

Public Interest Statement
Exhibit F

Because DT already has *de facto* control of T-Mobile, the anticipated increase in DT's aggregate shareholdings to 50 percent or more would be considered a *pro forma* transfer of the licenses held by Licensee.² The Commission has stated that, in situations "where no substantial change of control will result from the transfer or assignment, grant of the application is deemed presumptively in the public interest."³

² See *Metromedia, Inc.*, 98 F.C.C.2d 300, ¶9 (1984), *reconsideration denied*, 56 R.R.2d 1198 (1984), *appeal dismissed sub nom. California Ass'n of the Physically Handicapped v. FCC*, 778 F.2d 823 (D.C. Cir. 1985) ("[T]his transaction will not result in a substantial change of control regardless of the amount of stock being transferred. Thus, where a "passed upon" individual is going from *de facto* control to *de jure* control, the use of a short form is appropriate because such transactions do not involve a substantial change of control.").

³ *In re Fed. Communications Bar Ass'n's Petition for Forbearance from Section 310(d) of the Communications Act Regarding Non-Substantial Assignments of Wireless Licenses & Transfers of Control Involving Telecomms. Carriers*, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 13 FCC Rcd. 6293, ¶ 2 (1998) ("there is no need for additional public interest review of the application, because the person or entity retaining ultimate control of the license was subject to prior public interest review and approval by the Commission when it was originally awarded the license"). See also *1998 Biennial Review – Review of International Common Carrier Regulations*, Report and Order, 14 FCC Rcd 4909, ¶ 42 (1999) (finding that "[r]egulatory review of [pro forma] transactions yields no significant public interest benefits, but may delay or hinder transactions that could provide substantial financial, operational, or administrative benefits for carriers.").

Ownership of Applicant

Following the transaction, the following entities will hold a ten percent or greater equity and/or voting interest, or a controlling interest, in Sprint Communications Company. L.P. ("SCCLP"), the licensee:

Name: Sprint Communications LLC ("Sprint Communications")
Address: 12502 Sunrise Valley Drive
Reston, VA 20196
Citizenship: U.S.
Type of Organization: Limited Liability Company
Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services
Percentage Held: Sprint Communications holds a direct 95.06 percent general partner interest in SCCLP.

Name: Sprint LLC ("Sprint")
Address: 12502 Sunrise Valley Drive
Reston, VA 20196
Citizenship: U.S.
Type of Organization: Limited Liability Company
Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services
Percentage Held: Sprint holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in Sprint Communications as well as a 100 percent equity and voting interest in Utelcom LLC, which holds a direct 4.94 percent limited partner interest in SCCLP. As such, Sprint has a 100 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: T-Mobile USA, Inc. ("T-Mobile")
Address: 12920 SE 38th Street
Bellevue, WA 98006
Citizenship: U.S.
Type of Organization: Corporation
Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services
Percentage Held: T-Mobile holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in Sprint. As such, T-Mobile has a 100 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: T-Mobile US, Inc. ("T-Mobile US")
Address: 12920 SE 38th Street
Bellevue, WA 98006
Citizenship: U.S.
Type of Organization: Corporation
Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services

Percentage Held: T-Mobile US holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in T-Mobile. As such, T-Mobile US has a 100 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: Deutsche Telekom Holding B.V. ("DT Holding")

Address: Stationsplein 8-K, Office Number 809
6221 BT Maastricht
Netherlands

Place of Organization: Netherlands

Type of Organization: Corporation

Principal Business: Holding company

Percentage Held: DT Holding holds approximately a 42.95 percent direct equity and voting interest in T-Mobile US. As such, DT Holding has a 42.95 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: T-Mobile Global Holding GmbH ("T-Mobile Holding")

Address: Landgrabenweg 151
Bonn, Germany 53227

Citizenship: Germany

Type of Organization: Corporation

Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services

Percentage Held: T-Mobile Holding holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in DT Holding. As such, T-Mobile Holding has a 42.95 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: T-Mobile Global Zwischenholding GmbH ("T-Mobile Global")

Address: Friedrich-Ebert-Allee 140
Bonn, Germany

Citizenship: Germany

Type of Organization: Corporation

Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services

Percentage Held: T-Mobile Global holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in T-Mobile Holding. As such, T-Mobile Global has a 42.95 percent attributable equity and voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: Deutsche Telekom AG ("DT")

Address: Friedrich-Ebert-Allee 140
Bonn, Germany

Citizenship: Germany

Type of Organization: Corporation

Principal Business: Telecommunications and information services

Percentage Held: DT holds a direct 100 percent equity and voting interest in T-Mobile Global and, following the proposed transaction, will increase its direct equity and voting interest in T-Mobile US from 5.30 percent to over 7 percent – giving it an attributable stake in T-Mobile of just over 50 percent. DT already has *de facto* control of T-Mobile US – and thus of SCCLP – as a result of a proxy agreement which authorizes DT to vote a majority of the stock of T-Mobile US. Accordingly, following the transaction, DT will have both *de jure* and *de facto* control of SCCLP.

Name: Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (“KfW”)
Address: Palmengartenstrasse 5-9
 Frankfurt, Germany 60325
Citizenship: Germany
Type of Organization: Public law institution (*Anstalt des öffentlichen Rechts*)
Principal Business: Promotional banking
Percentage Held: KfW, a bank controlled by the German government and federal states, holds approximately 16.63 percent of the ownership interests of DT. As such, following the transaction, KfW will be deemed to hold approximately a 8.4 percent attributable equity interest and a 16.63 percent attributable voting interest in SCCLP.

Name: Federal Republic of Germany (“FRG”)
Address: c/o Federal Ministry of Finance
 Wilhelmstr 97
 Berlin, Germany 10117
Citizenship: Germany
Type of Organization: Government entity
Principal Business: Government
Percentage Held: FRG directly holds approximately 13.83 percent of the ownership interests of DT. FRG also directly holds 80 percent of the ownership interests in KfW which, as described above, holds approximately 16.63 percent of the ownership interests in DT. As such, following the transaction, FRG will be deemed to hold approximately a 13.6 percent attributable equity interest and a 30.46 percent attributable voting interest in SCCLP.

No other individual or entity will hold directly or indirectly a ten percent or greater equity and/or voting interest in SCCLP.