-Point Downtilt Bracket Kit (0-20°) | 36114003 | | 50-160 mm | 2.0-6 | .3 in | | 9 kg | 11 lbs |
| Downtilt Mounting Applications | A mounting brack | et and down | tilt bracket kit | must b | e ordere | | 0 | |
| Concealment Configurations | For concealment | | | | | | | |



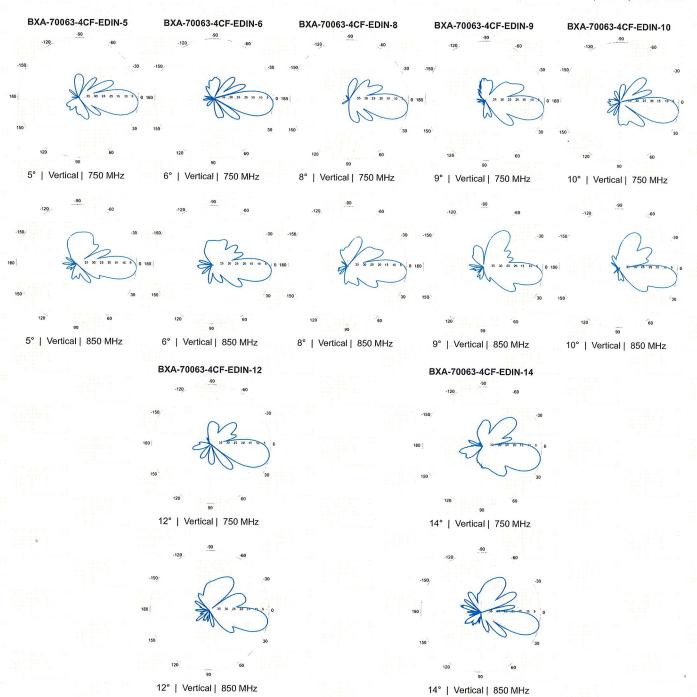


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X-Pol | FET Panel | 63° | 13.0 dBd



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Mechanical specifications

| Length | 1214 | mm | 47.8 | in |
|--------------------------------------|--|----------------|------------|-----------------|
| Width | 284 | mm | 11.2 | in |
| Depth Depth with z-bracket | Market Williams | mm mm | 5.9 7.5 | AND STATE |
| Weight 4) | 6.1 | kg | 13 | lbs |
| Wind Area Fore/Aft Wind Area Side | | | 3.7 1.9 | Charles and the |
| Max Wind Survivability | >201 | km/hr | >125 | mph |
| Wind Load @ 100 m | THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF THE | | hr) | |
| Fore/Aft | 458 | N ₋ | 103 | lbf |
| Side | 245 | N | 55 | lbf |
| | | | | |

Antenna consisting of aluminum alloy with brass feedlines covered by a gray, UV safe fiberglass radome. RoHS compliant.

Mounting & Downtilting

Mounting hardware attaches to pipe diameter Ø50-160 mm; Ø2.0-6.3 in.

| Mounting Bracket Kit | 36210002 |
|----------------------|----------|
| Downtilt Bracket Kit | 36114003 |

Electrical specifications

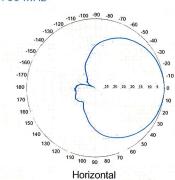
| Frequency Range | 696-900 MHz |
|--|---|
| Impedance | 50Ω |
| Connector 3) | NE or E-DIN Female 2 ports / Center |
| VSWR 1) | ≤ 1.35:1 |
| Polarization | Slant ±45° |
| Isolation Between Ports 1) | < -30 dB |
| Gain 1) | 12.0 dBd 14.0 dBi |
| Power Rating 2) | 500 W |
| Half Power Angle 1) | |
| Horizontal Beamwidth Vertical Beamwidth | 80° 15° |
| Electrical downtilt 5) | 0° |
| Null fill 1) | 5% |
| Lightning protection | Direct ground |
| | |

Patented Dipole Design: U.S. Patent No. 6,608,600 B2

- 1) Typical values.
- 2) Power rating limited by connector only.
- NE indicates an elongated N connector.
 E-DIN indicates an elongated DIN connector.
- 4) Antenna weight does not include brackets.5) Add'l downtills may be available. Check website for details.

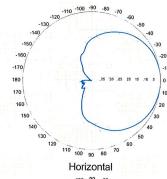
Improvements to mechanical and/or electrical performance of the antenna may be made without notice.

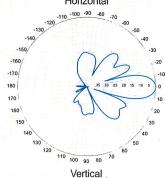
Radiation-pattern 750 MHz



-170 180 170 Vertical

850 MHz

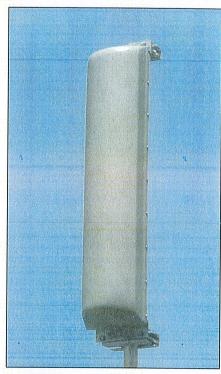




696-900 MHz

BXA-70080/4CF

When ordering replace " " with connector type,





Featuring our Exclusive 3T Technology™ Antenna Design:

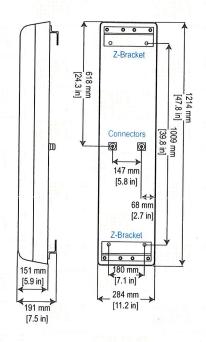
- · Watercut brass feedline assembly for consistent performance.
- · Unique feedline design eliminates the need for conventional solder joints in the signal path.
- A non-collinear system with access to every radiating element for broad bandwidth and superior performance.
- Air as insulation for virtually no internal signal loss.

This antenna is under a five-year limited warranty for repair or replacement.

Revision Date: 1/5/09



BXA-70080/4CF When ordering replace "_" with connector type.



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Improvements to mechanical and/or electrical performance of the antenna may be made without notice.

696-900 MHz



ShareLite Wideband Diplexer - In-line 698-960 MHz/1710-2200 MHz, DC pass in high frequency path



Product Description

The ShareLite FD9R6004 Series of diplexers are designed to enable feeder sharing between systems in the 698-960 MHz range and in the 1710-2200 MHz range. The diplexer is equipped with in-line connector placement so it can be installed in the BTS cabinet or at the tower top. This is especially valuable in crowded sites or when the feeders are not easily accessible. Due to its wideband design, the FD9R6004 Series can accommodate many combining solutions between 698-960 MHz and 1710-2200 MHz systems such as LTE 700 MHz, Cellular 800 MHz with PCS, GSM900 with GSM1800, or GSM900 with UMTS. This diplexer features a highly selective filter. It provides a high level of isolation between ports, while keeping the insertion loss on both paths at an extremely low level. The FD9R6004 diplexers are available with various DC pass options, helpful in configurations with or without the Tower Mount Amplifiers installed.



Features/Benefits

- LTE ready design
- Extremely Low Insertion Loss
- · High level of Rejection between bands Protection against interferences
- Extremely High Power Handling Capability
- Integrated DC block/bypass versions available
- Very compact & small size design Easy installation and reduced tower load
- In-line long-neck connectors for easy connection & waterproofing
- Exceptional reliability & environmental protection (IP 67)
- Equipped with 1 * Breathable Vent Prevent any humidity inside the product
- Mounting hardware for Wall and Pole mount provided (P/N SEM2-1A)
- · Grounding already provided through the mounting bracket
- · Kit available for easy dual mount

| • Kit available for easy qual mount | |
|---|---|
| Technical Specifications | |
| Product Type | Diplexer/Cross Band Coupler |
| Frequency Range 1, MHz | 698-960 |
| Frequency Range 2, MHz | 1710-2200 |
| Application | LTE700, GSM900, UMTS, GSM1800, Cellular 800, PCS |
| Configuration | Sharelite Single diplexer, outdoor, DC pass in the 1710-2170MHz path, with mounting hardware SEM2-1A |
| Mounting | Wall Mounting: With 4 screws (maximum 6mm diameter); Pole Mounting: With included clamp set 40-110mm (1.57-4.33) |
| Return Loss All Ports Min/Typ, dB | 19/23 |
| Power Handling Continuous, Max, W | 1250 at common port; 750 in low frequency path & 500 in high frequency path |
| Power Handling Peak, Max, W | 15000 in low frequency path & 8000 in high frequency path |
| Impedance, Ohms | 50 |
| Insertion Loss, Path 1, dB | 0.07 typ. |
| Insertion Loss, Path 2, dB | 0.13 typ. |
| Rejection Between Bands Min/Typ, dB | 58/64@698-960MHz; 60/70@1710-2200MHz |
| IMP Level at the COM Port, Typ, dBm | -112 @ 2x43 |
| DC Pass in Low Frequency Path | No Annual Control of the Control of |
| DC Pass in High Frequency Path | Yes |
| Temperature Range, °C (°F) | -40 to +60 (-40 to +140) |
| Environmental | ETSI 300-019-2-4 Class 4.1E |
| Ingress Protection | IP 67 |
| Lightning Protection | EN/IEC61000-4-5 Level 4 |
| Connectors | In-line long-neck 7-16-Female |
| Weight, kg (lb) | 1.2 (2.6) |
| Shipping Weight, kg (lb) | 3.2 (7) for 2 * single units in 1 * box, 9.8 (21.6) for 6 * units = 3 * Boxes in 1 * overwrap |
| Dimensions, H x W x D, mm (in) | 147 x 164 x 37 (5.8 x 6.5 x 1.5) |
| Shipping Dimensions, H x W x D, mm (in) | 254 x 406 x 82 (10 x 16 x 3.2) for 2 * Single Units in 1 * box, 280 x 406 x 241 (11 x 16 x 9.5) for 6 * units = 3 * Boxes in 1 * overwrap |
| Volume, L | 0.43 |
| Housing | Aluminum |
| lotes | |



ShareLite Wideband Diplexer - In-line 698-960 MHz/1710-2200 MHz, DC pass in high frequency path

Other Documentation

 ${\tt FD9R6004/2C-3L\ Installation\ Instructions:\ Wideband_Diplexer_Installation_Rev5.pdf}$

| | Model Number | Full DC Pass | DC Pass High Band | DC Pass Low Band | Mounting Hardware Included |
|--------|--------------------|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| | FD9R6004/1C-3L | | | | X |
| Single | FD9R6004/2C-3L | | A17 144 | - | X |
| | FD9R6004/3C-3L | | 1 | | X |
| 1 | KIT-FD9R6004/1C-DL | | 1 1 | | X |
| Dual | KIT-FD9R6004/2C-DL | | ****** | * | X |
| | KIT-FD9R6004/3C-DL | | | 1 1 1 1 1 1 | X |
| | Common Port | ommon Port | | ommon Port | |

The FD9R6004 Series is upgradeable to a Dual Diplexer kit by means of 2 diplexers and mounting hardware kits SEM2-1A and SEM2-3

| Mounting Hard | dware and Ground Cable Ordering Information | |
|---------------|---|-------------------------|
| Model Number | Description | a see a see a see a see |
| SEM2-1A | Mounting Hardware, Pole mount o40-110mm (Included with the Single and Dual Diplexer) Wall Screws M6 (Not included with the product) | 95 |
| SEM2-3 | Assembly kit for 2 pcs of FD9R6004/xC-3L (Can be ordered separately but included with the Dual Diplexer Kit) | Fift. |
| CA020-2 | Ground Cable, 2m, includes lugs (Optional) | |
| CA030-2 | Ground Cable, 2m, includes lugs (Optional) | (Marray |
| SEM6 | Mounting Hardware for 6 Diplexers, Tower Base (Optional) | |

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| *Cingular - GSM | 2 | 206 | 7.17 | | 200 | 0.3867 | T.26% | |
| *Cingular Con | | 230 | 120 | 0.0087 | 880 | 0.5867 | 1 49% | |
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| Verizon PCS | 11 | 200 | 257 | 0.0120 | 1900 | 1.0000 | 1.26% | |
| Verizon Cellular | | 200 | 1// | 0.0264 | 1970 | 1.0000 | 2.64% | |
| Verizon AWS | , | 233 | 177 | 0.0241 | 869 | 0 5793 | 1 150/ | |
| CMV IICTIO | 1 | 029 | 177 | 0.0077 | 24.45 | 2000 | 4.13% | |
| Verizon 700 | 7 | 547 | 177 | 10000 | C#17 | 1.0000 | 0.77% | |
| | | 1 | <u>}</u> | 0.0063 | 698 | 0.4653 | 1.35% | |
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Structural Analysis for SBA Network Services, Inc.

181.5' Self-Support Tower

SBA Site Name: Ellington SBA Site ID: CT10008-A Verizon Site Name: Ellington CT

FDH Project Number 12-02241E S1 R1

Analysis Results

| Tower Components | 61.7% | Sufficient |
|------------------|-------|------------|
| Foundation | 65.0% | Sufficient |

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Prepared pursuant to TIA/EIA-222-F Structural Standards for Steel Antenna Towers and Antenna Supporting Structures and the 2005 Connecticut State Building Code

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

At the request of SBA Network Services, Inc., FDH Engineering, Inc. performed a structural analysis of the existing self-supported tower located in Ellington, CT to determine whether the tower is structurally adequate to support both the existing and proposed loads pursuant to the *Structural Standards for Steel Antenna Towers and Antenna Supporting Structures, TIA/EIA-222-F and the 2005 Connecticut State Building Code.* Information pertaining to the existing/proposed antenna loading, soil parameters, current tower geometry, the member sizes, and foundation dimensions was obtained from:

| Rohn Industries (File No. 42895AE) original tower and foundation drawings dated April 3, 2000 Applied Earth Technologies (Site Address 101 Burbank Rd. Ellington ,CT) Report on Subsurface Investigation dated February 14, 2000 |
|---|
| FDH Inc. (Project No. 07-0316T) TIA Inspection Report dated April 11, 2007 SBA Network Services, Inc. |

The basic design wind speed per the TIA/EIA-222-F standards and the 2005 Connecticut State Building Code is 85 mph without ice and 38 mph with 1 " radial ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.

Conclusions

With the existing and proposed antennas from Verizon in place at 177 ft, the tower meets the requirements of the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards *and the 2005 Connecticut State Building Code* provided the **Recommendations** listed below are satisfied. Furthermore, provided the foundations were designed and constructed to support the original design reactions (see Rohn Industries File No. 42895AE), the foundations should have the necessary capacity to support the existing and proposed loading. For a more detailed description of the analysis of the tower, see the **Results** section of this report.

Our structural analysis has been performed assuming all information provided to FDH Engineering, Inc. is accurate (i.e., the steel data, tower layout, existing antenna loading, and proposed antenna loading) and that the tower has been properly erected and maintained per the original design drawings.

Recommendations

To ensure the requirements of the *TIA/EIA-222-F* standards *and the 2005 Connecticut State Building Code* are met with the existing and proposed loading in place, we have the following recommendations:

- 1. Coax must be installed as shown in Figure 1.
- 2. The proposed Diplexers should be installed directly behind the proposed panel antennas.

APPURTENANCE LISTING

The proposed and existing antennas with their corresponding cables/coax lines are shown in **Table 1**. *If the actual layout determined in the field deviates from the layout, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be contacted to perform a revised analysis.*

Table 1 - Appurtenance Loading

Existing Loading:

| Antenna Elevation (ft) | Description | Coax and Lines | Carrier | Mount Elevation (ft) | Mount Type |
|------------------------------|---|-------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|------------------|
| 194.5 | (1) Decibel DB222-A Dipole | (1) 1-1/4" | NE Site Management | 189 | Direct Mount |
| 186 | (6) EMS RR90-17-02DP w/Mount Pipe (6) Decibel DBE15501P64D TMAs | (6) 1-5/8" | T-Mobile | 186 | (3) 13' T-Frames |
| 177 | (6) Swedcom ALP-E-9011 w/Mount Pipe (6) Decibel 948F85T2E-M w/ Mount Pipe | (12) 1-5/8" | Verizon | 177 | (3) 14' T-Frames |
| 157 | (9) CSS DUO-048670 w/Mount Pipe (3) Powerwave 7770.00A w/Mount Pipe (6) ADC 1283019 TMAs (3) CSS 999002 Combiners (3) Diplexers | (15) 1-5/8 | Cingular | 157 | (3) 12' T-Frames |
| 78 | (1) GPS | (1) 1/2" | Verizon | 78 | Direct Mount |
| 32 | (1) GPS | (1) 1/2" | Cingular | 32 | Direct Mount |

Proposed Loading:

| Antenna Elevation (ft) | Description | Coax and Lines | Carrier | Mount Elevation (ft) | Mount Type |
|------------------------------|---|-------------------|---------|----------------------------|------------------|
| 177 | (2) Antel BXA-70063/4CF w/ Mount Pipe (6) Antel LPA-80080/4CF W/Mount Pipe (3) Antel BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X w/Mount Pipe (1) Antel BXA-70080/4CF w/ Mount Pipe (6) RFS FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexers | (12) 1-5/8" | Verizon | 177 | (3) 14' T-Frames |

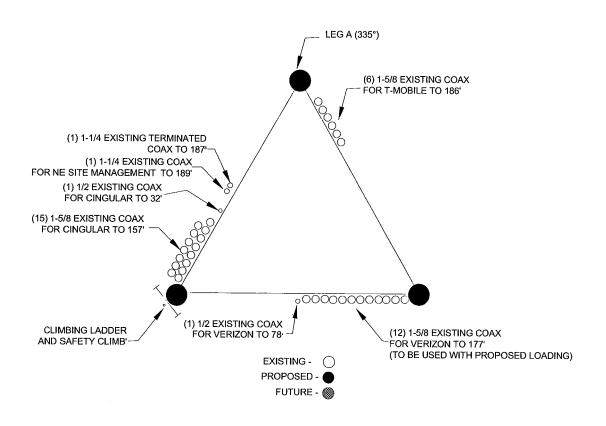


Figure 1- Coax Layout

RESULTS

The following yield strength of steel for individual members was used for analysis:

Table 2 - Material Strength

| Member Type | Yield Strength |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Legs | 50 ksi |
| Bracing | 50 ksi & 36 ksi |

Table 3 displays the summary of the ratio (as a percentage) of force in the member to their capacities. Values greater than 100% indicate locations where the maximum force in the member exceeds its capacity. *Note: Capacities up to 105% are considered acceptable.* **Table 4** displays the maximum foundation reactions.

If the assumptions outlined in this report differ from actual field conditions, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be contacted to perform a revised analysis. Furthermore, as no information pertaining to the allowable twist and sway requirements for the existing or proposed appurtenances was provided, deflection and rotation were not taken into consideration when performing this analysis.

See the Appendix for detailed modeling information

Table 3 - Summary of Working Percentage of Structural Components

| Section No. | Elevation ft | Component Type | Size | % Capacity | Pass Fail |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| T1 | 181.5 - 161.333 | Leg | P2x.203 | 38.2 | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L2x2x1/4 | 20.4 41.1 (b) | Pass |
| 124 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 | | Top Girt | L2x2x1/4 | 1.7 | Pass |
| | | Bottom Girt | L2x2x1/4 | 52.4 | Pass |
| T2 | 161.333 - 141.167 | Leg | P3x.3 | 26.8 44.2 (b) | Pass |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | | Diagonal | L2x2x1/4 | 0.2 | Pass |
| 74.71. | | Top Girt | L2x2x1/4 | 55.6 | Pass |
| Т3 | 141.167 - 121 | Leg | Pipe 4.5" x 0.337" (4 XS) | 43.7 47.0 (b) | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L2x2x1/4 | 53.2 | Pass |
| T4 | 121 - 100.834 | Leg | Pipe 5.563" x 0.375" (5 XS) | 40.0 51.5 (b) | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L2 1/2x2 1/2x1/4 | 57.1 | Pass |
| T5 | 100.834 - 80.667 | Leg | Pipe 6 EH | 56.9 | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L2 1/2x2 1/2x1/4 | 54.3 | Pass |
| T6 | 80.667 - 60.5004 | Leg | Pipe 6.625" x 0.432" (6 XS) | 47.4 | Pass |
| 111111 | | Diagonal | L3x3x1/4 | 54.8 | Pass |
| Т7 | 60.5004 - 40.3338 | Leg | P8x.375 | 49.0 50.2 (b) | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L3 1/2x3 1/2x1/4 | 47.7 48.1 (b) | Pass |
| Т8 | 40.3338 - 20.1672 | Leg | Pipe 8.625" x 0.50" (8 XS) | 46.0 59.9 (b) | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L4x4x1/4 | 53.4 | Pass |
| Т9 | 20.1672 - 0 | Leg | Pipe 8.625" x 0.50" (8 XS) | 56.4 61.7 (b) | Pass |
| | | Diagonal | L4x4x1/4 | 56.7 | Pass |

| Section No. | Elevation ft | Component Type | Size | % Capacity | Pass Fail |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------------------|------|------------|--------------|
| Eriminia analytik Pik | | | | 61.8 (b) | |

Table 4 - Maximum Base Reactions

| Load Type | Direction | Current Analysis (TIA/EIA-222-F) | Original Design (TIA/EIA-222-F) |
|-----------------------|-------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Individual Foundation | Horizontal | 25 k | 59 k |
| | Uplift | 202 k | 333 k |
| | Compression | 239 k | 369 k |
| Overturning Moment | | 4,117 k-ft | 6,330 k-ft |

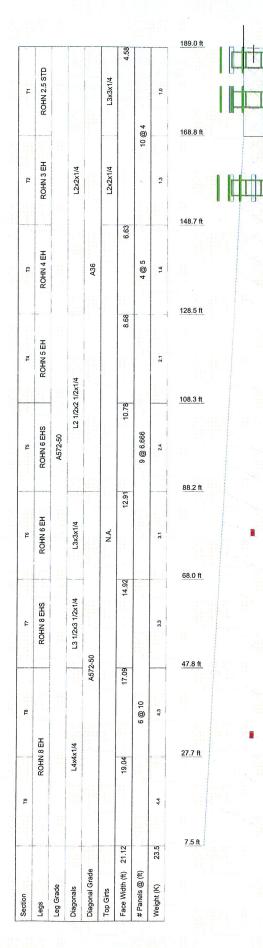
GENERAL COMMENTS

This engineering analysis is based upon the theoretical capacity of the structure. It is not a condition assessment of the tower and its foundation. It is the responsibility of SBA Network Services, Inc. to verify that the tower modeled and analyzed is the correct structure (with accurate antenna loading information) modeled. If there are substantial modifications to be made or the assumptions made in this analysis are not accurate, FDH Engineering, Inc. should be notified immediately to perform a revised analysis.

LIMITATIONS

All opinions and conclusions are considered accurate to a reasonable degree of engineering certainty based upon the evidence available at the time of this report. All opinions and conclusions are subject to revision based upon receipt of new or additional/updated information. All services are provided exercising a level of care and diligence equivalent to the standard and care of our profession. No other warranty or guarantee, expressed or implied, is offered. Our services are confidential in nature and we will not release this report to any other party without the client's consent. The use of this engineering work is limited to the express purpose for which it was commissioned and it may not be reused, copied, or distributed for any other purpose without the written consent of FDH Engineering, Inc.

APPENDIX



DESIGNED APPURTENANCE LOADING

| TYPE | ELEVATION | TYPE | ELEVATION | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|--------------------------------|-----------|--|
| DB222-A | 189 | (2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer | 177 | |
| Lightning Rod 5/8x4' | 187.5 | (2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer | 177 | |
| (2) RR90-17-02DP w/Mount Pipe | 186 | (2) FD9R6004/2C-3L Diplexer | 177 | |
| (2) RR90-17-02DP w/Mount Pipe | 186 | (3) 13' T-Frames | 177 | |
| (2) RR90-17-02DP w/Mount Pipe | 186 | CSS 999002 Combiner | 157 | |
| (2) Decibel DBE15501P64D TMA | 186 | Swedcom SFCP 800/1850 Diplexer | 157 | |
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| (2) Pipe Mount | 186 | (3) 14' T-Frames | 157 | |
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| (2) LPA-80080/4CF W/Mount Pipe | 177 | (2) 1283019 TMA | 157 | |
| (2) LPA-80080/4CF W/Mount Pipe | 177 | (2) 1283019 TMA | 157 | |
| (2) BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X w/Mount | 177 | (2) 1283019 TMA | 157 | |
| Pipe | | CSS 999002 Combiner | 157 | |
| BXA-171085-8BF-EDIN-X w/Mount | 177 | CSS 999002 Combiner | 157 | |
| Pipe | 477 | GPS | 78 | |
| BXA-70080/4CF w/ Mount Pipe | 177 | GPS | 32 | |

MATERIAL STRENGTH

| GRADE | Fy | Fu | GRADE | Fy | Fu |
|---------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|
| A572-50 | 50 ksi | 65 ksi | A36 | 36 ksi | 58 ksi |

TOWER DESIGN NOTES

- Tower is located in Tolland County, Connecticut.
 Tower designed for a 85 mph basic wind in accordance with the TIA/EIA-222-F Standard.
 Tower is also designed for a 38 mph basic wind with 1.00 in ice. Ice is considered to increase in thickness with height.
 Deflections are based upon a 50 mph wind.
 TOWER RATING: 62.7%

MAX. CORNER REACTIONS AT BASE:

DOWN: 239 K SHEAR: 25 K

UPLIFT: -202 K SHEAR: 22 K

AXIAL 94 K

SHEAR MOMENT 13 K 1418 kip-ft

TORQUE 5 kip-ft 38 mph WIND - 1.0000 in ICE

AXIAL

SHEAR MOMENT 41 K 4117 kip-ft

TORQUE 13 kip-ft REACTIONS - 85 mph WIND

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Re: EM-VER-048-120330 – Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless 101 Burbank Road, Ellington, Connecticut

Dear Mr. Martin:

On April 17, 2012, the Siting Council acknowledged receipt of Cellco's notice of intent to modify its telecommunications facility at 101 Burbank Road in Ellington. The modification involved the replacement of certain antennas and the installation of coax cable diplexers.

As a condition of the acknowledgement, Cellco was required to provide the Council with a letter stating that the recommendations specified in the structural report were implemented. Attached is a Tower Modification Certification Letter verifying that these conditions have been satisfied. All construction associated with these modifications has now been completed.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me or Rachel Mayo.

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We are providing this "Existing Telecommunications Facility Tower Modification Certification Letter" with regard to the antenna upgrade by Verizon Wireless at the above referenced project.

The following are the basis for substantiating compliance with the design documents prepared by FDH Engineering:

- Review of the FDH structural analysis dated 3/20/2012.
- Field observations by Centek personnel of coax and diplexer installation on 3/26/2013 which determined all coax lines and diplexers were installed in general compliance with the recommendations of the structural analysis report prepared by FDH on 3/20/2012.

The work under this Contract has been reviewed and found, to the Engineer's best knowledge, information and belief, to be completed in general compliance with the documents referenced above.

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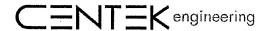
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