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March 16, 2007

Honorable Sara Kyle, Chairman  
c/o Sharla Dillon, Docket & Records Manager  
Tennessee Regulatory Authority  
460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, TN 37243-0505

**RE: In the Matter of: Tennessee Rural Independent Coalition Petition for  
Suspension and Modification Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 251(f)(2)  
TRA Docket No. 06-00228**

Dear Chairman Kyle:

Enclosed please find an original and thirteen (13) copies of the Application to Appear Pro Hac Vice of Elaine D. Critides. An additional copy of this filing is enclosed to be "File Stamped" for our records.

If you have any questions or require additional information, please let me know.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Melvin J. Malone'. The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Melvin J. Malone

cc: Parties of Record

**BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE**

<b>IN RE:</b>	)	
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<b>TENNESSEE RURAL INDEPENDENT COALITION PETITION FOR SUSPENSION AND MODIFICATION PURSUANT TO 47 U.S.C. SECTION 251(f)(2)</b>	) ) ) ) ) ) )	<b>DOCKET NO. 06-00228</b>

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**APPLICATION TO APPEAR PRO HAC VICE**


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Pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, and the Rules of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, Elaine D. Critides, attorney for Cellco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless ("VZW") hereby makes application for permission to appear and to participate in the above-referenced case on behalf of VZW and in support of her application states as follows:

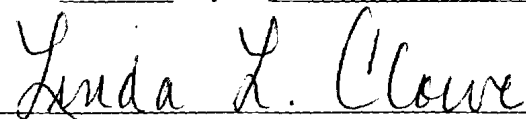
1. The undersigned, Elaine D. Critides, has a residence address of 9711 Brixton Lane, Bethesda, MD 20817 and a business address of 1300 I Street, NW, Washington, DC 20817.
2. The undersigned has entered an appearance on behalf of VZW in the above-referenced matter and is counsel to VZW.
3. The undersigned is currently licensed, is in good standing, and is admitted to practice in the State of Maryland, (State Bar # 9506210087) and no disciplinary action or investigation of Ms. Critides' conduct is pending.

4. The undersigned agrees to subject herself to the jurisdiction of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority") in any manner arising out of her conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before the Authority.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned requests that she be admitted *pro hac vice* to appear and participate in the above-styled case on behalf of Verizon Wireless.

  
Elaine D. Critides

Sworn and subscribed before me  
This 14th day of March, 2007.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: Dec. 14, 2009

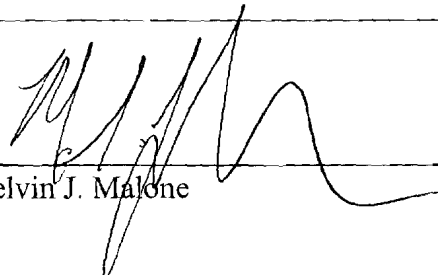
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I hereby certify that on March 16, 2007, a true and correct copy of the foregoing has been served on the parties of record, via the method indicated:

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