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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 Joseph M. Chiarelli. 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,

Melvin J. Malone

cc: Parties of Record

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

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

APPLICATION TO APPEAR PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to Rule 19 of the Rules of the Supreme Court of Tennessee, and the Rules of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("Authority" or "TRA"), Mr. Joseph M. Chiarelli, attorney for Sprint Spectrum L.P. d/b/a Sprint PCS ("Sprint") hereby makes application for permission to appear and to participate in the above-referenced case on behalf of Sprint and in support of his application states as follows:

1. The undersigned, Joseph M. Chiarelli, has a residence address of 1212 SE 11th Terrace, Lee's Summit, Missouri 64081 and a business address of Sprint, 6450 Sprint Parkway, Overland Park, Kansas 66251.
2. The undersigned has entered an appearance on behalf of Sprint in the above-referenced matter and is counsel to Sprint.
3. The undersigned is currently licensed, is in good standing, and is admitted to practice in the States of Missouri (State Bar #32054) and Kansas (State Bar # 13920) and no disciplinary action or investigation of Mr. Chiarelli's conduct is pending.

4. The undersigned agrees to subject himself to the jurisdiction of the Authority in any manner arising out of his conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before the Authority.

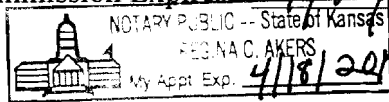
WHEREFORE, the undersigned requests that he be admitted *pro hac vice* to appear and participate in the above-styled case on behalf of Sprint.

Joseph M. Chiarelli
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Sworn and subscribed before me
This 15th day of March, 2007.

Régina C. Akers
Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 4/18/2010



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