

LUKAS, NACE, GUTIERREZ & SACHS

CHARTERED

1111 NINETEENTH STREET, N.W.

SUITE 1200

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20036

(202) 857-3500

RUSSELL D. LUKAS
DAVID L. NACE
THOMAS GUTIERREZ
ELIZABETH R. SACHS
GEORGE L. LYON, JR.
JOEL R. KASWELL
PAMELA L. GIST
DAVID A. LAFURIA
J. JUSTIN McCLURE
MARILYN SUCHECKI MENSE
PAMELA GAARY HOLRAN
B. LYNN F. RATNAVALE
ELIZABETH H. CRONISE*

* NOT ADMITTED IN D.C.

* ADMITTED ONLY IN VIRGINIA

CONSULTING ENGINEERS
THOMAS G. ADCOCK, P.E.
MEHRAN NAZARI
ALI KUZEHKANANI
LEROY A. ADAM
LEILA REZANAVAZ

OF COUNSEL
JOHN J. MCAVOY
J.K. HAGE III⁺

TELECOPIER
(202) 842-4485

Email: tngs@fcclaw.com
<http://www.fcclaw.com>

WRITER'S DIRECT DIAL
(202) 828-9479

November 17, 1998

Federal Communications Commission
Experimental Radio Service
P.O. Box 358320
Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15251-5320

Re: SkyTel Communications, Inc.
FCC Form 442 - Application of Experimental
Radio Station Authorization

Dear Sir or Madam:

On behalf of SkyTel Communications, Inc. ("SkyTel") and pursuant to Part 5 of the Commission's rules, we are submitting an application on FCC Form 442 requesting grant of an Experimental Radio Station Authorization to permit SkyTel to operate over a second 50 KHz 940 MHz channel in order to permit further testing and improvement of its Narrowband PCS service as further detailed in the FCC Form 442 and accompanying exhibits.

We have enclosed a check made payable to the Federal Communications Commission in the amount of \$45.00 to cover the statutorily required filing fee.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter and should any questions arise, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



J. Justin McClure

Enclosure
cc: Neal Smith