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RE: **DOCKET NO. 323** - MCF Communications bg, Inc. and Omnipoint Communications, Inc. application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 12 Carpenter Road, Bolton, Connecticut.

Dear Attorney Baldwin:

The Connecticut Siting Council (Council) requests your responses to the enclosed questions no later than January 11, 2007. To help expedite the Council's review, please file individual responses as soon as they are available.

Please forward an original and 15 copies to this office and a .pdf file on a compact disc. In accordance with the State Solid Waste Management Plan, the Council is requesting that all filings be submitted on recyclable paper, primarily regular weight white office paper. Please avoid using heavy stock paper, colored paper, and metal or plastic binders and separators. A list of parties and intervenors dated December 27, 2006 is enclosed. Fewer copies of bulk material may be provided as appropriate.

Yours very truly,

S. Derek Phelps
Executive Director

c: Council Members
Parties and Intervenors



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DOCKET NO. 323
PRE-HEARING INTERROGATORIES
CELLCO PARTNERSHIP D/B/A VERIZON WIRELESS (VERIZON)

1. Has Verizon received all return receipts for abutting landowners that were sent notice of the proposed increased height? If not, did Verizon make any additional attempts to send notice to these landowners?
2. Have the Towns of Bolton and/or Manchester commented on Verizon's proposed increased tower height?
3. Please provide the Affidavit of Publication of the legal notice published in the Hartford Courant and the Journal Inquirer.
4. Describe the discrepancy between the Verizon's Viewshed Analysis and the Viewshed Analysis provided by the Applicants in their response to Council pre-hearing interrogatory number 21.
5. What is the operating frequency and minimum signal level threshold that Verizon is planning to use in this area?
6. Provide antenna specifications, including type, make, size, model, number of channels, and maximum power output. Indicate the proposed antenna height, number of antennas and antenna mounting configuration planned for the site.
7. Provide a worst case power density analysis for radio frequency emissions for Verizon's antennas at the proposed height on the tower. Please use the following equation.

$$\frac{(1.64)(.64)(\# \text{ of channels})(\text{power in watts/channel})(1000 \text{ mW/W})}{3.14 [(\text{distance from antenna to ground in feet})(30.49 \text{ cm/foot})]^2}$$

8. Would Verizon require an emergency generator at the proposed site?
9. Provide information on the number of dropped calls Verizon is experiencing in this area.
10. At what signal level would Verizon drop a call?
11. Provide radio frequency propagation plots for Verizon at 130 feet on the proposed tower at the same scale and signal level thresholds as provided in the Supplemental Information filed on Behalf of Verizon.

LIST OF PARTIES AND INTERVENORS
SERVICE LIST

Status Granted	Status Holder (name, address & phone number)	Representative (name, address & phone number)
Applicant	<p>MCF Communications 668 Main Street Suite 114 Wilmington, MA 01887</p> <p>Omipoint Communications Inc. 20 Cold Spring Harbor Rocky Hill, CT 06067</p>	<p>Julie Kohler, Esq. Carrie Larson, Esq. Cohen and Wolf, P.C. 1115 Broad Street Bridgeport, CT 06604</p>
Intervenor <i>(if approved on 1/4/07)</i>	Sprint Nextel Corporation	<p>Thomas Regan Brown Rudnick Berlack Israrel's LLP City Place I, 185 Asylum Avenue Hartford, CT 06103-3402</p>
Intervenor <i>(if approved on 1/4/07)</i>	Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless	<p>Kenneth C. Baldwin Robinson and Cole LLP 280 Trumbull Street Hartford, CT 06103-3597</p>
Intervenor <i>(if approved on 1/4/07)</i>	New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC	<p>Christopher B. Fisher, Esq. Cuddy and Feder LLP 445 Hamilton Avenue, 14th Floor White Plains, NY 10601</p>