

FairPoint Communications, Inc.
State of New Hampshire
Docket No. DT 07-011

Respondent: Michael Haga
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Operations Support Systems

REQUEST: New England Cable and Telecommunications Association, Inc. and
Comcast Phone Of New Hampshire, LLC

DATED: June 11, 2007

ITEM: NECTA/CPNH
FDR III-10 Please provide, in detail, FairPoint and Verizon's contingency
plans in the event that any new systems that FairPoint intends to
implement do not function as planned after Cutover, and describe
such plans. Please state whether, after cutover, it will be possible
to continue to use or revert to the Verizon systems in the event the
new FairPoint systems do not function as planned.

REPLY: In view of the work and testing to be done prior to the giving of the
Notice of Readiness for Cutover, FairPoint does not believe that
there will be a loss of functionality. It will not be possible, after
cutover, to use or revert to the Verizon systems. As part of
planning for operations post-cutover, FairPoint will develop
potential work-arounds to be utilized in the event of loss of
functionality.