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October 23, 2015

Melanie A. Bachman Acting Executive Director Connecticut Siting Council 10 Franklin Square New Britain, CT 06051 ORIGINAL.

Re:

EM-VER-059T-140619 - Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless 175 Roberts Road, Groton, Connecticut

Dear Ms. Bachman:

On July 16, 2014, the Siting Council acknowledged receipt of Cellco's notice of intent to modify its telecommunications facility at 175 Roberts Road in Groton, Connecticut. The modifications involved the replacement of its antennas, the installation of remote radio heads and the installation of a new fiber optic antenna cable.

As a condition of the acknowledgement, Cellco was required to provide the Council with a letter stating that Cellco's modifications were consistent with those referenced in the Structural Analysis Report. Attached is a Professional Engineer's Tower Modification Certification letter verifying that the modifications were completed as required.

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

Sincerely,

Kenneth C. Baldwin

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October 22, 2015

Mr. Tim Parks
Verizon Wireless
99 East River Drive
East Hartford, Connecticut 06108

Re: Tower Modification Certification

Project:

Verizon Groton 5

175 Roberts Road, Groton, CT

Tower Owner:

Crown Castle

3530 Toringdon Way, Suite 300, Charlotte, NC

Engineer:

B&T Group

1717 S. Boulder, Suite 300, Tulsa, OK

Centek Project No.: 15003.057

CSC Exempt Mod Reference No.: EM-VER-059T-140619

Dear Mr. Parks,

We are providing this "Tower Modification Certification" with regard to the structural components at the above referenced project.

The following are the basis for substantiating compliance with the tower modification documents prepared by B&T Group (B&T Group Project Number: 92739.001.01):

- Review of the B&T Group Structural Analysis dated 05/16/2014.
- □ Review of the B&T Group Modification Drawings S1 thru S6 and D1 dated 02/25/2014.
- Review of the Sinnott Gering and Schmitt Towers Modification Inspection Report dated 08/18/2014.
- □ Field observations by Centek Engineering personnel on 10/22/2015 of the completed modifications which determined all modifications were installed in general compliance with the recommendations of the structural analysis report prepared by B&T Group on 05/16/2014.

The modification design prepared by B&T Group demonstrates the tower will not exceed 100 percent of the post construction structural rating. 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. This certification is not a review of the adequacy or effectiveness of the modification/reinforcement solution.

Carlo F. Centore, PE

Principal - Structural