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VIA ALTERNATIVE e-FILE

Ms. Sallie Tanner
Executive Secretary
Georgia Public Service Commission
244 Washington St., SW
Atlanta, Georgia 30334-5701
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RE: Docket No. 36946 – Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Repository Docket
Assurance Wireless's 2023 Annual Report

Dear Ms. Tanner:

In accordance with the Commission's Order on Petition for Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("Order") issued on March 18, 2011 in Docket No. 31297, Assurance Wireless USA, L.P. ("Assurance" or "Company") (f/k/a Virgin Mobile USA, L.P.), a wholly-owned subsidiary of T-Mobile USA, Inc. ("T-Mobile"), hereby submits its 2023 Annual Report. An updated map of Assurance's footprint as compared to Assurance's designated exchanges in Georgia is included herewith as **Attachment 1**. There were no instances in which Assurance refused to serve a qualifying Lifeline customer. The actual amount of total federal Lifeline USF funds received by Assurance in 2023 for Georgia is $7,059,288.00. The list of wire centers in which Assurance is designated as an ETC in Georgia is the same as Attachment 1 to the Commission's September 11, 2014 Order Amending ETC Designation in Docket 31297, as amended by the Commission's June 22, 2015 Order Amending ETC Designation in that same docket, and said lists are incorporated herein by reference. Regarding expenses associated with the wire centers, T-Mobile has no Assurance-specific expenses incurred by wire center in Georgia, and the federal Lifeline USF receipts received by Assurance due to its ETC status in Georgia are not used to build out T-Mobile's Georgia network.

In addition, Assurance is filing in a sealed envelope a **TRADE SECRET** version of **Attachment 2**, which includes Assurance's estimated total federal Lifeline USF funds to be received by the Company for Georgia in 2024. The unredacted **Attachment 2** is hereby filed under protective seal with the designation "**TRADE SECRET**" displayed. This information is proprietary, sensitive in nature, and would provide competitors a way by which to easily derive Assurance's projected Georgia Lifeline customer count for 2024, and thus the Company's projected customer growth in Georgia for 2024. If disclosed publicly, this information would be of strategic value to Assurance's competitors, and Assurance would have no way to obtain similar strategic information regarding its competitors. Accordingly, Assurance respectfully submits the unredacted **Attachment 2** to the Commission pursuant to Commission Rule 515-3-1-.11 ("Trade Secrets").

This filing is being made using the Commission's Alternative Electronic Filing Procedures ("Procedures"). An original electronic version of this letter, along with **Attachment 1**, the Public Disclosure version of **Attachment 2**, and the affidavit required by O.C.G.A. Section 50-18-72(a)(34) are included in the electronic filing. A paper Public Disclosure version of the filing, as well as a **TRADE SECRET** version of **Attachment 2** in a sealed envelope, are being sent to the Commission today via overnight delivery, and the overnight package will include a copy of the email confirmation as requested in the Procedures. Thank you for your assistance, and please call me if you have any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

ADAMS AND REESE LLP

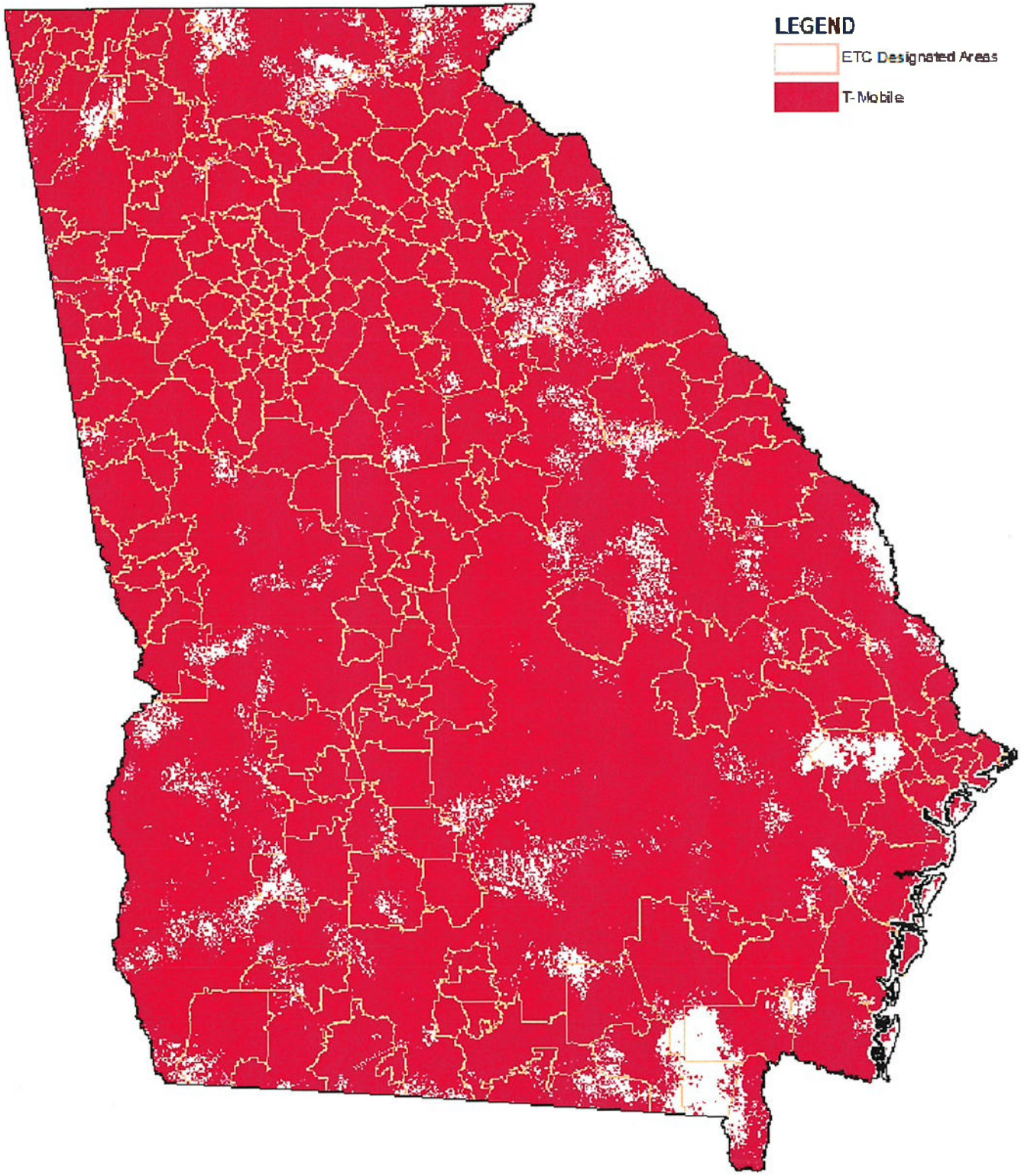
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Attachments

cc: Mr. Patrick Reinhardt (via email)
Michelle Lama, Esq. (via email)

ATTACHMENT 1



PUBLIC DISCLOSURE VERSION

Attachment 2

The estimated total federal funds to be received by Virgin Mobile in 2024 for Georgia is

*****[BEGIN TRADE SECRET]***** *****[END TRADE SECRET]*****

BEFORE THE

GEORGIA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In Re:

Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Repository Docket	))	Docket No. 36946

AFFIDAVIT

Personally appearing before me, the undersigned officer duly authorized to administer oaths, Larry Weians, who upon being sworn, deposes and states as follows:

1. My name is Larry Weians. I am over the age of 18 and am competent to testify to the matters contained herein. I am sponsoring this Affidavit based upon my own personal knowledge and upon my review of the relevant documents. This Affidavit is being submitted in accordance with the requirements of O.C.G.A. Section 50-18-72(a)(34).
2. I am Vice President, Tax for T-Mobile Corporation ("T-Mobile"), and in my current position, I prepare and cause to be filed certain required state and federal regulatory reports for various T-Mobile entities, including Assurance Wireless USA, L.P. (Assurance Wireless). In this capacity, I am familiar with the regulatory reports that Assurance Wireless files with the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC"), the Universal Service Administrative Company ("USAC"), and certain state public service commissions, including Georgia.
3. I have reviewed the Trade Secret and Public Disclosure versions of the attached report.

4. The proprietary information included in the Trade Secret version of the report is a "trade secret" as that term is defined in O.C.G.A. Section 10-1-761(4), and has been redacted accordingly in the Public Disclosure version.

5. Further, Affiant saith not.

Larry Weians

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this 28 day of March, 2024.

DANA D GILLIS
Notary Public, State of Kansas
My Appointment Expires
1/25/27

Dana D. Gillis
Notary Public
My commission expires: 1/25/27