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August 23, 2010

Teresa R. Rosenberger State President-NH FairPoint Communications, Inc. 900 Elm Street, Suite 1611 Manchester, NH 03101

Re: DT 10-221, FairPoint Communications, Inc. Special Contract for Service with Kennedy Information

Dear Ms. Rosenberger:

This letter serves as an acknowledgement of FairPoint Communications, Inc.'s Filing of its Special Contract between FairPoint Communications, Inc. and Kennedy Information, received August 20, 2010. Please reference the docket number cited above on any additional material to be filed in this matter. All filings should consist of seven (7) copies of both the cover letter and any associated material.

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Very truly yours,

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