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June 2, 2009

Thomas J. Regan, Esq.
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RE: **EM-T-MOBILE-164-090429A** - Omnipoint Communications, as subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc., notice of intent to modify an existing telecommunications facility located at 340 Bloomfield Avenue, Windsor, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Regan:

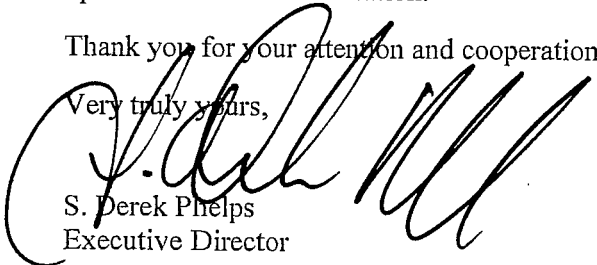
The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) hereby acknowledges your notice to modify this existing telecommunications facility, pursuant to Section 16-50j-73 of the Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies.

The proposed modifications are to be implemented as specified here and in your notice dated April 29, 2009, including the placement of all necessary equipment and shelters within the tower compound. 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. Any deviation from this format may result in the Council implementing enforcement proceedings pursuant to General Statutes § 16-50u including, without limitation, imposition of expenses resulting from such failure and of civil penalties in an amount not less than one thousand dollars per day for each day of construction or operation in material violation.

Thank you for your attention and cooperation.

Very truly yours,


S. Derek Phelps
Executive Director

SDP/MP/laf

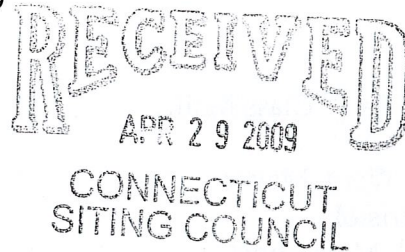
c: The Honorable Donald Trinks, Mayor, Town of Windsor
Peter Souza, Town Manager, Town of Windsor
Eric Barz, Town Planner, Town of Windsor

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Via Hand Delivery

April 30, 2009



Daniel F. Caruso, Chairman
Connecticut Siting Council
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RE: T-Mobile USA, Inc - Exempt Modification

Dear Mr. Caruso:

On behalf of T-Mobile USA, Inc., enclosed for filing are an original and five (5) copies of a Notice to Make an Exempt Modification to an Existing Facility for each of the following:

1. Bristol @ 985 Farmington Avenue;
2. Enfield @ 4 Oliver Road;
3. Cromwell @ 179 Shunpike Road;
4. East Windsor @ 232 South Main Street;
5. Windsor @ 297 Barber Street; and
6. Windsor @ 340 Bloomfield Avenue

I have also enclosed a sixth copy of each Notice which I would like to have date-stamped and returned to the courier delivering this package.

Also enclosed are six (6) checks in the amount of \$500.00 each to cover the filing fee. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Very truly yours,

BROWN RUDNICK BERLACK ISRAELS LLP

By: Thomas J. Regan
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Daniel F. Caruso, Chairman
April 30, 2009
Re: T-Mobile USA, Inc. Notice of Exempt Modifications
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cc/encls: via 1st Class Mail:

Arthur J. Ward, Mayor
City of Bristol
111 North Main Street
Bristol, CT 06010

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41 West Street
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Town of Enfield
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Donald Trinks, Mayor
Town of Windsor
Town Hall
275 Broad Street
PO Box 472
Windsor, CT 06095-0472

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EM-T-MOBILE-164-090429A

In re:

T-Mobile USA, Inc. Notice to Make an Exempt : EXEMPT MODIFICATION NO. _____
Modification to an Existing Facility, 340 :
Bloomfield Avenue, Windsor, Connecticut. : April 29, 2009

ORIGINAL
NOTICE OF EXEMPT MODIFICATION

Pursuant to Conn. Agencies Regs. §§ 16-50j-73 and 16-50j-72(b), T-Mobile USA, Inc.

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SITING COUNCIL

("T-Mobile") hereby gives notice to the Connecticut Siting Council ("Council") and the Town of Windsor of T-Mobile's intent to make an exempt modification to an existing monopole tower (the "Tower") located at 340 Bloomfield Avenue in Windsor, Connecticut. Specifically, T-Mobile plans to upgrade its wireless system in Connecticut by implementing its Universal Mobile Telecommunications System ("UMTS"). UMTS is a third-generation ("3G") technology that utilizes a code division multiple access ("CDMA") base to allow for fast and large data transfers. To accomplish this upgrade, T-Mobile must modify its antenna and equipment configurations at many of its existing sites.

Once the UMTS upgrade is complete, T-Mobile will operate on a more unified communication system, allowing international wireless telephones to function world-wide. Furthermore, UMTS will enhance GPS navigation capabilities and provide emergency responders with more advanced tracking capabilities. The proposed UMTS technology is compatible with the existing second-generation ("2G") Global System for Mobile Communication ("GSM") currently on the Tower and the proposed upgrade is expected to enhance the existing 2G system. In order to accomplish the upgrade at this site, T-Mobile plans to add UMTS technology and install associated equipment at the base of the tower.

Under the Council's regulations (Conn. Agencies Regs. § 16-50j-72(b)), T-Mobile's plans do not constitute a modification subject to the Council's review because T-Mobile will not

change the height of the Tower, will not extend the boundaries of the compound, will not increase the noise levels at the site, and will not increase the total radio frequency electromagnetic radiation power density at the site to levels above applicable standards.

The Tower is a 148-foot monopole tower located 340 Bloomfield Avenue in Windsor, Connecticut (41.8526, -72.6606). The Tower is owned by the Town of Windsor. There are multiple carriers on the Tower. Currently, T-Mobile has 3 antennas and 6 Tower Mounted Amplifiers (“TMA”) located on the Tower with a centerline of 143 feet. A site plan with Tower specifications is attached.

T-Mobile plans to add 3 UMTS antennas and 3 UMTS Twin TMA to the Tower. The proposed antennas and TMA will have the same centerline as the existing antennas and TMA - 143 feet. To confirm the Tower can support these changes, T-Mobile commissioned Armor Tower to perform a structural analysis of the Tower (attached). According to the structural analysis, dated April 14, 2009; “The monopole is capable of supporting the proposed changes” (Page 1, Structural Analysis).


In addition, T-Mobile plans to locate 6, 1-5/8 inch coax cables under the proposed ice bridge canopy extension. T-Mobile proposes to install the UMTS equipment cabinet on a proposed 8-foot by 9-foot (approximately) concrete pad. The proposed concrete pad is within the existing chain link fence surrounding the Tower site, therefore the proposed concrete pad will not increase the size of the Tower site. T-Mobile also plans to install power and telephone wiring to service the proposed equipment.

Therefore, excluding brief, minor, construction-related noise during the addition of the antennas and the installation of the equipment cabinet, T-Mobile’s changes to the Tower will not increase noise levels at the site.

The proposed antennas and TMA will not adversely impact the health and safety of the surrounding community or the people working on the Tower. The total radio frequency exposure measured around the Tower will be well below the National Council on Radiation Protection and Measurements' ("NCRP") standard adopted by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"). The worst-case power density analysis measured at the base of the Tower indicates that T-Mobile's antennas will emit 4.66% of the NCRP's standard for maximum permissible exposure. A cumulative power density analysis indicates that together, all of the antennas on the Tower will emit only 35.73% of the NCRP's standard for maximum permissible exposure. Therefore, the power density levels will be well below the FCC mandated radio frequency exposure limits in all locations around the Tower, even with extremely conservative assumptions. The power density analysis is attached.

In conclusion, T-Mobile's proposed plan to add antennas and TMA at this site does not constitute a modification subject to the Council's jurisdiction because T-Mobile will not increase the height of the Tower, will not extend the boundaries of the site, will not increase the noise levels at the site, and the total radio frequency electromagnetic radiation power density will stay within all applicable standards. *See* Conn. Agencies Regs. § 16-50j-72.

T-Mobile USA, Inc.

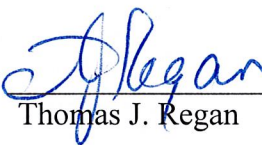
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Certificate of Service

This is to certify that on this 21st day of April, 2009, the foregoing Notice of Exempt

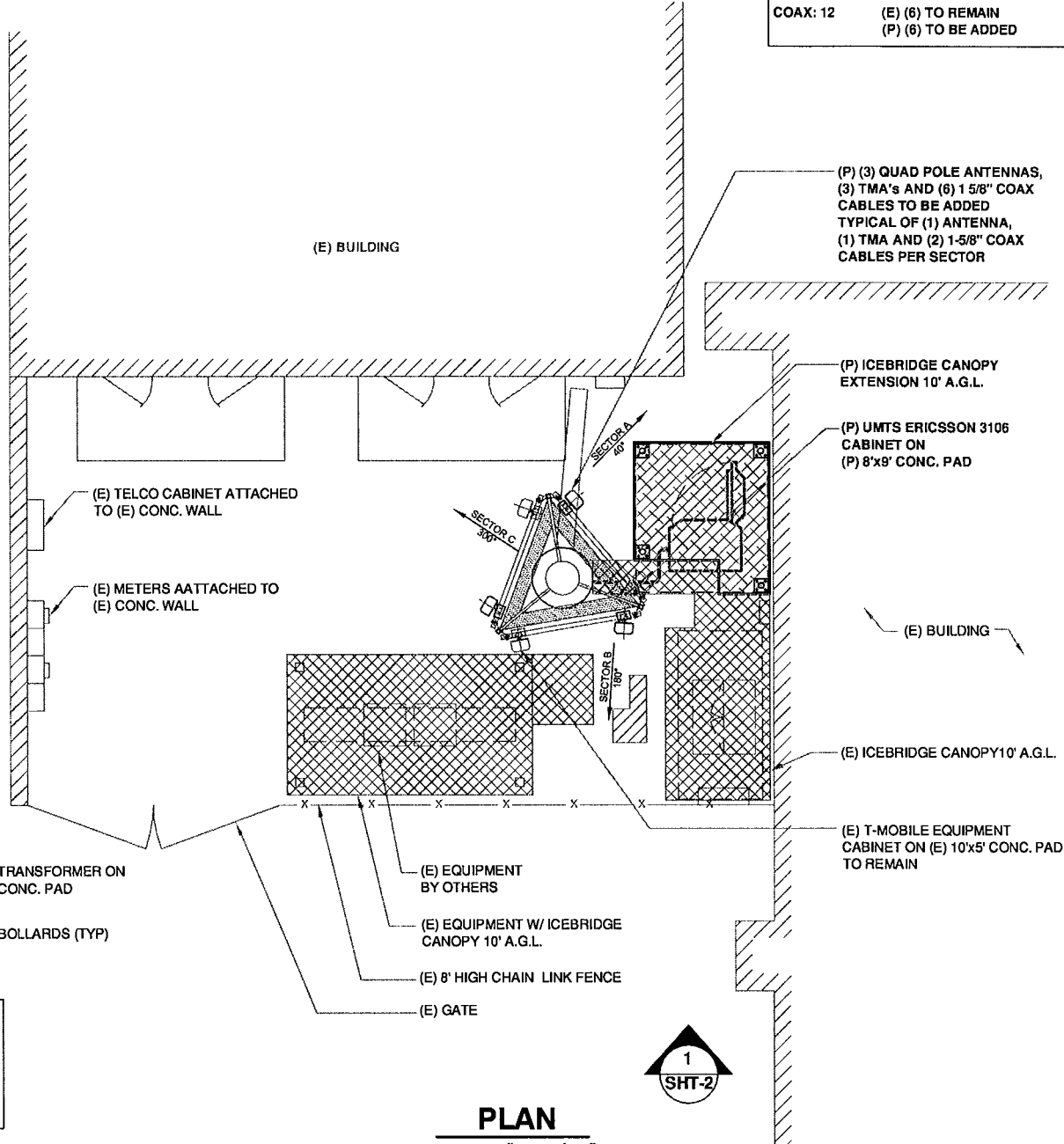
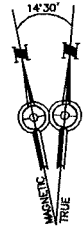
Modification was sent, via first class mail, to the following:

Town of Windsor
Mayor Donald Trinks
Town Hall
275 Broad Street
PO Box 472
Windsor, CT 06095

By: 
Thomas J. Regan

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FINAL CONFIGURATION	
CABINETS: 2	(E) CABINET TO REMAIN (P) (1) CABINET TO BE ADDED
ANTENNAS: 6	(E) (3) TO REMAIN (P) (3) TO BE ADDED
TMA's: 9	(E) (6) TO REMAIN (P) (3) TO BE ADDED
COAX: 12	(E) (6) TO REMAIN (P) (6) TO BE ADDED

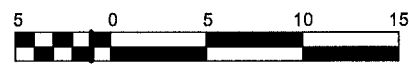


ANTENNA AZIMUTHS:
SECTOR A= 40°
SECTOR B= 180°
SECTOR C= 300°

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PLAN

SCALE: 1" = 10'-0"



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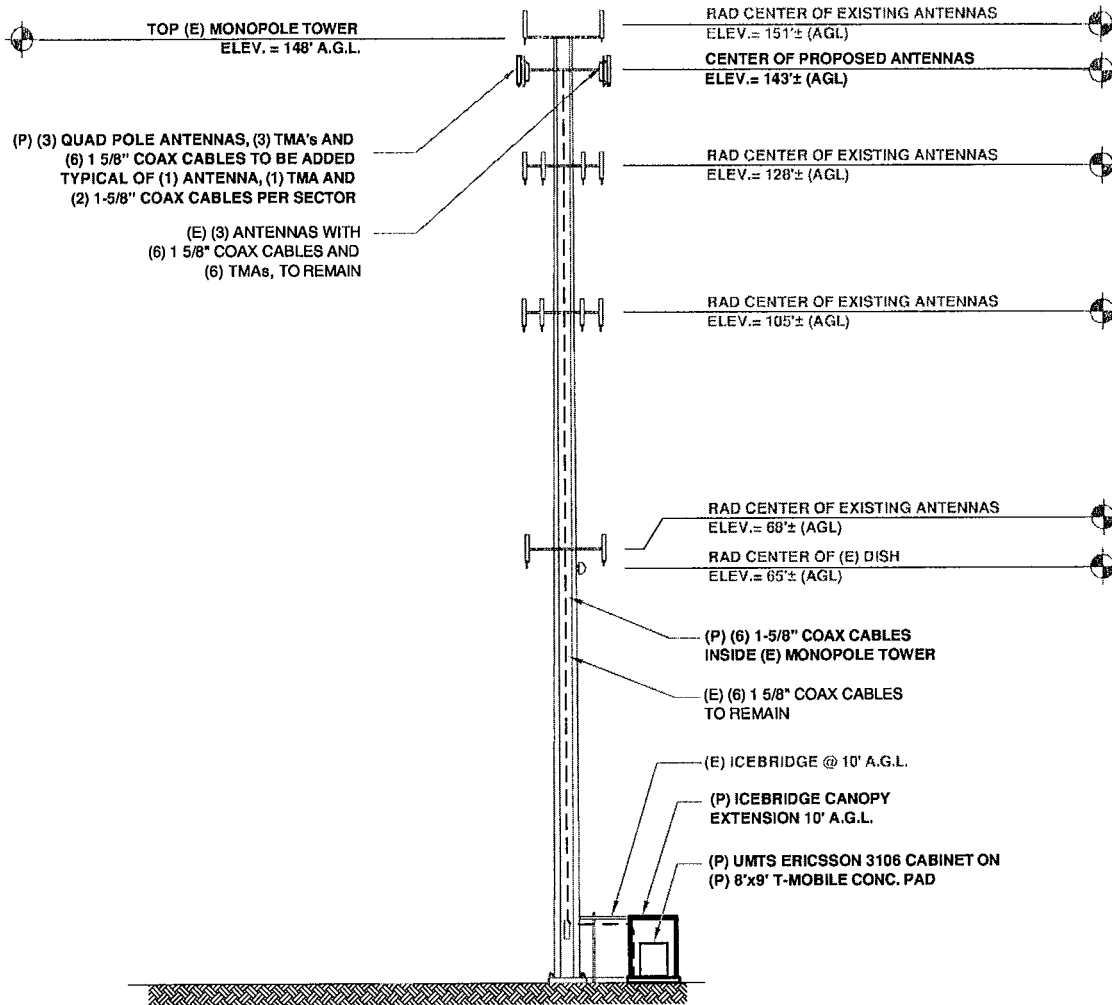
FOR

**OMNIPOINT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
 DBA T-MOBILE USA, INC**
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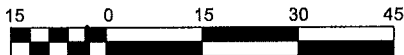
SITE NUMBER: CT11063B	
SITE NAME: WINDSOR FIRE DEPT. 1	
ADDRESS: 340 BLOOMFIELD AVE WINDSOR, CT 06095	
DRAWN BY: P.J.D.	
0: FINALE	03-13-09
A: REVIEW	02-07-09
REVISION	DATE

APPROVALS	
Site Owner	_____ Date _____
Construction Manager	_____ Date _____
RF Engineer	_____ Date _____
Site Acquisition	_____ Date _____
The above parties hereby approve and accept these documents and authorize the contractor to proceed with the construction described herein, all construction documents are subject to review by the local building department and any changes or modifications they may impose.	



ELEVATION

SCALE: 1" = 30'-0"



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April 14, 2009

Mr. Hans Fiedler
T-Mobile USA
35 Griffin Road South
Bloomfield, CT 06002

Re: CT11063B – Windsor Fire Dept. 1 site
340 Bloomfield Avenue, Windsor, CT 06095

Dear Mr. Fiedler:

Armor Tower has performed a structural assessment of the monopole at the above referenced address. This assessment is based on the T-Mobile RFDS dated 2/10/09, the lease exhibit by Atlantis Group, a structural assessment dated 4/26/04 and photos (all provided by Atlantis).

T-Mobile proposes:

- Install three RFS APX16DWV-16DWVS-A20 antennas (41 lb wt. each), three Andrew Twin AWS TMAs (11 lb each) at 143' AGL on the low-profile platform. Run six 1-5/8" feed lines inside the monopole to 143' AGL.
- Install one new RBS 3106 equipment cabinet (1925 lb fully equipped) on a proposed 6' x 8' concrete equipment pad.

The tower was previously assessed for the T-Mobile installation on April 26, 2004. According to that report, the tower was capable of supporting nine T-Mobile antennas. The total of six antennas in the proposed and existing combination is less than that reviewed loading of nine proposed antennas. It appears that the fourth carrier down was at 113' in the evaluation and is now at 105'. There is an additional small dish at 65'. This assessment assumes all antenna areas are approximately the same as those used in the previous assessment. Based on these factors, the proposed loading is less than the allowed loading previously reviewed. The monopole is therefore capable of supporting the proposed changes. The acceptability of the reviewed antenna loading is the responsibility of T-Mobile and its affiliates to confirm with the respective carriers.

The proposed equipment pad is ground mounted and would thus have bearing capacity to support the proposed cabinet given normal soil conditions. We recommend that the slab have a minimum thickness of 6" and have reinforcement consisting of #4 rebar at 12" c-c both ways with 3" minimum cover using 3000 psi concrete.

No conclusions, expressed or implied, shall indicate that Armor Tower has made an evaluation of the original design, materials, fabrication, or potential erection deficiencies. In addition, the conclusions expressed herein are based upon the information contained within the aforementioned documents, as well as the results of the site survey and photographic documentation of the site. Any information contrary to that assumed for the purpose of preparing this assessment could alter the findings and conclusions as stated.

We appreciate the opportunity to provide our professional services to Atlantis Group and T-Mobile, and if we can be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,
ARMOR TOWER, INC.



Derek Hartzell
Armor Tower, Inc



Technical Memo

To: Transcend
From: Farid Marbouh - Radio Frequency Engineer
cc: Jason Overbey
Subject: Power Density Report for CT11063B
Date: April 22, 2009

1. Introduction:

This report is the result of an Electromagnetic Field Intensities (EMF - Power Densities) study for the T-Mobile antenna installation on a Monopole at 340 Bloomfield Avenue, Windsor, CT. This study incorporates the most conservative consideration for determining the practical combined worst case power density levels that would be theoretically encountered from locations surrounding the transmitting location.

2. Discussion:

The following assumptions were used in the calculations:

- 1) The emissions from T-Mobile transmitters are in the (1935-1944.8), (2140-2145), (2110-2120)MHz frequency Band.
- 2) The antenna array consists of three sectors, with 2 antennas per sector.
- 3) The model number for GSM antenna is RR90-17-02DP.
- 3) The model number for UMTS antenna is APX16DWV-16DWV.
- 4) GSM antenna center line height is 143 ft.
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- 5) The maximum transmit power from any GSM sector is 1653.94 Watts Effective Radiated Power (EIRP) assuming 8 channels per sector.
- 5) The maximum transmit power from any UMTS sector is 2330.72 Watts Effective Radiated Power (EIRP) assuming 2 channels per sector.
- 6) All the antennas are simultaneously transmitting and receiving, 24 hours a day.
- 7) Power levels emitting from the antennas are increased by a factor of 2.56 to account for possible in-phase reflections from the surrounding environment. This is rarely the case, and if so, is never continuous.
- 8) The average ground level of the studied area does not change significantly with respect to the transmitting location.

Equations given in "FCC OET Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01" were then used with the above information to perform the calculations.

3. Conclusion:

Based on the above worst case assumptions, the power density calculation from the T-Mobile antenna installation on a Monopole at 340 Bloomfield Avenue, Windsor, CT, is 0.04658 mW/cm². This value represents 4.658% of the Maximum Permissible Exposure (MPE) standard of 1 milliwatt per square centimeter (mW/cm²) set forth in the FCC/ANSI/IEEE C95.1-1991. Furthermore, the proposed antenna location for T-Mobile will not interfere with existing public safety communications, AM or FM radio broadcasts, TV, Police Communications, HAM Radio communications or any other signals in the area. The combined Power Density from other carriers is 31.07%. The combined Power Density for the site is 35.728% of the M.P.E. standard.

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Worst Case Power Density

Site: CT11063B
Site Address: 340 Bloomfield Avenue
Town: Windsor
Tower Height: 80 ft.
Tower Style: Monopole

GSM Data		UMTS Data	
Base Station TX output	20 W	Base Station TX output	40 W
Number of channels	8	Number of channels	2
Antenna Model	RR90-17-02DP	Antenna Model	APX16DWW-16DWW
Cable Size	1 5/8 in.	Cable Size	1 5/8 in.
Cable Length	160 ft.	Cable Length	160 ft.
Antenna Height	143.0 ft.	Antenna Height	143.0 ft.
Ground Reflection	1.6	Ground Reflection	1.6
Frequency	1945.0 MHz	Frequency	2.1 GHz
Jumper & Connector loss	4.50 dB	Jumper & Connector loss	1.50 dB
Antenna Gain	16.5 dBi	Antenna Gain	18.0 dBi
Cable Loss per foot	0.0116 dB	Cable Loss per foot	0.0116 dB
Total Cable Loss	1.8560 dB	Total Cable Loss	1.8560 dB
Total Attenuation	6.3560 dB	Total Attenuation	3.3560 dB
Total EIRP per Channel (In Watts)	53.15 dBm 206.74 W	Total EIRP per Channel (In Watts)	60.66 dBm 1165.36 W
Total EIRP per Sector (In Watts)	62.19 dBm 1653.94 W	Total EIRP per Sector (In Watts)	63.67 dBm 2330.72 W
nsg	10.1440	nsg	14.6440
Power Density (S) = 0.019333 mW/cm ²		Power Density (S) = 0.027244 mW/cm ²	
T-Mobile Worst Case % MPE =		4.6577%	

Equation Used :

$$S = \frac{(1000)(grf)^2 (Power) \cdot 10^{(nsg/10)}}{4\pi (R)^2}$$

Office of Engineering and Technology (OET) Bulletin 65, Edition 97-01, August 1997

Co-Location Total

Carrier	% of Standard
Verizon	8.1400 %
Cingular	2.6900 %
Sprint	11.4100 %
AT&T Wireless	
Nextel	
MetroPCS	
Other Antenna Systems	8.8300 %
Total Excluding T-Mobile	31.0700 %
T-Mobile	4.6577
Total % MPE for Site	35.7277%