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State of New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission

Docket No. DT 10-025 FairPoint Communications, Inc., et al.

Respondent: Michael Skrivan

Title: Vice President, Regulatory

Affairs

REQUEST:

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ITEM: CLECS-17

Does FairPoint agree that its pending request for waivers of the PAP in

Docket No. DT 09-059 creates additional regulatory uncertainty for

interconnecting parties?

REPLY:

No, FairPoint does not agree. FairPoint's requests are legitimate

requests. FairPoint's petition in Docket 09-059 creates no more

uncertainty than any other legitimate petition requesting relief from the

Commission.