

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BEFORE THE
NEW HAMPSHIRE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

Docket No. DT 10-025

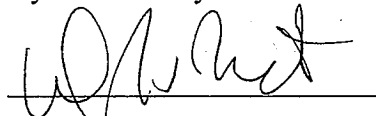
**Request for Approvals in Connection with the
Reorganization Plan of FairPoint Communications, Inc. et al**

Appearance

Please enter my Appearance pursuant to Admin. Rule Puc 203.16 as counsel for Level 3 Communications, LLC in the above-captioned matter, the proceedings to consider FairPoint Communications, Inc.'s Request for Approvals in Connection with the Reorganization Plan. I am licensed to practice law in New Hampshire. I agree to adhere to the Commission's rules of practice and procedure and to adhere to any orders of the Commission or agreements between the parties in the docket, including orders or agreements addressing confidentiality.

Respectfully submitted,

Level 3 Communications, LLC
By its Attorneys



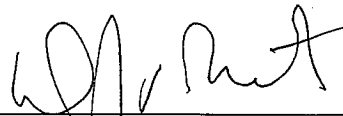
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Dated: March 16, 2010

Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Appearance has on this 16th day of March, 2010 been sent by email to the service list in the above-captioned docket.

By: _____


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