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| FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS, INC. |) | |
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| Petition for Waiver of Certain Requirements |) | |
| Under the Performance Assurance Plan |) | Docket No. DT 09-113 |

PETITION FOR INTERVENOR STATUS

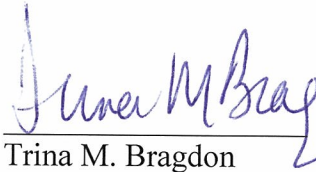
In accordance with the Commission's Rules of Practice, PUC 203.17, CRC Communications of Maine, Inc. (CRC) hereby petitions the Commission for permission to participate in this proceeding as an intervening party.

CRC is a competitive local exchange carrier in New Hampshire that has interconnection arrangements with FairPoint Communications, Inc. (FairPoint). In order to serve its customers in New Hampshire, CRC utilizes certain wholesale facilities and services from FairPoint. Pursuant to its interconnection agreement with FairPoint and Commission Orders, CRC is entitled to certain penalty payments when FairPoint fails to meet the metrics of the Performance Assurance Plan (PAP). Accordingly, CRC has interests in this proceeding and its business activities will likely be affected by the issues that will be decided by this proceeding.

For these reasons, CRC requests that it be allowed to intervene as a party to this proceeding and that that we be included on the service list in this docket:

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Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Trina M. Bragdon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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