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WIRELESS TELECOMMUNICATIONS BUREAU GRANTS REQUEST OF DAVID MICHELMAN, TRUSTEE, TO EXTEND DIVESTITURE TRUST

WT Docket No. 01-315

Pursuant to sections 4(i) and 310(d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended,¹ and sections 0.331 and 22.942 of the Commission's rules,² the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau ("Bureau") grants the request of David Michelman, Trustee, to extend for 180 days the duration of the wireless asset divestiture trust involving disposition of AT&T Wireless Services, Inc. ("AT&T Wireless") spectrum exceeding the CMRS spectrum aggregation limit.³ No comments were filed in response to the public notice of the Trustee's request for extension.⁴

The Bureau finds that extending the trust under these circumstances serves the public interest and grants the extension through Monday, April 7, 2003.

Pursuant to section 1.103 of the Commission's rules,⁵ the consent granted herein is effective upon release of this Public Notice. Pursuant to sections 1.106(f) and 1.115(a) of the Commission's rules,⁶ petitions for reconsideration and applications for review may be filed within thirty days of the release of this public notice.

For further information, contact Lauren Kravetz Patrich or Erin McGrath, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, Commercial Wireless Division, at (202) 418-7240.

¹ 47 U.S.C. §§ 154(i), 310(d).

² 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.331, 22.942

³ See 47 C.F.R. § 20.6. AT&T Wireless exceeded the spectrum aggregation limit as a result of the transfer of control of licenses held by TeleCorp PCS, Inc. and its various wholly-owned subsidiaries to AT&T Wireless, and was permitted to place the spectrum in a trust for purposes of divestiture. See Wireless Telecommunications Bureau and International Bureau Grant Consent for Transfer of Control or Assignment of Licenses from TeleCorp PCS, Inc. to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc., Public Notice, WT Docket No. 01-315, 17 FCC Rcd. 2383 (2002).

⁴ See David Michelman, Trustee, Seeks Extension of Wireless Assets Trust, *Public Notice*, WT Docket No. 01-35, DA 02-2339 (WTB rel. Sept. 24, 2002).

⁵ 47 C.F.R. § 1.103.

⁶ 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.106(f), 1.115(a).