STATE OF CONNECTICUT CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF NEW CINGULAR
WIRELESS PCS, LLC (AT&T) FOR A
CERTIFICATE OF ENVIRONMENTAL
COMPATIBILITY AND PUBLIC NEED FOR
THE CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE
AND OPERATION OF TWO
TELECOMMUNICATIONS TOWER
FACILITY LOCATED AT 1990
LITCHFIELD TURNPIKE IN THE TOWN OF
WOODBRIDGE, CONNECTICUT

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PRE-FILED TESTIMONY OF KEVIN DEY

1.Q. Mr. Dey, please summarize your professional background and role for AT&T.

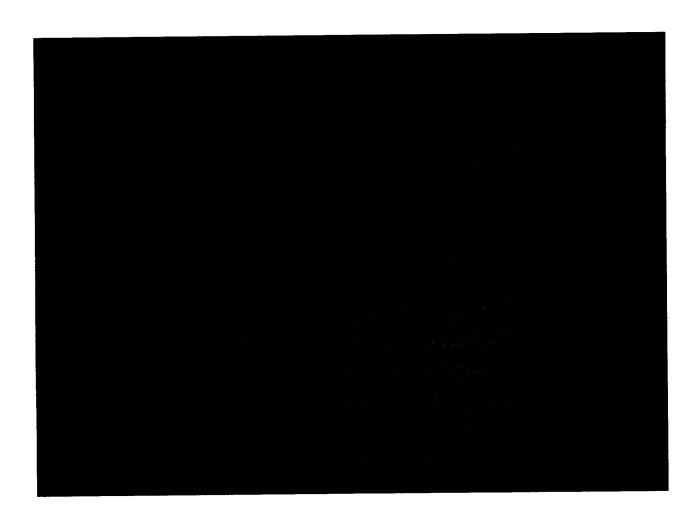
A. I am a consultant for SAI, a company hired by AT&T to acquire wireless telecommunications sites. My current responsibilities include identifying and selecting sites for AT&T in the areas where AT&T has gaps in coverage. Once sites have been identified, I handle lease negotiations and siting issues to secure sites for AT&T to improve and enhance its service. My resume is attached which details my qualifications and prior experience in the field.

2.Q. What is the purpose of your testimony?

- A. The purpose of this testimony is to provide additional background information relating to the Application of New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC ("AT&T") to the Connecticut Siting Council for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the proposed facility in Southbury. Specifically, I am providing additional information regarding AT&T's site search and communications with various town officials and property owners regarding the proposed tower facility at 1990 Litchfield Turnpike in Woodbridge.
- 3.Q. Did you speak with Town Officials or Town Staff prior to and subsequent to the filing of the Application?
- A. Yes. As part of the site search process I spoke with ZEO Terry Gilbertson and Kristine Sullivan, Land Use Analyst, regarding the project. AT&T made some changes to the proposed compound and grading in response to comments received in order to further minimize ground disturbance. In addition AT&T appeared before the Planning

and Zoning Commission in July 2009 prior to the filing of the Application and subsequent to the filing of the Application appeared before the Town of Woodbridge Board of Selectmen in October 2009 to provide information and answer questions regarding the proposed Facility.

- 4.Q. <u>Did AT&T post a sign giving notice of the balloon float, site visit and Siting Council hearing scheduled for January 12th?</u>
- A. Yes. On December 28, 2009 a sign was posted at the driveway entrance to 1990 Litchfield Turnpike. The sign indicated that an application for a telecommunications facility had been submitted and provided notice that on January 12^h, a balloon float and site visit would be conducted at 1990 Litchfield Turnpike and that the Siting Council hearing would be held on the application on the same day at 4 Meetinghouse Lane. A picture of the posted sign is attached.



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