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Kyle Richers Transcend Wireless 10 Industrial Avenue, Suite #3 Mahwah, NJ 07430

RE: **TS-T-MOBILE-141-180221** - T-Mobile request for an order to approve tower sharing at an existing telecommunications facility located at 720 Quinebaug Road, Thompson, Connecticut.

Dear Mr. Richers:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) received the tower share request for the above-referenced facility on February 21, 2018.

According to Section 16-50j-90 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies, "no tower share application shall be approved until a complete application containing all information deemed relevant by the Council has been filed. Relevant information shall at a minimum include that listed in Section 16-50j-89 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies..."

Staff has reviewed this tower share request for completeness and has identified deficiencies in the filing:

- a) lack of notice;
- b) proof of mailing; and
- c) documentation of the original tower approval.

Therefore, the tower share request is incomplete at this time. The Council recommends that Transcend Wireless provide notice to the Planning and Zoning Department of the Town of Thompson, proof that the entire tower share request was physically mailed to the Chief Elected Official of the Town of Thompson and the underlying property owner, and documentation of the original tower approval of this tower share request on or before March 12, 2018. If additional time is needed to gather the requested information, please submit a written request for an extension of time prior to March 12, 2018.

This notice of incompletion shall have the effect of tolling the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) 60-day timeframe in accordance with Paragraph 217 of the FCC Wireless Infrastructure Report and Order issued on October 21, 2014 (FCC 14-153).

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 860-827-2951.

Sincerely,

Melanie Bachman Executive Director

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c: The Honorable Ken L. Beausoleil, First Selectman, Town of Thompson Mary Ann Chinatti, Director of Planning and Development, Town of Thompson Quinebaug Volunteer Fire Department, Town Property Owner