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DATE: May 31, 2011

TO: All Parties and Intervenors

FROM: Robert Stein, Chairman *Robert Stein*  
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RE: **DOCKET NO. 409** - New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC application for a Certificate of Environmental Compatibility and Public Need for the construction, maintenance and operation of a telecommunications facility located at 8 Barnes Road, Canaan (Falls Village), Connecticut.

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As you are aware, during the public comment session for the above-referenced application pending before the Connecticut Siting Council (Council) held on February 17, 2011, Ms. Elaine LaBella spoke in opposition of the proposal on behalf of the Housatonic Valley Association. As you may also be aware, one of the nine voting members of the Council, Professor Colin C. Tait, is currently a member of the Housatonic Valley Association (HVA).

In the interests of full disclosure, the Council wishes to inform all participants that Professor Tait hopes to fully participate in this proceeding notwithstanding his membership in the HVA. The Council informs all parties and intervenors of Professor Tait's involvement to determine whether any party or intervenor has any objection to Professor Tait participating in the consideration of the above-referenced pending application. Please inform the Council by June 9, 2011 should you have any concerns in his so serving.

RS/MAB/jb