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Mr. Scott Scheele Chief Telecommunication & Broadband Section Anti-Trust Division US Department of Justice 450 Fifth Street NW Suite 7000, Liberty Square Building Washington, DC 20530

Dear Chief Scheele:

NE Colorado Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Viaero Wireless ("Viaero") appreciates the Department of Justice in promoting a vibrant and innovative wireless industry that serves the interests of the American people. Viaero operates in Colorado, Nebraska, Kansas, South Dakota and Wyoming, working tirelessly to bring mobile broadband service to un-served, underserved and rural communities.

As you may know, when T-Mobile's customers leave the T-Mobile service area, they often roam on Viaero's network in our service area. Likewise, many of our customers depend on T-Mobile's network when they travel outside of our service area to access mobile voice and broadband services. For nearly 20 years, T-Mobile has been our roaming partner, we have found them to always be reasonable and fair to deal with.

The merger of T-Mobile and Sprint will directly benefit consumers and rural carriers like Viaero.<sup>1</sup>

Accordingly, Viaero supports the merger of T-Mobile and Sprint.

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Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> See, Comments of NE Colorado Cellular, Inc., d/b/a Viaero Wireless, WT Docket No. 18-197 (Aug. 23, 2018), available at:

https://ecfsapi.fcc.gov/file/10823765702540/Viaero%20Comments%20Supporting%20TMobile%20signed%208.23. 2018.pdf

