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The Honorable Julius Genachowski
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Re: Applications of AT&T Inc. and Verizon Wireless, WT Docket No. 09-104

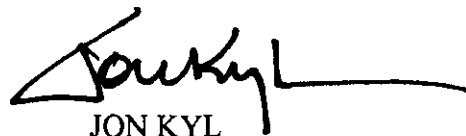
Dear Chairman and Commissioners:

I am writing to urge you to render a decision on the application submitted by AT&T to purchase wireless systems from Verizon Wireless that would serve 1.5 million customers in mostly rural communities across 18 states, including parts of Gila and Pinal counties in Arizona, where AT&T currently has little or no presence.

It is my understanding that AT&T filed its application on May 22, 2009, and the FCC still has not rendered a final opinion. I ask that you review the matter and provide the entities involved with a final decision in a timely fashion, as you would for other comparably situated companies with business before the Commission.

Naturally, I neither request nor expect you or your colleagues to take any action that would contravene applicable statutory and administrative guidelines. Thank you very much for your attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



JON KYL
United States Senator

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