# AMENDMENT

# BETWEEN

ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS, INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T MICHIGAN, NEVADA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T NEVADA AND AT&T WHOLESALE, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T OHIO, PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T CALIFORNIA, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA AND AT&T TEXAS, WISCONSIN BELL, INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN

AND

# NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC



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# AMENDMENT TO THE AGREEMENT BETWEEN NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC AND

# ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ILLINOIS, INDIANA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY INCORPORATED D/B/A AT&T INDIANA, MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T MICHIGAN, NEVADA BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T NEVADA AND AT&T WHOLESALE, THE OHIO BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T OHIO, PACIFIC BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T CALIFORNIA, SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA AND AT&T TEXAS, WISCONSIN BELL, INC. D/B/A AT&T WISCONSIN

This Amendment (the "Amendment") amends the Two-Way CMRS Interconnection Agreement by and between Illinois Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T ILLINOIS, Indiana Bell Telephone Company Incorporated d/b/a AT&T INDIANA, Michigan Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T MICHIGAN, Nevada Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T NEVADA and AT&T Wholesale, The Ohio Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T OHIO, Pacific Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T CALIFORNIA, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company d/b/a AT&T ARKANSAS, AT&T KANSAS, AT&T MISSOURI, AT&T OKLAHOMA and AT&T TEXAS, Wisconsin Bell, Inc. d/b/a AT&T WISCONSIN ("AT&T") and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC on behalf of itself and its Commercial Mobile Radio Service Affiliates listed in Attachment A ("CMRS Provider"). AT&T and CMRS Provider are hereinafter referred to collectively as the "Parties" and individually as a "Party".

WHEREAS, AT&T and New Cingular Wireless PCS, LLC are parties to a Two-Way CMRS Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1996 for Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS), dated July 30, 2007 and as subsequently amended (the "Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, AT&T and Cricket Communications, LLC are parties to a Two-Way CMRS Interconnection Agreement under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1996 for Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS) in the states of Ohio, Oklahoma and Texas, dated January 29, 2016; and

WHEREAS, AT&T and Cricket Communications, Inc. are parties to Two-Way CMRS Interconnection Agreements under Sections 251 and 252 of the Communications Act of 1996 for Commercial Mobile Radio Service (CMRS), dated October 4, 2000 for the states of Arkansas and Kansas , dated October 18, 2005 for the state of Missouri, dated July 13, 2001 for the states of California and Nevada, dated January 23, 2008 for the states of Illinois and Wisconsin and approved December 22, 2005 for the state of Indiana; and

WHEREAS, the Parties agree to terminate the Agreement between Cricket Communications, LLC and AT&T in the states of Ohio, Oklahoma and Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Parties agree to replace Attachment A of the Agreement with Exhibit A; and

WHEREAS, the Parties agree to terminate the Agreements between Cricket Communications, Inc. and AT&T in the states of Arkansas, California, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Missouri, Nevada, and Wisconsin.

WHEREAS, the Parties agree to add Structure Access as an Attachment to the Agreement.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and mutual agreements set forth herein, the Parties agree to amend the Agreement as follows:

- 1. This Amendment is composed of the foregoing recitals, the terms and conditions, contained within, all of which are hereby incorporated in this Amendment by this reference and constitute a part of this Amendment.
- 2. The Parties agree to terminate the Agreement between Cricket Communications, LLC and AT&T in the states of Ohio, Oklahoma and Texas.
- 3. The Parties agree to replace Attachment A in its entirety with Exhibit A (Attachment A to the Agreement) attached hereto.

- 4. The Parties agree to terminate the agreements between AT&T and Cricket Communications, Inc. in the states of Arkansas, California, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Missouri, Nevada, and Wisconsin.
- 5. The Parties agree that the terms and conditions set forth in the Structure Access Attachment, Exhibit B attached, hereto shall be incorporated into the Agreement, and the provisions of Exhibit B shall apply to Structure Access for Poles, Conduits, and Rights of Way.
- 6. The Parties agree to replace Section 12 from the Agreement with the following language:

# 12. <u>Notices</u>

- 12.1 Notices given by WSP to AT&T under this Agreement shall be in writing (unless specifically provided otherwise herein), and unless otherwise expressly required by this Agreement to be delivered to another representative or point of contact, shall be pursuant to at least one of the following methods:
  - 12.1.1 delivered by electronic mail (email).
  - 12.1.2 delivered by facsimile.
- 12.2 Notices given by AT&T to the WSP under this Agreement shall be in writing (unless specifically provided otherwise herein), and unless otherwise expressly required by this Agreement to be delivered to another representative or point of contact, shall be pursuant to at least one of the following methods:
  - 12.2.1 delivered by electronic mail (email) provided WSP has provided such information in Section 12.4 below.
  - 12.2.2 delivered by facsimile provided WSP has provided such information in Section 12.4 below.
- 12.3 Notices will be deemed given as of the earliest of:
  - 12.3.1 the date of actual receipt.
  - 12.3.2 notice by email shall be effective on the date it is officially recorded as delivered by delivery receipt and in the absence of such record of delivery, it shall be presumed to have been delivered on the date sent.
  - 12.3.3 on the date set forth on the confirmation produced by the sending facsimile machine when delivered by facsimile prior to 5:00 p.m. in the recipient's time zone, but the next Business Day when delivered by facsimile at 5:00 p.m. or later in the recipient's time zone.
- 12.4 Notices will be addressed to the Parties as follows:

NOTICE CONTACT	WSP CONTACT
NAME/TITLE	Carrier Relations Director
STREET ADDRESS	1 AT&T Way 4A105
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE	Bedminster, NJ 07921
PHONE NUMBER*	908-234-3707
FACSIMILE NUMBER	N/A
EMAIL ADDRESS	dh6491@att.com
	AT&T CONTACT
NAME/TITLE	Contract Management ATTN: Notices Manager
FACSIMILE NUMBER	(214) 712-5792
EMAIL ADDRESS	The current email address as provided on AT&T's Prime Access website

\*Informational only and not to be considered as an official notice vehicle under this Section.

- 12.5 Either Party may unilaterally change its designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number for the receipt of Notices by giving written Notice to the other Party in compliance with this Section 12. Unless explicitly stated otherwise, any change to the designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number will replace such information currently on file. Any Notice to change the designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number will replace such information currently on file. Any Notice to change the designated contact name, address, email address, and/or facsimile number for the receipt of Notices shall be deemed effective ten (10) calendar days following receipt by the other Party.
- 12.6 AT&T communicates official information to WSPs via its Accessible Letter, or other applicable, notification processes. These processes involve electronic transmission and/or posting to the AT&T Prime Access website, inclusive of a variety of subjects including declaration of a force majeure, changes on business processes and policies, and other product/service related notices not requiring an amendment to this Agreement.
- 7. This Amendment shall be deemed to revise the terms and provisions of the Agreement only to the extent necessary to give effect to the terms and provisions of this Amendment. In the event of a conflict between the terms and provisions of this Amendment (including all incorporated or accompanying Appendices, Addenda, and Exhibits to the Agreement), this Amendment shall govern, provided, however, that the fact that a term or provision appears in this Amendment but not in the Agreement, or in the Agreement but not in this Amendment, shall not be interpreted as, or deemed grounds for finding, a conflict for purposes of this Amendment.
- 8. In entering into this Amendment, neither Party waives, and each Party expressly reserves, any rights, remedies or arguments it may have at law or under the intervening law or regulatory change provisions in the underlying Agreement (including intervening law rights asserted by either Party via written notice predating this Amendment) with respect to any orders, decisions, legislation or proceedings and any remands thereof, which the Parties have not yet fully incorporated into this Agreement or which may be the subject of further review.
- 9. This Amendment shall not modify or extend the Effective Date or Term of the underlying Agreement, but rather, shall be coterminous with such Agreement.
- 10. EXCEPT AS MODIFIED HEREIN, ALL OTHER TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE UNDERLYING AGREEMENT SHALL REMAIN UNCHANGED AND IN FULL FORCE AND EFFECT.
- 11. For Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Michigan, Missouri, Nevada, Oklahoma, Texas: This Amendment shall be filed with and is subject to approval by the State Commission and shall become effective ten (10) days following approval by such Commission. For Arkansas: This Amendment shall be filed with the Arkansas Public Service Commission and shall become effective upon filing. For Ohio: Based on the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio Rules, the Amendment is effective upon filing and is deemed approved by operation of law on the 91<sup>st</sup> day after filing. For California: Pursuant to Resolution ALJ 257, this filing will become effective, absent rejection of the Advice Letter by the Commission, upon thirty (30) days after the filing date of the Advice Letter to which this Amendment is appended. For Wisconsin: Pursuant to Wisconsin Statute § 196.40, this Amendment shall become effective ten (10) days after the mailing date of the final order approving this Amendment.

Exhibit A Attachment A

New Cingular's Commercial Mobile Radio Service Affiliates: ACADIANA CELLULAR GENERAL PARTNERSHIP Galveston Cellular Telephone Co AT&T Mobility Wireless Operations Holdings Inc. CHATTANOOGA MSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP CINGULAR WIRELESS OF TEXAS RSA #11 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP CINGULAR WIRELESS OF TEXAS RSA #16 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP Cricket Wireless, LLC Cricket Wireless LLC d/b/a Cricket Wireless Illinois LLC FLORIDA RSA NO. 2B (INDIAN RIVER) LIMITED PARTNERSHIP HOUMA-THIBODAUX CELLULAR PARTNERSHIP LAFAYETTE MSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP Lake Mobility LLC LOUISIANA RSA NO. 7 CELLULAR GENERAL PARTNERSHIP LOUISIANA RSA NO. 8 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP LUBBOCK SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP MADISON SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP MILWAUKEE SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP MISSOURI RSA 11/12 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP **MISSOURI RSA 8 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP** MISSOURI RSA 9B1 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP NEW CINGULAR WIRELESS PCS, LLC NORTHEASTERN GEORGIA RSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP Ohio RSA 2 Limited Partnership -Ohio RSA 5 Limited Partnership

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Ohio RSA 6 Limited Partnership **Oklahoma City SMSA Limited Partnership** Oklahoma Independent RSA 7 Partnership **OKLAHOMA RSA 3 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP OKLAHOMA RSA 9 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP** ORLANDO SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP Santa Barbara Cellular Systems, Ltd. **TEXAS RSA 18 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP TEXAS RSA 19 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP** TEXAS RSA 20B1 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP **TEXAS RSA 6 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP TEXAS RSA 7B1 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP TEXAS RSA 9B1 LIMITED PARTNERSHIP** Texas RSA No. 2 Limited Partnership TOPEKA SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP Tide Mobility LLC

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# EXHIBIT B

# ATTACHMENT – STRUCTURE ACCESS

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# 1.0 Introduction

- 1.1 This Attachment 03 Structure Access ("Appendix") sets forth the rates, terms, conditions, and procedures by which AT&T-21STATE shall provide non-discriminatory access to AT&T-21STATE-owned Poles, Ducts, Conduit, and ROW. Separate tariffs or agreements shall govern WSP's access, if any, to the following facilities which, if allowed, would require special security, technical, and construction arrangements outside the scope of this Appendix:
  - 1.1.1 AT&T-21STATE's central office vaults and Ducts and Conduits which serve no purpose other than to provide a means of entry to and exit from AT&T-21STATE's central offices;
  - 1.1.2 controlled environment vaults (CEVs), huts, cabinets, and other similar outside plant structures and Ducts and Conduits which serve no purpose other than to provide a means of entry to and exit from such vaults, huts, cabinets, and structures;
  - 1.1.3 Ducts and Conduits located within buildings owned or leased by AT&T-21STATE; and
  - 1.1.4 Ducts, Conduits, equipment rooms, and similar spaces located in space leased by AT&T-21STATE from third party property owners for purposes other than to house cables and other equipment in active service as part of AT&T-21STATE's network distribution operations.
  - 1.2 <u>Prior Agreements Superseded</u>. This Appendix supersedes all prior agreements and understandings, whether written or oral, between WSP and AT&T-21STATE relating to the placement and maintenance of WSP's Facilities on and within AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Ducts, and Conduits, and ROW within the states covered by this Attachment.

# 2.0 <u>Definitions</u>

- 2.1 "Application" means the process of requesting a License to place Facilities in or on AT&T-21STATE-owned Conduit, Ducts, or Poles.
- 2.2 "Assigned", when used with respect to AT&T-21STATE-owned Conduits, Ducts or Poles, means any space in such Conduit or Duct or on such Pole that is occupied, or scheduled to be utilized pursuant to an Application deemed complete, by an entity authorized by AT&T-21STATE to use such space.
- 2.3 "Attaching Party" means any Party with an existing or prospective physical facility Attachment on or in any AT&T-21STATE structure.
- 2.4 "Attachment" as used herein means the physical connection of cable, wire, or equipment to AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Ducts, or Conduit.
- 2.5 "Authorized Contractor" refers to any contractor included on a list of contractors provided by AT&T-21STATE and which, subject to WSP's direction, control and the requirements and policies in each state, performs Facilities modification, Make-Ready Surveys or Make-Ready Work which would ordinarily be performed by AT&T-21STATE or persons acting on AT&T-21STATE's behalf. AT&T-21STATE shall make available and keep an up-to-date list of contractors it authorizes to perform Make-Ready Surveys and Make-Ready Work in the communications space on its Poles in cases where AT&T-21STATE has failed to meet deadlines specified in Section 6.
  - 2.5.1 A person or entity approved as an Authorized Contractor is only an Authorized Contractor with respect to those tasks for which such person or entity has been approved by AT&T-21STATE and is an Authorized Contractor only in those AT&T-21STATE construction districts specified by AT&T-21STATE.
  - 2.5.2 Designation of an Authorized Contractor for a specific category of tasks shall not be deemed to be the designation of such person or entity as an Authorized Contractor for other purposes, nor shall approval of an Authorized Contractor by a single AT&T-21STATE construction district constitute approval of such Authorized Contractor for the area served by a different AT&T-21STATE construction district; provided, however, that if a specific construction job extends beyond the boundaries of a single construction district, an Authorized Contractor shall, for the purposes of that job, be deemed to have been approved by all AT&T-21STATE construction districts in which the work is to be performed.
- 2.6 "Available" when used with respect to Conduit or Duct space or Poles, means any usable space in such Conduit or

Duct or on such Pole not assigned to a specific entity, including AT&T-21STATE, at the applicable time.

- 2.7 "Conduit(s)" means a structure containing one or more Ducts, usually placed underground or on bridges, in which cables or wires may be installed. As used in this Appendix, the term "Conduit" refers only to conduit structures (including Ducts, Manholes and Handholes) and space within those structures and does not include (a) cables and other telecommunications equipment located within conduit structures or (b) central office vaults, controlled environment vaults, and other AT&T-21STATE structures (such as huts and cabinets) which branch off from or are connected to AT&T-21STATE's Conduit.
- 2.8 "Conduit System" means any combination of Ducts, Conduits, Manholes, and Handholes joined to form an integrated whole. In this Appendix, the term refers to Conduit Systems owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE.
- 2.9 "Cost(s)" means the amounts AT&T-21STATE bills WSP for specific work performed, and shall be (a) the actual charges made by subcontractors to AT&T-21STATE for work and/or, (b) if the work was performed by AT&T-21STATE employees, it shall be actual costs for all services provided by AT&T-21STATE, including, but not limited to labor, engineering, and any associated administrative or professional services, as applicable, calculated on an individual case basis, along with any directly attributable material expenditures.
- 2.10 "Duct(s)" means a single enclosed tube, pipe, or channel for enclosing and carrying cables, wires, and other Facilities. As used in this Appendix, the term Duct includes innerducts created by subdividing a Duct into smaller channels, but does not include cables and other telecommunications equipment located within such Ducts.
- 2.11 "Facilities" refer to any property or equipment, including but not limited to cables, used in the provision of Telecommunications Services.
- 2.12 "Handholes" means an enclosure, usually below ground level, used for the purpose of installing, operating, and maintaining Facilities in a Conduit. A Handhole is too small to permit personnel to physically enter. As used in this Appendix, the term "Handhole" refers only to Handholes, which are part of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, and does not refer to handholes which provide access to buried cables not housed within AT&T-21STATE Ducts or Conduits. As used in this Appendix, the term "Handhole" refers only to Handhole" refers only to Handhole structures owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE and does not include cables and other telecommunications equipment located within handhole structures.
- 2.13 "License(s)" means any License issued pursuant to this Appendix by AT&T-21STATE.
- 2.14 "Maintenance Duct(s)" generally refers to a full-sized Duct (typically three inches in diameter or larger), and may include an innerduct, for use, on a short-term basis, for maintenance, repair, or emergency restoration activities. The term "Maintenance Duct" does not include Ducts and Conduits extending from an AT&T-21STATE Manhole to customer premises. When only one usable full-sized Duct remains in a Conduit section, that Duct shall be deemed to be the Maintenance Duct. AT&T-21STATE may elect to reserve an innerduct, in addition to the full-sized duct, for restoration purposes, dependent on the specific circumstances in a Conduit run. Such reservations shall be communicated, as necessary, when responding to applications for access.
- 2.15 "Make-Ready Survey" means all work and activities performed or to be performed to determine whether there is adequate capacity on a Pole or in a Conduit or Conduit System (including Manholes and Handholes) to accommodate WSP's Facilities and to determine what Make-Ready Work, if any, is required to prepare the Pole, Conduit or Conduit System to accommodate WSP's Facilities.
- 2.16 "Make-Ready Work" means all work performed or to be performed to prepare AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, Poles or related Facilities for the requested Attachment of WSP's Facilities. Make-Ready Work includes, but is not limited to, clearing obstructions (e.g., by rodding Ducts to ensure clear passage), and the rearrangement, transfer, replacement, and removal of existing Facilities on a Pole or in a Conduit System where such work is required solely to accommodate WSP's Facilities and not to meet AT&T-21STATE's business needs or convenience. Make-Ready Work may require "dig ups" of existing Facilities and may include the repair, enlargement or modification of AT&T-21STATE's Structure or the performance of other work required to make AT&T-21STATE's Structure usable for the initial placement of WSP's Facilities.
- 2.17 "Manhole" means an enclosure, usually below ground level and entered through a hole on the surface covered with a cast iron or concrete Manhole cover, which personnel may enter and use for the purpose of installing, operating, and

maintaining Facilities in a Conduit. As used in this Appendix, the term "Manhole" does not include cables and other telecommunications equipment located within manhole structures.

- 2.18 "Overlashing" refers to the practice of placing an additional communications cable by lashing such cable with spinning wire over an existing cable and strand on Poles.
- 2.19 "Pole" means utility poles but only includes those utility poles owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE, and does not include cables and other telecommunications equipment attached to pole structures or utility poles with respect to which AT&T-21STATE has no legal authority to permit Attachments by other persons or entities.
- 2.20 "Pole Attachment Act" and "Pole Attachment Act of 1978" means those provisions of the Act, as amended, now codified as 47 U.S.C. § 224.
- 2.21 "Right(s) of Way (ROW)" means the right to use the land or other property of another party to place Poles, Conduits, cables, other structures and equipment, or to provide passage to access such structures and equipment. A ROW may run under, on, or above public or private property (including air space above public or private property). For purposes of this Appendix, "ROW" refers to property owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE and used by AT&T-21STATE for its telecommunications distribution Facilities. ROW does not include:
  - 2.21.1 cables and other telecommunications equipment buried or located on such ROW; or
  - 2.21.2 public ROW (which are owned by and subject to the control of governmental entities); or
  - 2.21.3 any space which is owned and controlled by a third party property owner and occupied by AT&T-21STATE with permission from such owner rather than as a matter of legal right.
- 2.22 "Routine Inspection" refers to inspections that are planned and scheduled by AT&T-21STATE, for the purpose of inspecting the Facilities of WSP and others, including AT&T-21STATE, on AT&T-21STATE Structure.
- 2.23 "Sheath" or "Sheathing" means an outer covering containing communications wires, fibers, or other communications media.
- 2.24 "Spot Inspection" refers to spontaneous inspections done by AT&T-21STATE, which may be initiated, at AT&T-21STATE's discretion, for the purpose of ensuring safety and compliance with AT&T-21STATE standards on specific Structure.
- 2.25 "Structure" refers collectively to Poles, Ducts and Conduits.

## 3.0 General Provisions

- 3.1 Undertaking of AT&T-21STATE:
  - 3.1.1 AT&T-21STATE shall provide WSP with equal and nondiscriminatory access to Structure on terms and conditions consistent with obligations under the Pole Attachment Act or, in the case of reverse pre-emption by a state, the applicable state laws and regulations. Further, AT&T-21STATE shall not withhold or delay assignment of such space to WSP unless such space has been Assigned.
- 3.2 Attachments Authorized by this Appendix:
  - 3.2.1 AT&T-21STATE shall issue one or more Licenses to WSP authorizing WSP to attach Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's owned or controlled Poles and to place Facilities within AT&T-21STATE's owned or controlled Conduits, Ducts or ROW under the terms and conditions set forth in this Appendix.
  - 3.2.2 Unless otherwise provided herein, authority to attach Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's owned or controlled Poles, to place Facilities within AT&T-21STATE's owned or controlled Conduits, Ducts or ROW shall be granted only in individual Licenses granted under this Appendix and the placement or use of such Facilities shall be determined in accordance with such Licenses and procedures established in this Appendix.
  - 3.2.3 WSP agrees that its Attachment of Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's owned or controlled Poles, owned or controlled Conduits, Ducts or ROW shall take place pursuant to the licensing procedures set forth herein, and AT&T-21STATE agrees that it shall not unreasonably withhold or delay issuance of such Licenses.
  - 3.2.4 WSP may not sublease or otherwise authorize any third party to use any part of AT&T-21STATE Structure

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licensed to WSP under this Appendix, except that WSP may lease its own Facilities to third parties. Notwithstanding the above, WSP may permit third parties to overlash to existing WSP Attachments on AT&T-21STATE's Pole(s), without approval from, but with proper advance notification to, AT&T-21STATE. However, prior to the actual Overlashing by a third party, such third party must execute its own distinct Pole Attachment agreement with AT&T-21STATE.

3.2.5 WSP warrants that any Overlashing the WSP conducts or permits (via a third party or contractor) shall meet the following requirements: (1) the Overlashing complies with the standards referenced in Section 4.0 below of this Appendix; (2) WSP has computed the pole loading with the additional overlashed Facility, and the Pole will not be overloaded with the addition of the overlashed Facility; and (3) WSP has determined that no Make-Ready is necessary to accommodate the overlashed Facility, or will ensure that any Make-Ready necessary will be conducted before the Overlashing occurs. WSP agrees to indemnify AT&T-21STATE should any of the warranties be breached.

#### 3.3 Licenses:

- 3.3.1 Subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Appendix, AT&T-21STATE shall issue to WSP one or more Licenses authorizing WSP to place or attach Facilities in or to specified Structure owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE on a "first-come, first-served" basis. In the event that existing Structure capacity is insufficient to satisfy WSP's Application, AT&T-21STATE shall include reasonable alternatives in the Make-Ready Estimate provided as described in Section 6.8 below. AT&T-21STATE shall have the right to designate the location and manner in which WSP's Facilities will enter and exit AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System and the specific location and manner of installation for any associated equipment which is permitted by AT&T-21STATE to occupy the Structure.
- 3.4 Access and Use of ROW:
  - 3.4.1 To the extent AT&T-21STATE has the authority, AT&T-21STATE grants WSP a right to use any ROW for AT&T-21STATE Poles, Ducts, or Conduits to which WSP may attach its Facilities for the purposes of constructing, operating and maintaining such WSP's Facilities on AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Ducts or Conduits. Notwithstanding the foregoing, WSP shall be responsible for determining the necessity of and obtaining from private and/or public authority any necessary consent, easement, ROW, license, permit, permission, certification or franchise to construct, operate and/or maintain its Facilities on private and public property at the location of the AT&T-21STATE Pole, Duct or Conduit to which WSP seeks to attach its Facilities. WSP shall furnish proof of any such easement, ROW, license, permit, permission, certification, or franchise within thirty (30) calendar days of request by AT&T-21STATE. AT&T-21STATE does not warrant the validity or apportionability of any rights it may hold to place Facilities on private property.
  - 3.4.2 Neither Party shall restrict or interfere with the other Party's access to or right to occupy property, owned by third parties, which is not subject to the other Party's control, including property as to which either Party has access subject to non-exclusive ROW. Each Party shall make its own, independent legal assessment of its right to enter upon or use the property of third party property owners and shall bear all expenses, including legal expenses, involved in making such determinations.
    - 3.4.2.1 At locations where AT&T-21STATE has access to third party property pursuant to non-exclusive ROW, AT&T-21STATE shall not interfere with WSP's negotiations with third party property owners for similar access; nor with WSP's access to such property pursuant to easements or other ROW obtained by WSP from the property owner. At locations where AT&T-21STATE has obtained exclusive ROW from third party property owners or otherwise controls the ROW, AT&T-21STATE shall, to the extent space is available, and subject to reasonable safety, reliability, and engineering conditions, provide access to WSP on a nondiscriminatory basis, provided that the underlying agreement with the property owner permits AT&T-21STATE to provide such access, and provided further that if AT&T-21STATE has available space that it shares with WSP in AT&T-21STATE non-aerial ROW or easements (*e.g.*, for cabinets placed on or underground), which have not been accounted for in rates determined in accordance with the Pole Attachment Act (*e.g.*, aerial, linear ROW for pole lines are so accounted for), AT&T-21STATE shall include in a one-time billing WSP's pro rata portion of the charges, if any, paid by AT&T-21STATE to obtain such non-aerial

ROW or easements, plus any other documented legal, administrative, and engineering costs incurred by AT&T-21STATE in obtaining such ROW or easements and processing WSP's requests for such access.

3.4.2.2 Except to the extent necessary to meet the requirements of the Act, neither this Appendix nor any License granted hereunder shall constitute a conveyance or assignment of any of either Party's rights to use any public or private ROW, and nothing contained in this Appendix or in any License granted hereunder shall be construed as conferring on one Party any right to interfere with the other Party's access to any such public or private ROW.

#### 3.5 No Effect on AT&T-21STATE's Right to Convey Property:

- 3.5.1 Nothing contained in this Appendix or in any License issued hereunder shall in any way affect the right of AT&T-21STATE to convey to any other person or entity any interest in real or personal property, including any Poles, Conduit or Ducts to or in which WSP has attached or placed Facilities pursuant to Licenses issued under this Appendix provided however that AT&T-21STATE shall give WSP reasonable advance written Notice of such intent to convey.
- 3.5.2 Nothing herein contained shall be construed as a grant of any exclusive authorization, right or privilege to WSP. AT&T-21STATE shall have the right to grant, renew and extend rights and privileges to others not Parties to this Agreement, by contract or otherwise, to use any Pole or Conduit System covered by this Appendix and WSP's rights hereunder.
- 3.6 No Effect on AT&T-21STATE's Rights to Manage its Own Facilities:
  - 3.6.1 This Appendix shall not be construed as limiting or interfering with AT&T-21STATE's rights set forth below, except to the extent expressly provided by the provisions of this Appendix or Licenses issued hereunder or by the Act or other applicable laws, rules or regulations:
    - 3.6.1.1 To locate, relocate, move, replace, modify, maintain, and operate AT&T-21STATE's own Facilities within AT&T-21STATE's Conduits, Ducts or ROW or any of AT&T-21STATE's Facilities attached to AT&T-21STATE's Poles at any time and in any reasonable manner which AT&T-21STATE deems appropriate to serve its end users, avail itself of new business opportunities, or otherwise meet its business needs; or
    - 3.6.1.2 enter into new agreements or arrangements with other persons or entities permitting them to attach or place their Facilities to or in AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits or Ducts; provided, however, that such relocations, moves, replacements, modifications, maintenance and operations or new Attachments or arrangements shall not substantially interfere with WSP's Attachment, or ROW provided by Licenses issued pursuant to this Appendix.
- 3.7 No Effect on WSP's Rights to Manage its Own Facilities:
  - 3.7.1 This Appendix shall not be construed as limiting or interfering with WSP's rights set forth below, except to the extent expressly provided by the provisions of this Appendix or Licenses issued hereunder or by the Act or other applicable laws, rules or regulations:
    - 3.7.1.1 To locate, relocate, move, replace, modify, maintain, and operate its own Facilities within AT&T-21STATE's Conduits, Ducts or ROW or its Facilities attached to AT&T-21STATE's Poles at any time and in any reasonable manner which WSP deems appropriate to serve its end users, avail itself of new business opportunities, or otherwise meet its business needs; or
    - 3.7.1.2 To enter into new agreements or arrangements with other persons or entities permitting WSP to attach or place its Facilities to or in such other persons' or entities' Poles, Conduits or Ducts, or ROW; provided, however, that such relocations, moves, replacements, modifications, maintenance and operations or new Attachments or arrangements shall not conflict with WSP's obligations under Licenses issued pursuant to this Appendix.
- 3.8 No Right to Interfere with Facilities of Others:

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- 3.8.1 The provisions of this Appendix or any License issued hereunder shall not be construed as authorizing either Party to rearrange or interfere in any way with any of the other Party's Facilities, with the Facilities of other persons or entities, or with the use of or access to such Facilities by such other Party or such other persons or entities, except to the extent expressly provided by the provisions of this Appendix or any License issued hereunder or by the Act or other applicable laws, rules or regulations.
- 3.8.2 WSP acknowledges that the Facilities of persons or entities other than AT&T-21STATE and WSP may be attached to or occupy AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits, Ducts and ROW.
- 3.8.3 AT&T-21STATE shall not attach, or give permission to any third parties to attach Facilities to existing WSP Facilities without WSP's prior written consent. If AT&T-21STATE becomes aware of any such unauthorized Attachment to WSP Facilities, AT&T-21STATE shall use its best efforts to rectify the situation as soon as practicable.
- 3.8.4 With respect to the Structure occupied by WSP or the subject of an Application for Attachment by WSP, AT&T-21STATE will give to WSP sixty (60) calendar days written Notice for Conduit extensions or reinforcements, Pole line extensions, Pole replacements, or of AT&T-21STATE's intention not to maintain or use any existing Pole(s) or Conduit.
  - 3.8.4.1 Where AT&T-21STATE elects to abandon or remove AT&T-21STATE Facilities, the Pole(s) or Conduit will be offered to existing occupants on a first-in, first-right to maintain basis. The first existing occupant electing to exercise this option will be required to execute the appropriate agreement with AT&T-21STATE to purchase and transfer ownership from AT&T-21STATE to that existing occupant, subject to then-existing Licenses pertaining to such Pole(s) or Conduit. If none of the existing occupants elects to maintain such Pole(s) or Conduit, all occupants will be required to remove their existing Facilities within ninety (90) calendar days of written Notice from AT&T-21STATE.
  - 3.8.4.2 If an emergency or provisions of an applicable joint use agreement require AT&T-21STATE to construct, reconstruct, expand or replace Poles, Conduits or Ducts owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE and either occupied by WSP or the subject of an Application for Attachment by WSP, AT&T-21STATE will notify WSP as soon as reasonably practicable of such proposed construction, reconstruction, expansion or replacement to enable WSP, if it so desires, to request that a Pole, Conduit or Duct of greater height or capacity be utilized to accommodate an anticipated Facility need of WSP.
- 3.8.5 Upon request and at WSP's expense, AT&T-21STATE shall remove any retired cable from Conduit Systems to allow for the efficient use of Conduit space within a reasonable period of time. AT&T-21STATE retains salvage rights on any cable removed. In order to safeguard its Structure and Facilities, AT&T-21STATE reserves the right to remove retired cables and is under no obligation to allow WSP the right to remove such cables. Based on sound engineering judgment, there may be situations where it would neither be feasible nor practical to remove retired cables.
- 3.9 Assignment of Space:
  - 3.9.1 Assignment of space on Poles, in Conduits or Ducts and within ROW will be made pursuant to Licenses granted by AT&T-21STATE and in compliance with all applicable engineering and safety standards, as identified in Section 4 below. When an increase in capacity or strength of a Pole or Conduit is practical and necessary to fulfill WSP's request, AT&T-21STATE will propose such a modification as Make-Ready, and WSP will be responsible for the actual Costs associated with the modification in exchange for approval of the applicable License.

#### 4.0 <u>Requirements and Specifications</u>

- 4.1 Industry-recognized standards are incorporated below by reference. WSP agrees that its Facilities shall be placed, constructed, maintained, repaired, and removed in accordance with current (as of the date when such work is performed) editions of the following publications, regulations, specifications, and standards:
  - 4.1.1 the Blue Book Manual of Construction Procedures, Special Report SR-1421, published by Telcordia

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Technologies, f/k/a Bell Communications Research, Inc. ("BellCore"), and sometimes referred to as the "Blue Book";

- 4.1.2 the National Electrical Code (NEC), published by the National Fire Protection Association;
- 4.1.3 the current version of the National Electrical Safety Code (NESC), published by the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers, Inc.;
- 4.1.4 the California Public Utility Commission's General Orders 95 and 128 for Attachments to AT&T-21STATE Poles, Ducts, and Conduits that exist in the State of California; and
- 4.1.5 the AT&T Structure Access Guidelines.
- 4.2 Changes in Industry-Recognized Standards:
  - 4.2.1 WSP agrees to rearrange its Facilities in accordance with changes in the standards published in the publications specified in Section 4.1 above of this Appendix if required by law to do so or upon the mutual agreement of the Parties.
- 4.3 Additional Electrical Design Specifications:
  - 4.3.1 WSP agrees that, in addition to specifications and requirements referred to in Section 4.1 above, WSP's Facilities placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System shall meet all of the following electrical design specifications:
    - 4.3.1.1 No Facility shall be placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System in violation of FCC regulations.
    - 4.3.1.2 WSP's Facilities carrying more than 50 volts AC rms (root mean square) to ground or 135 volts DC to ground shall be enclosed in an effectively grounded Sheath or shield.
    - 4.3.1.3 No coaxial cable of WSP shall occupy a Conduit System containing AT&T-21STATE's cable unless such cable meets the voltage limitations of Article 820 of the National Electrical Code.
    - 4.3.1.4 WSP's coaxial cable may carry continuous DC voltages up to 1800 volts to ground where the conductor current will not exceed one-half (1/2) ampere and where such cable has two (2) separate grounded metal Sheaths or shields and a suitable insulating jacket over the outer Sheath or shield. The power supply shall be so designed and maintained that the total current carried over the outer Sheath shall not exceed 200 micro-amperes under normal conditions. Conditions which would increase the current over this level shall be cleared promptly.
    - 4.3.1.5 Neither Party shall circumvent the other Party's corrosion mitigation measures. Each Party's new Facilities shall be compatible with the other Party's Facilities so as not to damage any Facilities of the other Party by corrosion or other chemical reaction.
- 4.4 Additional Physical Design Specifications:
  - 4.4.1 WSP's Facilities placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System must meet all of the following physical design specifications:
    - 4.4.1.1 Cables bound or wrapped with cloth or having any kind of fibrous coverings or impregnated with an adhesive material shall not be placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit or Ducts.
    - 4.4.1.2 The integrity of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System and overall safety of AT&T-21STATE's personnel and other personnel working in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System requires that "dielectric cable" be placed when WSP's cable Facility utilizes an alternative Duct or route that is shared in the same trench by any current-carrying Facility of a power utility.
    - 4.4.1.3 New construction splices in WSP's fiber optic and twisted pair cables shall be located in Manholes, pull boxes or Handholes.
- 4.5 Additional Specifications Applicable to Connections:
  - 4.5.1 The following specifications apply to connections of WSP's Conduit to AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System:

- 4.5.1.1 WSP will be permitted to connect its Conduit or Duct only at an AT&T-21STATE Manhole. No Attachment will be made by entering or breaking into Conduit between Manholes. All necessary work to install WSP Facilities will be performed by WSP or its contractor at WSP's expense. In no event shall WSP or its contractor "core bore" or make any other modification to AT&T-21STATE Manhole(s) without the prior written approval of AT&T-21STATE.
- 4.5.1.2 If WSP constructs or utilizes a Duct connected to AT&T-21STATE's Manhole, the Duct and all connections between that Duct and AT&T-21STATE's Manhole shall be sealed, to the extent practicable, to prevent the entry of gases or liquids into AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System. If WSP's Duct enters a building, it shall also be sealed where it enters the building and at all other locations necessary to prevent the entry of gases and liquids from the building into AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System.
- 4.6 Requirements Relating to Personnel, Equipment, Material, and Construction Procedures Generally:
  - 4.6.1 Duct clearing, rodding or modifications required to grant WSP access to AT&T-21STATE's Conduit Systems may be performed by AT&T-21STATE at WSP's expense at charges which represent AT&T-21STATE's actual Costs. Alternatively (at WSP's option) such work may be performed by an Authorized Contractor. The Parties acknowledge that WSP, its contractors, and other persons acting on WSP's behalf will perform work for WSP (e.g., splicing WSP's Facilities) within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System. WSP represents and warrants that neither WSP nor any person acting on WSP's behalf shall permit any person to climb or work on any of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or to enter AT&T-21STATE's Manholes or work within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System unless such person has the training, skill, and experience required to recognize potentially dangerous conditions relating to Pole or the Conduit Systems and to perform the work safely.
  - 4.6.2 Rodding or clearing of Ducts in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System shall be done only when specific authorization for such work has been obtained in advance from AT&T-21STATE. The Parties agree that such rodding or clearing shall be performed according to existing industry standards and practices. WSP may contract with AT&T-21STATE for performance of such work or, at WSP's option, with an Authorized Contractor.
  - 4.6.3 Personnel performing work on AT&T-21STATE's or WSP's behalf in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System shall not climb on, step on, or otherwise disturb the other Party's or any third party's cables, air pipes, equipment, or other Facilities located in any Manhole or other part of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System.
  - 4.6.4 All of WSP's Facilities shall be firmly secured and supported in accordance with industry standards as referred to in Section 4.1 above.
  - 4.6.5 Identification of Facilities in Conduit/Manholes and on Poles:
    - 4.6.5.1 WSP's Facilities shall be plainly identified inside each Manhole and/or on each Pole with WSP's name firmly affixed via permanent tags that meet standards set by AT&T-21STATE for its own Facilities.
  - 4.6.6 Manhole pumping and purging required in order to allow WSP's work operations to proceed shall be performed in compliance with industry standards and all regulations and standards established by the United States Environmental Protection Agency or by any applicable state or local environmental regulators.
  - 4.6.7 Any leak detection liquid or device used by WSP or personnel performing work on WSP's Facilities within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System shall be of a type approved by AT&T-21STATE or compliant with industry-recognized standards as referenced in Section 4.1 above.
  - 4.6.8 When WSP, or personnel performing work on WSP's behalf, are working within or in the vicinity of any part of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System which is located within, under, over, or adjacent to streets, highways, alleys or other traveled ROW, WSP and all personnel performing work on WSP's behalf shall follow procedures which WSP deems appropriate for the protection of persons and property. WSP shall be responsible, at all times, for determining and implementing the specific steps required to protect persons and property at the site. WSP will provide all traffic control and warning devices required to protect pedestrian and vehicular traffic, workers and property from danger. AT&T-21STATE shall have no

responsibility for the safety of personnel performing work on WSP's behalf, for the safety of bystanders, or for ensuring that all operations conform to current Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) regulations and all other governmental rules, ordinances or statutes. AT&T-21STATE reserves the right to suspend WSP's activities on, in or in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System if, in AT&T-21STATE's reasonable judgment, any hazardous condition arises due to the activity (including both acts and omissions) of WSP or any personnel performing work on WSP's behalf, which suspension shall cease when the condition has been rectified.

- 4.6.9 Smoking or the use of any open flame is prohibited in AT&T-21STATE's Manholes, in any other portion of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, or within ten (10) feet of any open Manhole entrance; provided that this provision will not prohibit the use of spark producing tools, including, but not limited to, electric drills and fusion splicers.
- 4.6.10 Artificial lighting, when required, will be provided by WSP. Only explosion-proof lighting fixtures shall be used.
- 4.6.11 WSP will abide by any laws, regulations or ordinances regarding the use of spark-producing tools, equipment or devices in AT&T-21STATE's Manholes, in any other portions of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, or within ten (10) feet of any open Manhole opening. This includes, but is not limited to, such tools as electric drills and hammers, meggers, breakdown sets, induction sets, and the like.
- 4.7 Opening of Manholes:
  - 4.7.1 The following requirements apply to the opening of AT&T-21STATE's Manholes and the authority of AT&T-21STATE personnel present when work on WSP's behalf is being performed within or in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System.
    - 4.7.1.1 AT&T-21STATE's Manholes shall be opened only as permitted by AT&T-21STATE's authorized employees or agents following notification by WSP, which permission shall not be unreasonably denied or delayed.
    - 4.7.1.2 WSP shall notify AT&T-21STATE at least five (5) Business Days in advance of any routine work operation requiring entry into any of AT&T-21STATE's Manholes.
    - 4.7.1.3 WSP shall be responsible for obtaining any necessary authorization from appropriate authorities to open Manholes for Conduit work operations therein.
    - 4.7.1.4 AT&T-21STATE may monitor, at WSP's expense, the activities of WSP or WSP's authorized contractor or agent, as may involve AT&T-21STATE's Manholes or Conduit System and the placement of WSP's Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Manholes.
    - 4.7.1.5 AT&T-21STATE's authorized employee or agent shall not direct or control the conduct of WSP's work at the work site. The presence of AT&T-21STATE's authorized employee or agent at the work site shall not relieve WSP, or personnel performing work on WSP's behalf, of their responsibility to conduct all work operations within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System in a safe and workmanlike manner.
    - 4.7.1.6 Although AT&T-21STATE's authorized employee or agent shall not direct or control the conduct of WSP's work at the work site, AT&T-21STATE's employee or agent shall have the authority to suspend WSP's work operations within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System if, in the reasonable discretion of such AT&T-21STATE employee or agent, it appears that any hazardous conditions arise or any unsafe practices are being followed by WSP or personnel performing work on WSP's behalf.
- 4.8 OSHA Compliance-Notice to AT&T-21STATE of Unsafe Conditions:
  - 4.8.1 WSP agrees that:
    - 4.8.1.1 Its Facilities shall be constructed, placed, maintained, repaired, and removed in accordance with OSHA's rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

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- 4.8.1.2 All persons acting on WSP's behalf, including but not limited to WSP's employees, agents, contractors, and subcontractors shall, when working on or within AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System, comply with OSHA and all rules and regulations thereunder.
- 4.8.1.3 WSP shall establish appropriate procedures and controls to assure compliance with all requirements of this Section.
- 4.8.1.4 WSP (and any Person Acting on WSP's Behalf) may report unsafe conditions on, in or in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System to AT&T-21STATE.
- 4.9 WSP acknowledges that some of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit was fabricated from asbestos-containing materials. Such Conduit is generally marked with a designation of "C Fiber Cement Conduit", "Transite", or "Johns-Manville". Until proven otherwise, WSP will presume that all Conduits not fabricated of plastic, tile, or wood are asbestoscontaining and will handle pursuant to all applicable regulations relating to worker safety and protection of the environment.
- 4.10 Compliance with Environmental Laws and Regulations: AT&T-21STATE makes no representations to WSP or personnel performing work on WSP's behalf that AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or any specific portions thereof will be free from environmental contaminants at any particular time. WSP agrees to establish appropriate procedures and controls to assure compliance with all applicable environmental laws and regulations including, but not limited to:
  - 4.10.1 WSP's Facilities shall be constructed, placed, maintained, repaired, and removed in accordance with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations, and other laws, including but not limited to the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (42 U.S.C. §§ 6901 et. seq.), the Toxic Substance Control Act (15 U.S.C. §§ 2601-2629), the Clean Water Act (33 U.S.C. §§ 1251 et. seq.), and the Safe Drinking Water Act (42 U.S.C. §§ 300f 300j).
  - 4.10.2 All persons acting on WSP's behalf, including but not limited to WSP's employees, agents, contractors, and subcontractors, shall, when working on, within or in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System, comply with all applicable federal, state, and local environmental laws, including but not limited to all environmental statutes, ordinances, rules, and regulations.
  - 4.10.3 Neither WSP nor personnel performing work on WSP's behalf shall discharge water or any other substance from any AT&T-21STATE Manhole or other Conduit Facility onto public or private property, including any storm water drainage system, without first testing such water or substance for contaminants in accordance with industry standards and practices and determining that such discharge would not violate any environmental law, create any environmental risk or hazard, or damage the property of any person. No such waste material shall be deposited on AT&T-21STATE premises for storage or disposal.
- 4.11 Compliance with Other Governmental Requirements:
  - 4.11.1 WSP agrees that its Facilities attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure shall be constructed, placed, maintained, and removed in accordance with the ordinances, rules, and regulations of any governing body having jurisdiction of the subject matter. WSP shall comply with all statutes, ordinances, rules, regulations and other laws requiring the marking and lighting of aerial wires, cables and other structures to ensure that such wires, cables and structures are not a hazard to aeronautical navigation. WSP shall establish appropriate procedures and controls to assure such compliance by all persons acting on WSP's behalf, including but not limited to, WSP's employees, agents, contractors, and subcontractors.
- 4.12 Differences in Standards or Specifications:
  - 4.12.1 To the extent that there may be differences in any applicable standards or specifications referred to in Section 4.1 above, the most stringent standard or specification shall apply.
- 4.13 WSP Solely Responsible for the Condition of Its Facilities:
  - 4.13.1 WSP shall be responsible at all times for the condition of its Facilities and its compliance with the requirements, specifications, rules, regulations, ordinances, and laws specified above. AT&T-21STATE may, however, conduct such inspections and audits of its Poles and Conduit System as AT&T-21STATE determines reasonable or necessary. Such inspection and audits shall be conducted as outlined in Section

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4.14 Observed safety hazards or imminent Facility failure conditions of another party shall be reported to the affected party where such party can be readily identified.

# 5.0 Additional WSP Responsibilities

- 5.1 Third Party Property Owners
  - 5.1.1 Licenses granted under this Appendix authorize WSP to place Facilities in, or attach Facilities to, Poles, Conduits and Ducts owned or controlled by AT&T-21STATE, but do not affect the rights of landowners to control terms and conditions of access to their property.
    - 5.1.1.1 WSP agrees that neither WSP, nor any persons acting on WSP's behalf, including but not limited to WSP's employees, agents, contractors, and subcontractors, shall engage in any conduct which damages public or private property in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System, interferes in any way with the use or enjoyment of public or private property, except as expressly permitted by the owner of such property, or creates a hazard or nuisance on such property (including, but not limited to, a hazard or nuisance resulting from any abandonment or failure to remove WSP's Facilities or any construction debris from the property, failure to erect warning signs or barricades as may be necessary to give notice to others of unsafe conditions on the premises while work performed on WSP's behalf is in progress, or failure to restore the property to a safe condition after such work has been completed).
- 5.2 Lawful Purposes:
  - 5.2.1 All Facilities placed by WSP in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit and Ducts or on AT&T-21STATE's Poles must serve a lawful purpose and the uses made of WSP's Facilities must comply with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and with all federal, state, and local regulatory rules, regulations, and requirements. In this regard, WSP shall not utilize any Facilities occupying or attached to AT&T-21STATE's Conduits, Ducts or Poles for the purpose of providing any services which it is not authorized by law to provide or for the purpose of enabling any other person or entity to provide any such services.

## 6.0 Facilities and Licenses

- 6.1 Licenses Required:
  - 6.1.1 Before placing any Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Conduits or Ducts or attaching any Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's Poles, WSP must first apply for and receive a written License from AT&T-21STATE.
- 6.2 Provision of Records and Information to WSP:
  - 6.2.1 AT&T-21STATE will, upon request and at the expense of the WSP, provide WSP access, in AT&T-21STATE engineering offices for viewing only, to copies of redacted maps, records and additional information relating to the location, capacity and utilization of AT&T-21STATE's Structure. Upon request, AT&T-21STATE will meet with the WSP to clarify matters relating to maps, records or additional information. The Costs, which are to be paid by WSP, associated with viewing copies of AT&T-21STATE records are on an individual case basis. The total Costs are associated with map preparation, viewing and assistance and will be on a time, including all applicable overheads, and material basis. Upon request, AT&T-21STATE may provide to WSP an estimate of charges associated with viewing the records. Prior to viewing the records, WSP shall pay the estimated charges. If such records review is not in conjunction with a specific Application, subsequent to WSP viewing records, AT&T-21STATE shall true up the estimate, as compared to actual Costs, and issue either a refund or an additional invoice to WSP.
  - 6.2.2 Maps, records and information are and remain the proprietary property of AT&T-21STATE, are provided for the WSP's review solely for enabling the WSP to obtain access to AT&T-21STATE's Structure, and may not be resold, reproduced or disseminated by the WSP.
  - 6.2.3 AT&T-21STATE may provide for viewing only, if available, information currently on AT&T-21STATE's maps and/or records regarding:

- 6.2.3.1 the location of Structure and street addresses for Manholes and Poles as shown on AT&T-21STATE's records;
- 6.2.3.2 the footage between Manholes or lateral Ducts' lengths, as shown on AT&T-21STATE's records;
- 6.2.3.3 the footage between Poles, if shown on AT&T-21STATE's records;
- 6.2.3.4 the total capacity of the Structure; and/or
- 6.2.3.5 the existing utilization of the Structure.
- 6.2.4 No Warranty of Record Information:
  - 6.2.4.1 WSP acknowledges that records and information provided by AT&T-21STATE pursuant to this Section 6.2 above may not reflect actual field conditions and that physical inspection is necessary to verify presence and condition of outside plant Facilities and ROW. In providing such records and information for review, AT&T-21STATE assumes no liability to WSP or any third party for errors/omissions contained therein.
- 6.3 Structure Access Request Form ("Application"): To apply for a License under this Appendix, WSP shall submit to AT&T-21STATE the appropriate AT&T-21STATE Application and either a route map specifically indicating WSP desired route or engineered drawings. WSP shall provide sufficient information to locate the proposed Structure and identify/describe the physical characteristics (size, dimensions, and weight) of its Facilities to be attached to AT&T-21STATE's Poles or placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, so that AT&T-21STATE can perform the Make-Ready Survey. WSP shall promptly withdraw or amend its request if, at any time prior to the forty-fifth (45<sup>th</sup>) day, it has determined that it no longer seeks access to specific AT&T-21STATE Structure, provided that WSP shall still be responsible for any Costs attributable to the request.
- 6.4 Cooperation in the Application Process: The orderly processing of Applications submitted by WSP and other parties seeking access to AT&T-21STATE's Structure requires good faith cooperation and coordination between AT&T-21STATE's personnel and personnel acting on behalf of WSP and other parties seeking access. The Parties therefore agree to the following procedures which shall remain in effect during the term of this Appendix unless earlier modified by mutual agreement of the Parties.
  - 6.4.1 Before submitting a formal written Application for access to AT&T-21STATE's Structure, WSP shall make a good faith determination that it actually plans to attach Facilities to or place Facilities within the Poles, Ducts, Conduits, or ROW specified in the Application. Applications shall not be submitted for the purpose of holding or reserving space which WSP does not plan to use or for the purpose of precluding AT&T-21STATE or any other provider of telecommunications services from using such Structure.
  - 6.4.2 No more than twenty (20) Manholes shall be the subject of any single License Application.
  - 6.4.3 Each Application shall designate an employee as WSP's single point of contact for any and all purposes of that Application under this Section, including, but not limited to, processing Licenses and providing records and information. WSP may at any time designate a new point of contact by giving written notice of such change while the Application is open.
  - 6.4.4 All Applications, including those submitted by third parties, will be processed on a first-come, first-served basis.
  - 6.4.5 When WSP has multiple Applications on file with AT&T-21STATE, WSP may designate, if desired, its priority of completion of Surveys and Make-Ready Work with respect to all such Applications.
- 6.5 <u>Make-Ready Survey ("Survey"</u>). A Survey must be completed by AT&T-21STATE within forty-five (45) calendar days of receipt of a complete Application from the WSP, subject to the requirements and policies in each state. In the case of large requests, as defined in Section 6.10.2, AT&T-21STATE shall respond within sixty (60) calendar days of receipt of a complete Application. An inaccurate or incomplete Application will stop the Survey clock until the information is corrected or completed by WSP and resubmitted to AT&T-21STATE.
  - 6.5.1 AT&T-21STATE will provide WSP an estimate of the Costs to perform the Survey upon receipt of an Application. After receipt of a complete Application and WSP's payment of the estimated Survey Costs,

AT&T-21STATE will schedule the Survey. If WSP gives its prior written consent in writing, the determination of Duct availability may include the rodding of Ducts at WSP's expense.

- 6.5.2 The primary purposes of the Survey will be to enable AT&T-21STATE to:
  - 6.5.2.1 Determine whether and where Attachment is feasible based on capacity, safety, reliability, and generally applicable engineering purposes;
  - 6.5.2.2 confirm or determine the modifications, capacity expansion (*i.e.*, taller or stronger Pole), and Make-Ready Work, if any, necessary to accommodate WSP's Attachment of Facilities to AT&T-21STATE Structure;
  - 6.5.2.3 plan and engineer the Facilities modification, capacity expansion (*i.e.*, taller or stronger Pole), and Make-Ready Work, if any, required to prepare AT&T-21STATE's Structure and associated Facilities for WSP's proposed Attachments;
  - 6.5.2.4 if applicable, identify the owner of the Pole; and
  - 6.5.2.5 respond to WSP within the required timeframe with the preceding information.
- 6.6 Assignment of Conduit, Duct and Pole Space: AT&T-21STATE will select, or approve the WSP's selection of, the space WSP will occupy on AT&T-21STATE's Poles or in AT&T's Conduit Systems. Maintenance Ducts shall not be considered Available for WSP's use except as specifically provided elsewhere in this Appendix. Where required by law or franchise agreement, Ducts and attachment space on Poles reserved for municipal use shall not be considered Available for the WSP's use. All other Ducts, innerducts, space on Poles or space in ROW, which are not Assigned or occupied, shall be deemed Available for AT&T-21STATE, WSP, and other parties entitled to access under applicable law. AT&T-21STATE shall assign such space as follows, following completion of the Survey:
  - 6.6.1 After WSP's Application for Attachment has been approved by AT&T-21STATE, the Pole, Duct, or Conduit space selected and/or approved by AT&T-21STATE in such Application will be assigned to WSP for a preoccupancy period not to exceed twelve (12) months, with the following exception:
    - 6.6.1.1 <u>State of California</u>. The Pole, Duct, or Conduit space selected and/or approved by AT&T-21STATE in such Application will be assigned to WSP for a pre-occupancy period not to exceed nine (9) months as detailed by the California Public Utility Commission.
  - 6.6.2 AT&T-21STATE may assign space to itself by making appropriate entries in the same records used to log assignments to WSP and third parties. If AT&T-21STATE assigns Pole, Duct, or Conduit space to itself, such assignment will automatically lapse twelve (12) months (nine (9) months in California) after the date the assignment has been entered into the appropriate AT&T-21STATE record, if AT&T-21STATE has not occupied such assigned space within such twelve (12) or nine (9) month period.
  - 6.6.3 Notwithstanding anything to the contrary, prior to the expiration of the twelve (12) or nine (9) month period, WSP may submit a request for an extension of time based on a thorough explanation of delays outside the WSP's control. AT&T-21STATE shall carefully consider the circumstances of any specific request and will not unreasonably withhold or deny an extension. This extension process shall also apply to assignments of space associated with AT&T-21STATE's own Facility deployments.
- 6.7 No Make-Ready Work Required:
  - 6.7.1 If AT&T-21STATE determines that no Make-Ready Work is required to accommodate WSP's proposed Attachment(s), AT&T-21STATE shall approve such Application after the determination has been made that no Make-Ready Work is required. In addition, AT&T-21STATE shall true up the billing, by comparing estimated to actual Costs, associated with an Application and issue either an invoice for the additional Costs or refund for the overpayment. Within fourteen (14) calendar days of receipt of payment, AT&T-21STATE shall issue the License.
- 6.8 Make-Ready Work Required ("Estimate"):
  - 6.8.1 If Make-Ready Work is determined to be necessary during the Survey phase, AT&T-21STATE shall provide to WSP an Estimate of charges for such Make-Ready Work, as it directly relates to AT&T-21STATE-owned

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Facilities (i.e. Pole replacements and subsequent transfer of AT&T-21STATE cable or AT&T-21STATE cable rearrangements), within fourteen (14) calendar days of providing the response required by Section 6.5, or in the case where the WSP selected an Authorized Contractor for the Survey, within fourteen (14) calendar days of receipt by AT&T-21STATE of such Survey result. Furthermore, an invoice for the actual Survey Costs shall be submitted to WSP for payment.

- 6.8.2 In addition, AT&T-21STATE shall provide a description of Make-Ready Work required of other parties to accommodate WSP's proposed Attachment(s). WSP shall be responsible for negotiating with the other parties the cost for such Make-Ready Work and subsequent payment by WSP, as identified in Section 6.9.4 below.
- 6.8.3 AT&T-21STATE may withdraw an outstanding Estimate of charges to perform Make-Ready Work beginning fourteen (14) calendar days after the Estimate is presented.
- 6.8.4 WSP may accept a valid Estimate and make payment any time after receipt of an Estimate but before the Estimate is withdrawn. WSP's acceptance of Estimate shall also constitute WSP's agreement to pay any additional Cost-based charges as described in Section 6.9.2 for completed Make-Ready Work.
- 6.9 <u>Make-Ready Work</u>. Upon receipt of payment specified in Section 6.8.4, AT&T-21STATE shall notify, immediately and in writing, WSP and all known parties that may be affected by the Make-Ready required for WSP's Attachment(s).
  - 6.9.1 The notice shall:
    - 6.9.1.1 Specify the location and type of Make-Ready to be performed;
    - 6.9.1.2 Except for Conduit and Ducts, set a date for completion of Make-Ready no later than sixty (60) calendar days after notification is sent (or one hundred five (105) calendar days in the case of larger orders as specified in Section 6.10), which may later be extended by fifteen (15) calendar days if Make-Ready required by other parties is not complete and AT&T-21STATE elects to exercise its right of control;
    - 6.9.1.3 State that any entity with an existing Attachment may modify the Attachment consistent with the specified Make-Ready before the date set for completion;
    - 6.9.1.4 Except for Conduit and Ducts, state that AT&T-21STATE may assert its right to fifteen (15) additional calendar days to complete Make-Ready should another party fail to complete such within the prescribed timeframe;
    - 6.9.1.5 State that if Make-Ready is not completed by the completion date set by AT&T-21STATE, WSP may utilize an Authorized Contractor to complete the specified Make-Ready;
    - 6.9.1.6 For Conduit and Ducts, set a date for completion of Make-Ready based upon the amount and complexity of work required; and
    - 6.9.1.7 State the name, telephone number, and e-mail address of a person to contact for more information about the Make-Ready procedure.
  - 6.9.2 Make-Ready Work performed by AT&T-21STATE shall be completed in accordance with the timelines in this Section, as applicable. Upon completion of such Make-Ready Work, the actual Make-Ready Costs shall be trued up through comparison to estimated Make-Ready Costs. The result will include either an additional bill, payable by WSP, for the amount that the actual Make-Ready Costs exceeded the estimated Make-Ready Costs or a refund, to WSP, of the amount that the estimated Make-Ready Costs exceeded the actual Make-Ready Costs.
  - 6.9.3 Make-Ready Work performed by WSP, or by an Authorized Contractor selected by WSP, shall be performed in accordance with AT&T-21STATE's specifications and in accordance with the same standards and practices followed by AT&T-21STATE or AT&T-21STATE's contractors. Neither WSP nor Authorized Contractors selected by WSP shall conduct such work in any manner which degrades the integrity of AT&T-21STATE's Structures or interferes with any existing use of AT&T-21STATE's Facilities or the Facilities of any other party. Following completion of the Make-Ready Work by WSP or the Authorized Contractor

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selected by WSP, WSP shall notify AT&T-21STATE of such completion.

- 6.9.4 <u>Payments to Others for Expenses Incurred in Transferring or Arranging Their Facilities</u>. While AT&T-21STATE shall be responsible for notifying other parties pursuant to this section, WSP shall make arrangements with other parties regarding reimbursement for any expenses incurred by other parties in transferring or rearranging their respective Facilities to accommodate the Attachment or placement of WSP's Facilities to or in AT&T-21STATE's Structure, as well as scheduling the rearrangement of those parties' Facilities.
- 6.10 Timelines Applicable to Pole Attachment Requests. The following timelines shall apply:
  - 6.10.1 AT&T-21STATE shall apply the timeline described in Sections 6.5, 6.8, and 6.9 for Applications for Pole Attachment up to the lesser of 300 Poles or 0.5 percent of AT&T-21STATE's Poles in a state.
  - 6.10.2 AT&T-21STATE may add fifteen (15) calendar days to the Survey period described in Section 6.5 and fortyfive (45) calendar days to the Make-Ready period described in Section 6.9 when Applications exceed the limits described in Section 6.10.1 but are smaller than the lesser of 3,000 Poles or five (5) percent of AT&T-21STATE's Poles in a state.
  - 6.10.3 AT&T-21STATE shall negotiate in good faith the timing when the Applications for Pole Attachment exceed the lesser of 3000 Poles or five (5) percent of AT&T-21STATE's Poles in a state.
  - 6.10.4 AT&T-21STATE may aggregate the number of Poles on multiple Applications from WSP as a single Application for the purposes of determining the appropriate timeline for the active Applications within a rolling thirty (30) day window.
  - 6.10.5 In the state of California only: Make-Ready Work performed by AT&T must be completed within thirty (30) business days of receipt of advanced payment from the Attaching Party, provided that such a timeframe is not inconsistent with applicable legal, safety and reliability requirements. For all requests with more than 500 poles or 5 miles of conduit, the timeline for information requests, as well as Surveys and Make-Ready Work completed by AT&T, shall be negotiated by the Parties in order to establish a mutually satisfactory timeframe.
- 6.11 <u>Deviation by AT&T-21STATE</u>. AT&T-21STATE may deviate from the time limits specified in this Section 6 as described below.
  - 6.11.1 AT&T-21STATE shall not be required to offer an Estimate before the Parties have executed an agreement specifying the rates, terms, and conditions of Attachment.
  - 6.11.2 During performance of Make-Ready Work, for good and sufficient cause that renders it infeasible to complete such work within the prescribed timeframe, AT&T-21STATE may deviate. If so, AT&T-21STATE shall immediately notify, in writing, WSP and other affected entities with existing Attachments on the affected Poles, and shall include the reason for and date and duration of the deviation. AT&T-21STATE shall deviate from the time limits specified in this Section 6 for a period no longer than necessary and shall resume Make-Ready performance without discrimination when it returns to routine operations.
- 6.12 <u>Deviation by WSP</u>. Allowable deviations by WSP with respect to this Section 6:
  - 6.12.1 If AT&T-21STATE fails to respond as specified in Section 6.5, WSP may, as specified in the same section, hire an Authorized Contractor to complete the Survey.
  - 6.12.2 When Make-Ready is not complete by the date specified by Section 6.9.1.2, With exceptions outlined in Section 16.12.2.1 below WSP may hire an Authorized Contractor to complete such Make-Ready, except as stated below:
    - 6.12.2.1 Any Make-Ready Work involving the rearrangement or transfer of AT&T-21STATE Facilities in AT&T-21STATE wire center areas where AT&T-21STATE employs members of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers System Council T-9 ("IBEW T-9") or Communication Workers of America District 3 ("CWA-3") shall be excluded from the Authorized Contractor Make-Ready provision with respect to any Attachments on Poles owned by AT&T-21STATE. IBEW T-9 workers are employed by AT&T-21STATE in portions of Illinois and northern Indiana. CWA-3 workers are employed by AT&T-9STATE in all AT&T-9STATE wire centers.

- 6.12.3 When Make-Ready is not complete by the date specified by Section 6.9.1.2 and is excluded from the Authorized Contractor process based upon Section 6.12.2, AT&T-21STATE and WSP will work together to reach an equitable solution for both Parties.
- 6.12.4 If WSP hires an Authorized Contractor for purposes of completing Make-Ready Work or Surveys, it shall choose from among AT&T-21STATE's list of Authorized Contractors. In those instances, WSP shall provide AT&T-21STATE with a reasonable opportunity for an AT&T-21STATE representative to accompany and consult with the Authorized Contractor and WSP.
- 6.13 Replacement of Facilities:
  - 6.13.1 If WSP desires to place additional cables in Conduits or Ducts already occupied, or to replace existing Facilities with new Facilities substantially different from those described in Licenses in effect, WSP must apply for and acquire a new License specifically describing the physical size, weight and jacket material of the cable to be placed in AT&T-21STATE's Conduits and Ducts or the physical size, weight, and jacket type of cables and the size and weight of apparatus enclosures and other Facilities to be attached to AT&T-21STATE Poles.

## 7.0 Issuance of Licenses

#### 7.1 Obligation to Issue Licenses:

- 7.1.1 AT&T-21STATE shall issue a License to WSP pursuant to this Section. AT&T-21STATE and WSP acknowledge that each Application for a License shall be evaluated on an individual basis. Nothing contained in this section shall be construed as abridging any independent Attachment rights which WSP may have under the provisions of any applicable federal or state laws or regulations governing access to AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits and Ducts, to the extent the same are not inconsistent with the Act. WSP acknowledges the following regarding multiple Applications:
- 7.1.2 That multiple parties including AT&T-21STATE may seek to make Attachments to AT&T-21STATE's Structure at or about the same time.
- 7.1.3 That the Make-Ready Work required to prepare AT&T-21STATE's Facilities to accommodate multiple applicants may differ from the Make-Ready Work required to accommodate a single applicant.
- 7.1.4 That issues relating to the proper apportionment of Costs arise in multi-applicant situations that do not arise in single applicant situations.
- 7.1.5 That cooperation and negotiations between all applicants and AT&T-21STATE may be necessary to resolve disputes involving multiple Applications for permission to place Facilities in/on the same Pole, Conduit, Duct, or ROW.

#### 7.2 License:

- 7.2.1 When the requirements of either Section 6.7 or 6.9, as applicable, have been satisfied, AT&T-21STATE will execute and return a signed authorization to WSP, as appropriate, authorizing WSP to attach or place the specified Facilities on AT&T-21STATE's Poles or in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit or Ducts.
- 7.2.2 Each License issued under this Appendix shall authorize WSP to attach to AT&T-21STATE's Poles or place or maintain in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit or Ducts only those Facilities specifically described in the License, and no others.
- 7.2.3 Except as expressly stated to the contrary in individual Licenses issued hereunder, each License issued pursuant to this Appendix shall incorporate all terms and conditions of this Appendix, whether or not such terms or conditions are expressly incorporated by reference on the face of the License itself.

# 8.0 <u>Construction of WSP's Facilities</u>

- 8.1 Construction Schedule:
  - 8.1.1 Promptly after the issuance of a License permitting WSP to attach Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's Poles or place Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit or Ducts, WSP shall provide AT&T-21STATE with a

construction schedule and shall thereafter keep AT&T-21STATE informed of significant anticipated changes in the construction schedule.

- 8.1.2 Construction schedules required by this Section shall include, at a minimum, the following information:
  - 8.1.2.1 The name, title, business address, and business telephone number of the manager responsible for construction of the Facilities;
  - 8.1.2.2 The names of each contractor and subcontractor who will be involved in the construction activities;
  - 8.1.2.3 The estimated dates when construction will begin and end; and
  - 8.1.2.4 The approximate dates when WSP or persons acting on WSP's behalf will be performing construction work in connection with the placement of WSP's Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit or Ducts.
- 8.2 Additional Pre-construction Procedures for Facilities Placed in Conduit System:
  - 8.2.1 In addition to the requirements referenced and stated in Section 4.0 above, the following procedures shall apply before WSP places Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System:
    - 8.2.1.1 AT&T-21STATE shall designate the particular Duct or Ducts or innerducts (if Available) to be occupied by WSP's Facilities, the location and manner in which WSP's Facilities will enter and exit AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, and the specific location and manner of installation of any associated equipment which is permitted by AT&T-21STATE to occupy the Conduit System. WSP may not occupy a Duct other than the specified Duct without the express written consent of AT&T-21STATE. AT&T-21STATE shall provide to WSP space in Manholes for racking and storage of up to fifty (50) feet of cable, provided space is available.
- 8.3 Responsibility for Constructing or Placing Facilities:
  - 8.3.1 AT&T-21STATE shall have no obligation to construct any Facilities for WSP or to attach WSP's Facilities to, or place WSP's Facilities in, AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System, except as may be necessary to facilitate the interconnection of unbundled network elements or except to the extent expressly provided in this Section, any License issued hereunder, or by the Telecommunications Act or any other applicable law.
- 8.4 WSP Responsible for Constructing, Attaching and Placing Facilities:
  - 8.4.1 Except where otherwise mutually agreed by WSP and AT&T-21STATE, WSP shall be responsible for constructing its own Facilities and attaching those Facilities to, or placing them in, AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduit or Ducts at WSP's sole Cost and expense. WSP shall be solely responsible for paying all persons and entities who provide materials, labor, access to real or personal property, or other goods or services in connection with the construction and placement of WSP's Facilities and for directing the activities of all persons acting on WSP's behalf while they are physically present on AT&T-21STATE's Pole, in any part of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Poles or Conduit System.
- 8.5 Compliance with Applicable Standards, Health and Safety Requirements, and Other Legal Requirements:
  - 8.5.1 WSP shall construct its Facilities in accordance with the provisions of this section and all Licenses issued hereunder.
  - 8.5.2 WSP shall construct, attach and place its Facilities in compliance with all Requirements and Specifications set forth above in this Appendix.
  - 8.5.3 WSP shall satisfy all Legal Requirements set forth in this Appendix.
  - 8.5.4 WSP shall not permit any person acting on WSP's behalf to perform any work on AT&T-21STATE's Poles nor within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System without first verifying, to the extent practicable, on each date when such work is to be performed, that the condition of the Pole or Conduit System is suitable for the work to be performed. If WSP or any person working on WSP's behalf determines that the condition of the Pole or Conduit System is not suitable for the work to be performed, WSP shall notify AT&T-21STATE of the condition of the Pole or Conduit System is not suitable for the work to be performed, WSP shall notify AT&T-21STATE of the condition of the Pole or Conduit System in question and shall not proceed with construction activities until

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WSP is satisfied that the work can be safely performed.

- 8.6 Construction Notification:
  - 8.6.1 If requested to do so, WSP shall provide AT&T-21STATE with information to reasonably assure AT&T-21STATE that construction has been performed in accordance with all applicable standards and requirements.
- 8.7 Points for Attachment:
  - 8.7.1 AT&T-21STATE shall specify the point of attachment at each Pole to be occupied by WSP's Facilities, and such WSP's Facilities shall be attached above AT&T-21STATE's Facilities. When the Facilities of more than one applicant are involved, AT&T-21STATE will attempt, to the extent practicable, to designate the same relative position on each Pole for each applicant's Facilities.
- 8.8 WSP power supply units shall be located in accordance with the specifications and standards referenced in Section 4.0 above.
- 8.9 AT&T-21STATE will evaluate and approve in its sole discretion, on an individual case basis, the location of certain pole-mounted equipment, such as cabinets, amplifiers and wireless equipment including, but not limited to, antennas. The approval and location of such Attachments are dependent upon factors including, but not limited to, climbing space requirements and the types of existing Attachments.
- 8.10 WSP shall hold AT&T-21STATE harmless and indemnify AT&T-21STATE for damages to itself or third parties in accordance with the General Terms and Conditions of this Agreement, which result from the operation or maintenance of WSP's Attachments, including, but not limited to, power supplies, antennas, cabinets and wireless equipment.
- 8.11 Completion of WSP Construction:
  - 8.11.1 For each WSP Attachment within AT&T-21STATE Structure, WSP will provide to AT&T-21STATE (within twenty (20) calendar days of WSP construction-complete date) a complete set of actual placement drawings for posting to AT&T-21STATE records.

# 9.0 Use and Routine Maintenance of WSP's Facilities

- 9.1 Use of WSP's Facilities:
  - 9.1.1 Each License granted under this Section authorizes WSP to have access to WSP's Facilities on or in AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits and Ducts as needed for the purpose of serving WSP's End Users.
- 9.2 Routine Maintenance of WSP's Facilities:
  - 9.2.1 Each License granted under this section authorizes WSP to engage in routine maintenance of WSP's Facilities located on or in AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits, Ducts and ROW pursuant to such License. WSP shall give reasonable written notice to the affected public authority or private landowner as appropriate before commencing any construction, installation, or maintenance of its Attachments or making any material alterations thereto. WSP shall give reasonable notification to AT&T-21STATE before performing any work, whether or not of a routine nature, in AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System.
- 9.3 WSP Responsible for Maintenance of WSP's Facilities:
  - 9.3.1 WSP shall maintain its Facilities in accordance with the provisions of this Section (including but not limited to all requirements set forth in this Appendix) and all Licenses issued hereunder. WSP shall be solely responsible for paying all persons and entities who provide materials, labor, access to real or personal property, or other goods or services in connection with the maintenance of WSP's Facilities and for directing the activities of all persons acting on WSP's behalf while they are physically present on AT&T-21STATE's Poles, within AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or in the immediate vicinity of such Poles or Conduit System.
- 9.4 AT&T-21STATE Is Not Responsible for Maintaining WSP's Facilities:

- 9.4.1 AT&T-21STATE shall have no obligation to maintain any Facilities which WSP has attached or connected to, or placed in, AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits, Ducts or any portion of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, except to the extent expressly provided by the provisions of this Section or any License issued hereunder, or by the Act or other applicable laws, rules or regulations.
- 9.5 Information Concerning the Maintenance of WSP's Facilities:
  - 9.5.1 Promptly after the issuance of a License permitting WSP to attach Facilities to, or place Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduits or Ducts, WSP shall provide AT&T-21STATE with the name, title, business address, and business telephone number of the manager responsible for routine maintenance of WSP's Facilities, and shall thereafter notify AT&T-21STATE of changes to such information. The manager responsible for routine maintenance of WSP's Facilities shall, on AT&T-21STATE's request, identify any contractor, subcontractor, or other person performing maintenance activities on WSP's behalf at a specified site and shall, on AT&T-21STATE's request, provide such additional documentation relating to the maintenance of WSP's Facilities as reasonably necessary to demonstrate that WSP and all persons acting on WSP's behalf are complying with the requirements of this Appendix and Licenses issued hereunder.
- 9.6 Identification of Personnel Authorized to Have Access to WSP's Facilities:
  - 9.6.1 All personnel authorized to have access to WSP's Facilities shall, while working on AT&T-21STATE's Poles, in its Conduit System or Ducts or in the vicinity of such Poles, Ducts or Conduit Systems, carry with them suitable identification and shall, upon the request of any AT&T-21STATE employee, produce such identification.

## 10.0 Modification and Replacement of WSP's Facilities

- 10.1 Notification of Planned Modification or Replacement of Facilities:
  - 10.1.1 WSP shall, when practicable, notify AT&T-21STATE in writing at least sixty (60) calendar days before adding to, relocating, replacing or otherwise modifying its Facilities attached to an AT&T-21STATE Pole or located in any AT&T-21STATE Conduit or Duct. Notification shall contain sufficient information to enable AT&T-21STATE to determine whether the proposed addition, relocation, replacement, or modification is permitted under WSP's present License or requires a new or amended License.
- 10.2 New or Amended License Required:
  - 10.2.1 A new or amended License will be required if the proposed addition, relocation, replacement, or modification:
    - 10.2.1.1 Requires that WSP use additional space on AT&T-21STATE's Poles or in its Conduits or Ducts (including, but not limited to, any additional Ducts, innerducts, or substantial space in any Handhole or Manhole) on either a temporary or permanent basis; or
    - 10.2.1.2 Results in the size or location of WSP's Facilities on AT&T-21STATE's Poles or in its Conduit or Ducts being appreciably different from those described and authorized in WSP's present License (e.g., different Duct or size increase causing a need to re-calculate storm loadings, guying, or Pole class).

# 11.0 <u>Rearrangement of Facilities at the Request of Another</u>

- 11.1 Rearrangement of WSP's Facilities at AT&T-21STATE's Request:
  - 11.1.1 WSP acknowledges that, from time to time, it may be necessary or desirable for AT&T-21STATE to replace Poles, relocate, reconstruct, or modify portions of its Conduit System or rearrange Facilities contained therein or connected thereto and that such changes may be necessitated by AT&T-21STATE's business needs. WSP agrees that in such cases WSP will, upon AT&T-21STATE's request, and at AT&T-21STATE's expense, but at no Cost to WSP, participate with AT&T-21STATE in the relocation, reconstruction, or modification of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or Facilities rearrangement.
  - 11.1.2 WSP acknowledges that, from time to time, it may be necessary or desirable for AT&T-21STATE to replace Poles, relocate, reconstruct, or modify portions of its Conduit System or rearrange Facilities contained

therein or connected thereto and that such changes may be necessitated by a third party's request for access to AT&T-21STATE's Structure. WSP agrees that in such instances WSP will, upon AT&T-21STATE's request, and at such third party's expense, but at no Cost to WSP, participate with AT&T-21STATE and third party in the relocation, reconstruction, or modification of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or Facilities rearrangement.

- 11.1.3 WSP acknowledges that, from time to time, it may be necessary or desirable for AT&T-21STATE to replace Poles, relocate, reconstruct, or modify portions of its Conduit System or rearrange Facilities contained therein or connected thereto as a result of an order by a municipality or other governmental authority. WSP shall, upon AT&T-21STATE's request, participate with AT&T-21STATE (and other WSPs) in the relocation, reconstruction, or modification of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System or Facilities rearrangement and pay its proportionate share of any costs of such relocation, reconstruction, or modification that are not reimbursed by such municipality or governmental authority.
- 11.1.4 WSP shall make all rearrangements or transfers of its Facilities within such period of time as is jointly deemed reasonable by the Parties based on the amount of rearrangements necessary, a desire to minimize chances for service interruption or Facility-based service denial to a WSP End User and any requirements of the Act or federal or state laws or regulations with regard to any such rearrangement or transfer.
- 11.1.5 If WSP fails to make the required rearrangements or transfers within the time prescribed or within such extended periods of time as may be granted by AT&T-21STATE in writing, AT&T-21STATE may perform such rearrangements or transfers with written notification to WSP, and WSP shall reimburse AT&T-21STATE for actual Costs and expenses incurred by AT&T-21STATE in connection with the rearrangement or transfers of WSP's Facilities; provided, however, that nothing contained in this Appendix or any License issued hereunder shall be construed as requiring WSP to bear any expenses which, under the Act or other applicable federal or state laws or regulations, are to be allocated to persons or entities other than WSP; and provided further, however, that WSP shall have no responsibility for rearrangement costs and expenses relating to rearrangements performed for the purpose of meeting AT&T-21STATE's business needs.

## 12.0 Emergency Repairs and Pole Replacements

- 12.1 Responsibility for Emergency Repairs; Access to Maintenance Duct:
  - 12.1.1 In general, each Party shall be responsible for making emergency repairs to its own Facilities and for formulating appropriate plans and practices enabling such Party to make such repairs.
  - 12.1.2 Nothing contained in this Appendix shall be construed as requiring either Party to perform any repair or service restoration work of any kind with respect to the other Party's Facilities or the Facilities of Attaching Parties.
  - 12.1.3 Maintenance Ducts shall be available, on a nondiscriminatory basis, for emergency repair activities by any entity with Facilities in the Conduit section in which the Maintenance Duct is located; provided, however, that an entity using the Maintenance Duct for emergency repair activities will notify AT&T-21STATE within twelve (12) hours of the current Business Day (or first Business Day following a non-business day) that such entity is entering the AT&T-21STATE Conduit system and using the Maintenance Duct for emergency restoral purposes. The notice will include a description of the emergency and non-emergency services involved and an estimate of the completion time. Maintenance Ducts will be used to restore the highest priority services, first. Existing spare Ducts may be used for restoration purposes providing the spare Ducts are restored after restoration work is complete. Any spare Ducts not returned will be included to be assigned to the user of the Duct and a License issued.
  - 12.1.4 WSP shall either vacate the Maintenance Duct within thirty (30) calendar days or, with AT&T-21STATE's consent, rearrange its Facilities to ensure that at least one full-sized replacement Maintenance Duct (or, if the designated Maintenance Duct was an innerduct, a suitable replacement innerduct) is available for use by all occupants in the Conduit section within thirty (30) calendar days after WSP occupies the Maintenance Ducts. If WSP fails to vacate the Maintenance Duct as described above, AT&T-21STATE may install a Maintenance Conduit at WSP's expense.

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- 12.2 Designation of Emergency Repair Coordinators and Other Information:
  - 12.2.1 For each AT&T-21STATE construction district, WSP shall provide AT&T-21STATE with the emergency contact number of WSP's designated point of contact for coordinating the handling of emergency repairs of WSP's Facilities and shall thereafter notify AT&T-21STATE of changes to such information.
- 12.3 Order of Precedence of Work Operations; Access to Maintenance Duct and Other Unoccupied Ducts in Emergency Situations:
  - 12.3.1 When notice and coordination are practicable, AT&T-21STATE, WSP, and other affected parties shall coordinate repair and other work operations in emergency situations involving service disruptions. Disputes will be immediately resolved at the site by the affected parties present in accordance with the principles described in Sections 12.3.2 through 12.3.4.
  - 12.3.2 Emergency service restoration work requirements shall take precedence over other work operations.
  - 12.3.3 Except as otherwise agreed upon by the parties, restoration of lines for emergency services providers (e.g., 911, fire, police, national security, hospital lines) shall be given the highest priority and temporary occupancy of the Maintenance Duct (and, if necessary, other unoccupied Ducts) shall be assigned in a manner consistent with this priority. Secondary priority shall be given to restoring services to the local service providers with the greatest numbers of local lines out of service due to the emergency. The parties shall exercise good faith in assigning priorities, shall base their decisions on the best information then available to them at the site in question, and may, by mutual agreement at the site, take other factors into consideration in assigning priorities and sequencing service restoration activities.
  - 12.3.4 AT&T-21STATE shall determine the order of precedence of work operations and assignment of Duct space in the Maintenance Duct (and other unoccupied Ducts) only if the affected parties present are unable to reach consensus provided, however, that these decisions shall be made by AT&T-21STATE on a nondiscriminatory basis in accordance with the principles set forth in this section.
- 12.4 Emergency Pole Replacements
  - 12.4.1 When emergency Pole replacements are required, AT&T-21STATE shall promptly make a good faith effort to contact WSP to notify WSP of the emergency and to determine whether WSP will respond to the emergency in a timely manner.
  - 12.4.2 If notified by AT&T-21STATE that an emergency exists which will require the replacement of a Pole, WSP shall transfer its Facilities immediately, provided such transfer is necessary to rectify the emergency. If the transfer is to an AT&T-21STATE replacement Pole, the transfer shall be in accordance with AT&T-21STATE's placement instructions.
  - 12.4.3 If WSP is unable to respond to the emergency situation immediately, WSP shall so advise AT&T-21STATE and thereby authorize AT&T-21STATE (or any Attaching Party sharing the Pole with AT&T-21STATE) to perform such emergency-necessitated transfers (and associated Facilities rearrangements) on WSP's behalf at the WSP's expense.
- 12.5 Expenses Associated with Emergency Repairs:
  - 12.5.1 Each Party shall bear all reasonable expenses arising out of or in connection with emergency repairs of its own Facilities and transfers or rearrangements of such Facilities associated with emergency Pole replacements made in accordance with the provisions of this section.
  - 12.5.2 Each Party shall be solely responsible for paying all persons and entities that provide materials, labor, access to real or personal property, or other goods or services in connection with any such repair, transfer, or rearrangement of such Party's Facilities.
  - 12.5.3 WSP shall reimburse AT&T-21STATE for the Costs incurred by AT&T-21STATE for work performed by AT&T-21STATE on WSP's behalf in accordance with the provisions of this section.

# 13.0 Inspection by AT&T-21STATE of WSP's Facilities

- 13.1 AT&T-21STATE may monitor, at WSP's expense, the entrance and exit of WSP's Facilities into/from AT&T-21STATE's Manholes and the placement of WSP's Facilities in AT&T-21STATE's Manholes.
- 13.2 Post-Construction Inspections:
  - 13.2.1 AT&T-21STATE will, at WSP's expense, conduct a post-construction inspection of WSP's attachment of Facilities to AT&T-21STATE's Structure for the purpose of determining the conformance of the Attachments to the License. AT&T-21STATE will endeavor to notify WSP of proposed date and time prior to the post-construction inspection. The WSP may accompany AT&T-21STATE on the post-construction inspection. Findings of nonconformance shall be communicated to WSP by AT&T-21STATE as soon as practical.
- 13.3 Routine or Spot Inspections:
  - 13.3.1 AT&T-21STATE shall have the right, but not the obligation, to make Routine or Spot inspections of all Facilities attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure to help ensure compliance with the terms and conditions of the respective agreements.
  - 13.3.2 AT&T-21STATE will give WSP advance written notification of Routine Inspections involving WSP Facilities, and WSP shall have the right to have a representative attend such inspections at WSP's sole expense. However, Spot Inspections by their very nature are performed without such advance notice.
  - 13.3.3 If WSP's Facilities are in compliance with this Appendix, there will be no charges incurred by WSP for the Routine or Spot Inspection. If WSP's Facilities are not in compliance with this Appendix, AT&T-21STATE may charge WSP for the inspection. The amount paid by WSP shall be the amount applicable to the particular item of Structure with the noncompliant Attachment.
- 13.4 If, pursuant to a post-construction, Routine or Spot Inspection, AT&T-21STATE determines that WSP's Facilities or any part thereof have not been placed or maintained or are not being used in accordance with the requirements of this Agreement, AT&T-21STATE may send notice to WSP specifying the alleged noncompliance. WSP agrees to acknowledge receipt of the notice as soon as practicable. If WSP does not dispute AT&T-21STATE's assertion that such Facilities are not in compliance, WSP agrees to provide AT&T-21STATE with a schedule for bringing such Facilities into compliance, to bring the Facilities into compliance within a reasonable time, and to notify AT&T-21STATE when the Facilities have been brought into compliance.
- 13.5 WSP shall bring its noncompliant Facilities into compliance within thirty (30) calendar days after being notified of such noncompliance. If any Make-Ready or modification work to AT&T-21STATE's Structure is required to bring WSP's Facilities into compliance, WSP shall provide notice to AT&T-21STATE and the Make-Ready Work or modification will be treated in the same fashion as Make-Ready Work or modifications for a new request for attachment. If the violation creates a hazardous condition, Facilities must be brought into compliance upon notification.
- 13.6 Disputes over Alleged Noncompliance:
  - 13.6.1 If WSP disputes AT&T-21STATE's assertion that WSP's Facilities are not in compliance, WSP shall notify AT&T-21STATE in writing of the basis for WSP's objection to the assertion that its Facilities are noncompliant.
- 13.7 Neither the act of inspection by AT&T-21STATE of WSP's Facilities nor any failure to inspect such Facilities shall operate to impose on AT&T-21STATE any liability of any kind whatsoever or to relieve WSP of any responsibility, obligations or liability under this Section or otherwise existing.
- 13.8 Failure to Bring Facilities into Compliance:
  - 13.8.1 If WSP has not brought the Facilities into compliance within a reasonable time or provided AT&T-21STATE with proof sufficient to persuade AT&T-21STATE that AT&T-21STATE erred in asserting that the Facilities were not in compliance, AT&T-21STATE may, at its option and WSP's expense, take such non-service affecting steps as may be required to bring WSP's Facilities into compliance, including but not limited to correcting any conditions which do not meet the specifications of this Appendix.
- 13.9 Correction of Conditions by AT&T-21STATE:
  - 13.9.1 If AT&T-21STATE elects to bring WSP's Facilities into compliance, the provisions of this Section shall apply.

- 13.9.2 AT&T-21STATE will, whenever practicable, notify WSP in writing before performing such work. The written notice shall describe the nature of the work to be performed and AT&T-21STATE's schedule for performing the work.
- 13.9.3 If WSP's Facilities have become detached or partially detached from supporting racks or wall supports located within an AT&T-21STATE Manhole, AT&T-21STATE may, at WSP's expense, reattach them but shall not be obligated to do so. If AT&T-21STATE does not reattach WSP's Facilities, AT&T-21STATE shall endeavor to arrange with WSP for the reattachment of any Facilities affected.
- 13.9.4 AT&T-21STATE shall, as soon as practicable after performing the work, advise WSP in writing of the work performed or action taken. Upon receiving such notice, WSP shall inspect the Facilities and take such steps as WSP may deem necessary to ensure that the Facilities meet WSP's performance requirements.
- 13.9.5 WSP to Bear Expenses:
  - 13.9.5.1 WSP shall bear all expenses arising out of or in connection with any work performed to bring WSP's Facilities into compliance with this Section; provided, however that nothing contained in this Section or any License issued hereunder shall be construed as requiring WSP to bear any expenses which, under applicable federal or state laws or regulations, must be borne by persons or entities other than WSP.
- 13.9.6 AT&T-21STATE shall have the right, upon thirty (30) calendar days' notice to WSP, to determine the total number and exact location of WSP's Attachments on AT&T-21STATE Poles and/or Conduit through a physical Survey conducted by AT&T-21STATE or its agents. WSP shall have the right to participate in the Survey. The costs incurred by AT&T-21STATE to conduct the physical inventory shall be shared proportionately with AT&T-21STATE by WSP. If the Attachments of third parties are included in the inventory, all parties, including WSP, shall share proportionately in the costs with AT&T-21STATE.

# 14.0 <u>Unauthorized Attachment or Utilization of AT&T-21STATE's Facilities</u>

- 14.1 Notice to WSP:
  - 14.1.1 If any of WSP's Facilities for which no License is presently in effect are found attached to AT&T-21STATE's Poles or within any part of AT&T-21STATE's Conduit System, AT&T-21STATE, without prejudice to other rights or remedies available to AT&T-21STATE under this Appendix, and without prejudice to any rights or remedies which may exist independent of this Appendix, shall send a written notice to WSP advising WSP that no License is presently in effect with respect to the Facilities. Within thirty (30) calendar days after receiving a notice, WSP shall acknowledge receipt of the notice by submitting to AT&T-21STATE, in writing, an Application for a new or amended License with respect to such Facilities.
- 14.2 Approval of Request and Retroactive Charges:
  - 14.2.1 If AT&T-21STATE approves WSP's Application for a new or amended License, WSP shall be liable to AT&T-21STATE for all fees and charges associated with the unauthorized Attachment(s). The issuance of a new or amended License as provided by this Section shall not operate retroactively or constitute a waiver by AT&T-21STATE of any of its rights or privileges under this Appendix or otherwise.
  - 14.2.2 Attachment fees and charges shall continue to accrue until the unauthorized Facilities are removed from AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Conduit System or ROW or until a new or amended License is issued and shall include, but not be limited to, all fees and charges which would have been due and payable if WSP and its predecessors had continuously complied with all applicable AT&T-21STATE licensing requirements. Such fees and charges shall be due and payable thirty (30) calendar days after the date of the bill or invoice stating such fees and charges. In addition, WSP shall be liable for an unauthorized Attachment fee as specified in Section 16 of this Appendix. Payment of such fees shall be deemed liquidated damages and not a penalty. In addition, WSP shall rearrange or remove its unauthorized Facilities at AT&T-21STATE's request to comply with applicable placement standards, shall remove its Facilities from any space occupied by or assigned to AT&T-21STATE or another party, and shall pay AT&T-21STATE for all Costs incurred by AT&T-21STATE in connection with any rearrangements, modifications, or replacements necessitated as a result of the presence of WSP's unauthorized Facilities.

- 14.3 Removal of Unauthorized Attachments:
  - 14.3.1 If WSP does not obtain a new or amended License with respect to unauthorized Facilities within the specified period of time, AT&T-21STATE shall by written notice advise WSP to remove its unauthorized Facilities not less than sixty (60) calendar days from the date of notice and WSP shall remove the Facilities within the time specified in the notice. If the Facilities have not been removed within the time specified in the notice. If the Facilities have not been removed within the time specified in the notice. If the Facilities have not been removed within the time specified in the notice, AT&T-21STATE may, at AT&T-21STATE's option, remove WSP's Facilities at WSP's expense.
- 14.4 No Ratification of Unpermitted Attachments or Unauthorized Use of AT&T-21STATE's Facilities:
  - 14.4.1 No act or failure to act by AT&T-21STATE with regard to any unauthorized Attachment or unauthorized use of AT&T-21STATE's Structure shall be deemed to constitute a ratification by AT&T-21STATE of the unauthorized Attachment or use, nor shall the payment by WSP of fees and charges for unauthorized Attachments exonerate WSP from liability for any trespass or other illegal or wrongful conduct in connection with the unauthorized placement or use of such Facilities.

#### 15.0 <u>Removal of WSP's Facilities</u>

- 15.1 When WSP no longer intends to occupy space on an AT&T-21STATE Pole or in an AT&T-21STATE Duct or Conduit, WSP will provide written notification to AT&T-21STATE that it wishes to terminate the License with respect to such space and will remove its Facilities from the space described in the notice. Upon removal of WSP's Facilities, the License shall terminate and the space shall be available for reassignment.
  - 15.1.1 WSP shall be responsible for and shall bear all expenses arising out of or in connection with the removal of its Facilities from AT&T-21STATE's Structure, including compliance with industry standard requirements.
  - 15.1.2 Except as otherwise agreed upon in writing by the Parties, WSP must, after removing its Facilities, plug all previously occupied Ducts at the entrances to AT&T-21STATE's Manholes.
  - 15.1.3 WSP shall be solely responsible for the removal of its own Facilities from AT&T-21STATE's Structure.
- 15.2 At AT&T-21STATE's request, WSP shall remove from AT&T-21STATE's Structure any of WSP's Facilities which are no longer in active use. Upon request, WSP will provide proof satisfactory to AT&T-21STATE that WSP's Facility is in active service. WSP shall not abandon any of its Facilities by leaving such Facilities on or in AT&T-21STATE's Structure.
- 15.3 Removal Following Termination of License:
  - 15.3.1 WSP shall remove its Facilities from AT&T-21STATE's Poles, Ducts, Conduits, or ROW within thirty (30) calendar days after termination of the License.
- 15.4 Removal Following Replacement of Facilities:
  - 15.4.1 WSP shall remove Facilities no longer in service from AT&T-21STATE's Structures within thirty (30) calendar days after the date WSP replaces existing Facilities on a Pole or in a Conduit with substitute Facilities on the same Pole or in the same Conduit.
- 15.5 Removal to Avoid Forfeiture:
  - 15.5.1 If the presence of WSP's Facilities on or in AT&T-21STATE's Structure would cause a forfeiture of the rights of AT&T-21STATE to occupy the property where such Structure is located, AT&T-21STATE will promptly notify WSP in writing and WSP shall not, without due cause and justification, refuse to remove its Facilities within such time as may be required to prevent such forfeiture. AT&T-21STATE will give WSP not less than thirty (30) calendar days from the date of notice to remove WSP's Facilities unless prior removal is required to prevent the forfeiture of AT&T-21STATE's rights. At WSP's request, the Parties will engage in good faith negotiations with each other, with other parties, and with third party property owners and cooperatively take such other steps as may be necessary to avoid the removal of WSP's Facilities.
- 15.6 Removal of Facilities by AT&T-21STATE; Notice of Intent to Remove:
  - 15.6.1 If WSP fails to remove its Facilities from AT&T-21STATE's Structure in accordance with the provisions of Sections 15.1-15.5 of this Appendix, AT&T-21STATE may remove such Facilities and store them at WSP's

expense in a public warehouse or elsewhere without being deemed guilty of trespass or conversion and without becoming liable to WSP for any injury, loss, or damage resulting from such actions. AT&T-21STATE shall give WSP not less than thirty (30) calendar days' prior written notice of its intent to remove WSP's Facilities pursuant to this Section.

- 15.7 Removal of Facilities by AT&T-21STATE:
  - 15.7.1 If AT&T-21STATE removes any of WSP's Facilities pursuant to this Section, WSP shall reimburse AT&T-21STATE for AT&T-21STATE's Costs in connection with the removal, storage, delivery, or other disposition of the removed Facilities.

#### 16.0 Rates, Fees, Charges and Billing

- 16.1 Rates, Charges and Fees Subject to Applicable Laws, Regulations, Rules, and Commission Orders:
  - 16.1.1 All rates, charges and fees outlined in this Appendix will be modified from time to time pursuant to Section 16.3 and made available on AT&T's CLEC Online or prime access web site.
- 16.2 WSP agrees that in the event WSP fails to pay an amount due and payable within the period of time set forth for payment interest shall accrue on the unpaid balance thereof at the rate of 1 ½% per month for each month from the expiration of such period until payment is received by AT&T-21STATE or the maximum interest rate permitted by law, whichever is the lesser amount.
- 16.3 Changes to Rates, Charges and Fees:
  - At its option and subject to applicable federal and state laws, rules, regulations and orders, AT&T-21STATE shall have the right to change the rates, charges and fees outlined in this AppendixNotice of changes in rates, charges, and fees, and their effective date, will be communicated to WSPs by posting an Accessible Letter to the AT&T CLEC Online and/or prime access websites sixty (60) calendar days before the specific changes being made.
- 16.4 For all states that have not established their own unauthorized Attachment fees, the following shall apply:
  - 16.4.1 Upon AT&T-21STATE's discovery of unauthorized Attachments in a joint audit or WSP's self-report of unauthorized Attachments and written notice of said unauthorized Attachments (including location), WSP shall pay AT&T-21STATE the back-rent, including interest, that would have been due for these Attachments, plus an additional amount of five (5) times the annual rent per Attachment for each unauthorized Attachment.
  - 16.4.2 If WSP declines to participate in an inspection, by providing the locations of its existing Attachments, and AT&T-21STATE discovers an unauthorized Attachment by WSP, AT&T-21STATE will also be entitled to invoice WSP a sanction of one hundred dollars (\$100) for each such unauthorized Attachment that is discovered.
  - 16.4.3 Amounts for unauthorized Attachments will be invoiced by AT&T-21STATE and WSP shall pay the invoice in full within thirty (30) days of the invoice date.
  - 16.4.4 WSP can avoid the one hundred dollar (\$100) sanction by submitting a plan of correction within sixty (60) calendar days of receiving written notice or invoice from AT&T-21STATE and correcting any safety violations within one hundred eighty (180) calendar days.
- 16.5 In the state of California, each individual unauthorized Attachment shall be assessed a five hundred dollar (\$500) penalty in addition to all other costs which are part of Attaching Party's responsibility.

#### 17.0 Indemnification

- 17.1 In addition to the Indemnification clauses in the General Terms & Conditions to this Agreement, the following shall apply to this Appendix:
  - 17.1.1 AT&T-21STATE shall exercise precaution to avoid damaging the Facilities of WSP and shall make an immediate report to WSP of the occurrence of any such damage caused by its employees, agents or

contractors. AT&T-21STATE agrees to reimburse WSP for all reasonable Costs incurred by WSP for the physical repair of such Facilities damaged by the negligence of AT&T-21STATE, its employees, agents, contractors, subcontractors or invitees. However, AT&T-21STATE shall not be liable to WSP for any interruption of WSP's service or for interference with the operation of WSP's Facilities, or for any special, indirect, or consequential damages arising in any manner, including AT&T-21STATE's negligence, out of the use of Pole(s) or Conduit Systems or AT&T-21STATE from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, costs and reasonable attorneys' fees with respect to such special, indirect or consequential damages.

- 17.1.2 WSP shall exercise precaution to avoid damaging the Facilities of AT&T-21STATE and of others attached to Pole(s) or occupying a Conduit System and shall make an immediate report to the Owner of the occurrence of any such damage caused by WSP's employees, agents or contractors. WSP agrees to reimburse AT&T-21STATE for all reasonable Costs incurred by AT&T-21STATE for the physical repair of such Facilities damaged by the negligence of WSP.
- 17.1.3 WSP shall indemnify, protect and save harmless AT&T-21STATE, its directors, officers, employees and agents, and other parties attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of action, damages and Costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees through appeals incurred by AT&T-21STATE, and other parties attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure, as a result of acts by the WSP, its employees, agents or contractors, including but not limited to the Costs of relocating Pole(s) or Conduit Systems resulting from a loss of ROW or property owner consents and/or the Costs of defending those rights and/or consents.
- 17.1.4 The WSP shall indemnify, protect and save harmless AT&T-21STATE, its directors, officers, employees and agents, and other parties attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure from and against any and all claims, demands, causes of actions and Costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees, through appeals for damages to property and injury or death to persons, including but not limited to payments under any Worker's Compensation Law or under any plan for employee's disability and death benefits, caused by, arising from, incident to, connected with or growing out of the erection, rearrangement, maintenance, presence, use or removal of WSP's Facilities, or by their proximity to the Facilities of all parties attached to a Pole or placed in a Conduit System, or by any act or omission of the WSP's employees, agents or contractors in the vicinity of AT&T-21STATE's Pole(s) or Conduit System.
- 17.1.5 The WSP shall indemnify, protect and save harmless AT&T-21STATE, its directors, officers, employees, and agents, and other parties attached to AT&T-21STATE's Structure from any and all claims, demands, causes of action and Costs, including attorneys' fees through appeals, which arise directly or indirectly from the construction and operation of WSP's Facilities, including but not limited to taxes, special charges by others, claims and demands for damages or loss from infringement of copyrights, for libel and slander, for unauthorized use of television or radio broadcast programs and other program material, and from and against all claims, demands and Costs, including attorneys' fees through appeals for infringement of patents with respect to the construction, maintenance, use and operation of WSP's Facilities in combination with Pole(s), Conduit Systems or otherwise.
- 17.1.6 WSP shall promptly advise AT&T-21STATE of all claims relating to damage of property or injury to or death of persons, arising or alleged to have arisen in any manner, directly or indirectly, by the erection, maintenance, repair, replacement, presence, use or removal of the WSP's Facilities. WSP shall promptly notify AT&T-21STATE in writing of any suits or causes of action which may involve AT&T-21STATE and, upon the request of AT&T-21STATE copies of all relevant accident reports and statements made to WSP's insurer by WSP or others shall be furnished promptly to AT&T-21STATE.

## 18.0 Radio Frequency Requirements for Any Wireless Attachments

18.1 WSP is solely responsible for the radio frequency ("RF") emissions emitted by its equipment and will comply with all Federal Communications Commission (FCC) regulations regarding RF exposure limitations. To the extent required by FCC rules and any applicable state rules, WSP shall install appropriate signage to notify workers and the public of

the potential for exposure to RF emissions.

- 18.2 WSP is under a duty and obligation in connection with the operation of its own Facilities, now existing or in the future, to protect against RF interference to the RF signals of any other party legally utilizing AT&T Structure, as applicable, as may emanate or arise. WSP shall endeavor to correct any interference to the RF signals of any other party legally utilizing AT&T Structure, created by its RF emissions. In the event AT&T-21STATE's operations interfere with WSP's RF signals, AT&T-21STATE and WSP shall cooperate to stop such interference.
- 18.3 WSP shall install a power cut-off switch on every AT&T-21STATE Pole to which it has attached Facilities that can emit RF energy. AT&T-21STATE's authorized field personnel will contact the WSP's designated point of contact not less than 24 hours in advance to inform the WSP of the need for a temporary power shut-down. In the event of an unplanned power outage or other unplanned cut-off of power, or an emergency, the power-down will be with such advance notice as may be practicable. In all instances, once the work has been completed and the worker(s) have departed the exposure area, the party who accomplished the power-down shall restore power and inform WSP as soon as possible that power has been restored.
- 18.4 Emergency After Hours Contact Information. WSP shall provide emergency after hours contact information to AT&T-21STATE. WSP shall be required to include signage which indicates WSP's emergency contact information and NESC-required information.
  - 18.5 Installation and Upkeep of Sign(s). WSP is responsible for the installation and upkeep of its sign(s) on each Pole. The signage will be placed so that it is clearly visible to workers who climb the Pole or ascend by mechanical means. The sign(s) will contain the information approved for such signs by the FCC or applicable state agency, or in the absence of such standards, the information commonly used in the industry for such sign(s).