



Partners will initiate calls from locations within the United States to other countries, and will terminate calls from foreign locations in the United States. Nextel Partners seeks to do so in order to better serve its customers by offering a full range of calling options. By providing international calling services, Nextel Partners also will be able to offer its customers valuable additional functionality at competitive prices.

By granting this application of Nextel Partners there will be additional competition that will benefit consumers of international telecommunications services. Specifically, the benefits of competition include lower prices, greater consumer choice among service providers and the availability of a wider variety of service options. Consequently, the grant of this authorization is consistent with the public interest.

In support of Nextel Partners' request for authorization, the following information is submitted pursuant to Section 63.18 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §63.18:

- (a) The name, address, and telephone number of the applicant:  
NEXTEL PARTNERS, INC.  
4500 Carillon Point  
Kirkland, WA 98033  
(425) 576-3600
- (b) Nextel Partners is a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware.
- (c) Correspondence concerning this application should be sent to:

Albert J. Catalano, Esq.  
Matthew J. Plache, Esq.  
CATALANO & PLACHE, PLLC  
3221 M Street, NW  
Washington, DC 20007  
Telephone: (202) 338-3200  
Facsimile: (202) 338-1700

Donald Manning  
Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary  
4500 Carillon Point  
Kirkland, WA 98033  
Telephone: (425) 576-3600  
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- (d) Neither Nextel Partners, nor any of its subsidiaries, has previously received authority under Section 214 to provide international services.
- (e) Nextel Partners requests Section 214 authority to operate as a resale carrier pursuant to the terms and conditions of Section 63.18(e)(2) of the Commission's rules. Specifically, Nextel Partners proposes to resell international services of authorized common carriers pursuant to tariff or contract duly filed with the Commission, for the provision of international basic switched, private line, data and business service to all international points, as authorized by the Commission. Nextel Partners is not requesting authorization to construct any facilities between the points for which it is applying to provide resold services.
- (f) At this time, Nextel Partners seeks no other authorization available under Section 63.18(e).
- (g) As previously noted, Nextel Partners does not plan to construct any new facilities; the necessary facilities will be provided by the underlying facilities-based carriers, pursuant to their FCC authorization.
- (h) Nextel Partners certifies that it is not a foreign carrier and is not affiliated with any foreign or U.S. facilities-based carrier. In support of this certification, Nextel Partners submits the following information of its ten percent or greater direct and indirect shareholders or other equity holders:

The entities holding 10 percent or more of Nextel Partners' voting stock are as follows:

<u>Name/Address</u>	<u>Citizenship</u>	<u>% Of Stock Held</u>
Madison Dearborn Capital Partners II, LP 3 First National Plaza Suite 3800 Chicago, IL 60602	Domestic Entity	Approximately 11 % (Common A)
DLJ Entities 277 Park Avenue New York, NY 10172	Domestic and Foreign Entities <sup>2</sup>	Approximately 12 % (Common A)
Nextel WIP Corp. 2001 Edmund Haley Dr. Reston, VA 20191 <sup>3</sup>	Domestic Entity	Approximately 32 % (Common B)

The names and addresses of Nextel Partners' president and directors are as follows:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Address</u>
John Chapple	President, Chief Executive Officer And Chairman of the Board	NEXTEL PARTNERS, INC. 4500 Carillon Point Kirkland, WA 98033
Steven B. Dodge	Director	American Tower Corp. 116 Huntington Avenue Boston, MA 02116
Timothy Donahue	Director	Nextel Communications, Inc. 2001 Edmund Halley Drive Reston, VA 20191
Andrew Rush	Director	DLJ Merchant Banking 277 Park Avenue New York, NY 10172

<sup>2</sup> The DLJ Entities are comprised of 12 separate investment funds. None of these separate funds owns more than 10% of Nextel Partners and none holds a controlling interest in any foreign carrier, including any dominant foreign carrier or foreign carrier that controls bottleneck facilities.

<sup>3</sup> Nextel WIP Corp. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Nextel Communications, Inc. ("Nextel"). On September 18, 1997 Nextel was granted Section 214 authorization to resell the international telecommunications services of other common carriers between the United States and various international points. Nextel's affiliations with foreign carriers, all of whom are wireless carriers and none of whom are dominant foreign carriers or control bottleneck facilities, is a matter of public record. See File No. ITC-97-427.

Andrew Sinwell Director

Madison Dearborn Capital  
Partners  
3 First National Plaza,  
Suite 3800  
Chicago, IL 60602

Dennis Weibling Director

Eagle River  
2300 Carillon Point  
Kirkland, WA 98033

(i) Nextel Partners certifies that it has not agreed to accept special concessions, directly or indirectly, from any foreign carrier or administration and will not enter into such agreements in the future.

(j) Nextel Partners certifies that no party to this application has been denied any federal benefits pursuant to Section 5301 of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988.

**Conclusion**

As demonstrated in this application, Nextel Partners is legally, financially and technically qualified to provide the services for which it requests authority. For all of the reasons stated above, Nextel Partners respectfully requests that the Commission grant this application.

Dated: April 30, 2001

Respectfully Submitted,

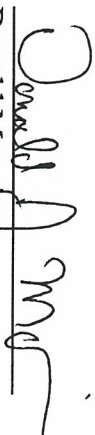


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**STATEMENT OF VERIFICATION**

On this 30th day of April, 2001, I, Donald Manning, under penalty of perjury, hereby declare that I am an officer of Nextel Partners, Inc. and that the facts stated in this Application are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.



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May 9, 2001

**VIA FAX**

Fran Eisenstein, Esquire  
Federal Communications Commission  
International Bureau  
Telecommunications Division  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: International Section 214 Application of Nextel Partners, Inc.

Dear Ms. Eisenstein:

On May 1, 2001, Nextel Partners, Inc. ("Nextel Partners") filed an application for Section 214 Authorization. This letter supplements the ownership information of Madison Dearborn Capital Partners, II, LP and Nextel WTP Corp. provided in that application. The ownership information is as follows:

Madison Dearborn Capital Partners II, LP  
(Domestic Limited Partnership)  
3 First National Plaza  
Suite 3800  
Chicago, IL 60602

The General Partner of Madison Dearborn Capital Partners II, LP is  
Madison Dearborn Partners II, LP  
(Domestic Limited Partnership)  
3 First National Plaza  
Suite 3800  
Chicago, IL 60602

The General Partner of Madison Dearborn Partners II, LP is  
Madison Dearborn Partners, Inc.  
(Delaware Corporation with no foreign ownership)  
3 First National Plaza  
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Chicago, IL 60602

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2001 Edmund Haley Dr.  
Reston, VA 20191

Nextel WIP Corp. is a wholly owned subsidiary of Nextel Communications, Inc.  
("Nextel")  
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Reston, VA 20191

The entities holding more than 10 percent of Nextel's voting stock are:

Motorola, Inc., a Domestic Corporation (approximately 14.2%)  
1303 E. Algonquin Rd.  
Schaumburg, IL 80196

Digital Radio, LLC, a Domestic Corporation controlled by Craig McCaw  
(approximately 10.3%)  
2320 Carillion Point  
Kirkland, WA 98033

Craig McCaw, a United States citizen, is the only shareholder of Digital Radio,  
LLC with more than 10% of the voting stock  
2300 Carillion Point  
Kirkland, WA 98033

Should you have any questions regarding the above, please do not hesitate to  
contact me.

Sincerely,



Albert J. Catalano  
Counsel For Nextel Partners, Inc.