

BEFORE THE KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION KANSAS CORPORATION COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Application of Sprint §
Nextel Corporation for Approval of the §
Transfer of Control of United Telephone §
Company of Kansas, United Telephone §
Company of Eastern Kansas, United §
Telephone Company of South central §
Kansas, Sprint Missouri, Inc., d/b/a United §
Telephone Company Southeastern Kansas, and §
Sprint Long Distance Inc., from Sprint Nextel §
Corporation to LTD Holding Company §

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No. 06-SCCC-200-MIS

COMMUNICATIONS WORKERS OF AMERICA PETITION FOR INTERVENTION

COMES NOW, Communications Workers of America, (hereinafter "CWA") and hereby petitions to intervene in the above matter.

I. Party

CWA is a labor organization as defined in the National Labor Relations Act and doing business in the State of Kansas, with its principal office located at 2600 Via Fortuna, Suite 260, Austin Texas 78746, Travis County, Texas.

II. CWA's Position

CWA has an interest in this matter because CWA and Sprint Nextel Corporation d/b/a Sprint United Telephone of Kansas ("Sprint Nextel") are signatories to a collective bargaining agreement that includes employment terms and conditions for a unit of employees who are also CWA's members. CWA is the exclusive bargaining representative for said unit of employees. Any application to transfer control of Sprint Nextel's assets or property would impact CWA and its members.


CWA's interest in these proceedings is not represented by any existing party. Its participation in these proceedings will contribute to a just result. Granting this Request in Intervention will not unduly delay these proceedings or unjustly prejudice any existing party.

III. Conclusion

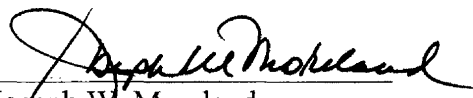
For these reasons, CWA requests that the Commission grant it leave to intervene and be made a party to this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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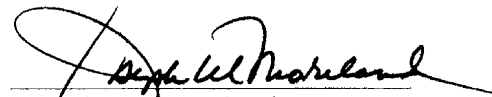
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