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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW – Lobby Level
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Applications of AT&T Inc. and Deutsche Telekom AG for
Consent to Assign or Transfer Control of Licenses and Authorizations,
WT Docket No. 11-65**

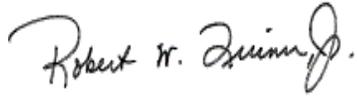
Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Monday, June 6, 2011, Ralph de la Vega, President and Chief Executive Officer-AT&T Mobility and Consumer Markets and Robert Quinn, Senior Vice President-Federal Regulatory and Chief Privacy Officer-AT&T Inc., met with Commissioner Mignon Clyburn and her Legal Advisor, Louis Peraertz to discuss the above-referenced proceeding.

At the meeting, we explained how the proposed merger would benefit the public interest by expanding 4G LTE mobile broadband to more than 97 percent of Americans – approximately 55 million more Americans than under AT&T's current plans – including significant deployment in rural areas of the country. In addition, we explained how the merger will increase network capacity through an integration of the companies' networks, resulting in better service quality for the customers of both companies. We addressed competitor arguments that the merger could result in higher prices by emphasizing the historical trend in the wireless industry of lower prices even after other significant mergers. Mr. de la Vega emphasized that increased spectral efficiency of new technologies has played a large role in lowering consumer rates in the past and is a critical component in this merger as it relates to AT&T's expanded 4G LTE commitment. In addition, we highlighted AT&T's commitment to permit T-Mobile customers to retain their existing plans post-merger. Finally, we discussed the growing support for this merger from a broad array of groups, including labor organizations, governors of 15 states, civil rights groups, disabilities organizations, rural groups, environmental groups, and the high tech community, all of whom have lauded the benefits the expanded 4G LTE mobile broadband infrastructure proposed in this transaction will bring to the American economy. Our statements were consistent with AT&T's prior submissions in this proceeding.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me. Pursuant to section 1.1206 of the Commission's rules, this letter is being filed electronically with the Commission.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Robert W. Quinn, Jr." with a stylized flourish at the end.

Robert W. Quinn, Jr.

cc: Commissioner Mignon Clyburn
Louis Peraertz