THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

DT 14-240 DIXVILLE TELEPHONE COMPANY Petition for Approval to Discontinue Operations

PETITION FOR INTERVENTION OF NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC

New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC ("AT&T Mobility") hereby requests that the Commission allow it to intervene as a party, in the above-captioned matter, pursuant to RSA 541-A:32, Puc 203.17, and the September 26, 2014 Order of Notice issued by the Commission. The Commission should grant this request because AT&T Mobility's rights, privileges and other interests may be substantially and directly affected by the Commission's actions in this proceeding. In support of this petition, AT&T Mobility states as follows:

- 1. Dixville Telephone Company ("Dixville") filed a Petition for Approval to Discontinue Operations pursuant to RSA 372:28, seeking to discontinue all of its local telephone operations in New Hampshire.
- 2. AT&T Mobility orders special access service from Dixville. AT&T Mobility believes that it may be the wholesale customer referenced in the redacted testimony of Ann Walsh. See page 3, line 20 through page 4, line 2. Ms. Walsh also referenced Dixville Tariff NH PUC No. 3 in response to the question of how many wholesale lines it has in service. See page 4, lines 3 through 5.
- 3. Dixville is an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") in New Hampshire. Dixville's Petition does not state that it has sought to relinquish its status as an ETC in accordance with 47 U.S.C. § 214(e)(4) or 47 C.F.R. § 54.205 (Relinquishment of universal service).
- 4. Given the substantial effect this proceeding would have on AT&T Mobility's interests, AT&T Mobility's Petition to Intervene should be granted.
 - 5. Copies of all pleadings and other materials should be provided to the following:

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WHEREFORE, AT&T Mobility requests that the Commission grant its petition for intervention in this proceeding.

Dated: October 24, 2014

Respectfully submitted,
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 24, 2014, a copy of the foregoing Petition of AT&T for Late Intervention was sent by electronic mail to persons named on the service List of this docket.

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