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Catrice C. Williams, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Cable
1000 Washington Street, Suite 820
Boston, MA 02118-6500

Re: D.T.C. 13-7; Inquiry by the Department on its Own Motion into the Intrastate Intercarrier Compensation Rate Reductions Mandated by the Federal Communications Commission

Dear Secretary Williams:

Sprint Corporation ("Sprint") is in receipt of the Department of Telecommunications and Cable's ("Department") Request for Comments and Notice of Technical Workshop ("Request & Notice"), issued June 24, 2013. In the Request and Notice the Department sought "input on how best to implement the reforms adopted by the FCC in its *ICC Transformation Order*." *Id.* at 2. The Department identified a number of issues regarding tariff filing requirements, rate reductions and rate elements, and interconnection agreements. *Id.* at 3. Sprint appreciates the Department's measured approach and examination of these topics, but at this time Sprint does not have comments to offer. Sprint reserves the right to reply to comments submitted by other parties.

The Request and Notice indicates that parties shall notify the Department, by no later than Tuesday, July 30, 2013, of their intent to participate in the technical workshop. At this time Sprint does not anticipate participating. Sprint will review the comments submitted to the Department in this docket and will notify the Department promptly if it desires to participate in the workshop.

Respectfully Submitted,

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