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Ms. Debra A. Howland
Executive Director & Secretary
New Hampshire Public Utilities Commission
21 South Fruit Street, Suite 10
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

**Re: DT 14-123 FairPoint Numbering Petition; Request for Waiver of New Hampshire
Public Utilities Commission (the “Commission”) Rule 203.02(a)(1)**

Dear Ms. Howland:

Northern New England Telephone Operations LLC d/b/a FairPoint Communications – NNE (“FairPoint”) hereby files a waiver request of certain filing requirements described in Rule Puc 203.02(a)(1).

By way of background, FairPoint filed a Petition on May 9, 2014 requesting the Commission overturn recent Neustar numbering denials. This submission was later docketed in docket number DT 14-123. As part of this Numbering Petition, FairPoint requested relief of certain filing requirements as described in Rule Puc 203.02(a)(1). On May 12, 2014, the Commission requested that FairPoint file a specific request for this waiver.

Pursuant to Rules Puc 201.05 and Puc 202.01(d), FairPoint hereby requests relief of the requirement to file six (6) paper copies of the Numbering Petition submission made on May 9, 2014 and later docketed in docket number DT 14-123. FairPoint’s initial submission is approximately one hundred and three (103) pages in length. In light of the fact that FairPoint has submitted an electronic version of the filing, and in the interest of resource conservation, it does not seem necessary and prudent to print and submit six (6) additional copies. For this reason, FairPoint believes that (1) the waiver serves the public interest; and (2) the waiver will not disrupt the orderly and efficient resolution of matters before the Commission. Accordingly, FairPoint hereby requests relief of the reproduction requirement in Puc Rule 203.02(a)(1).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'RPT' followed by a stylized flourish.

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Enclosures: Service List

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