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State of New Hampshire
Public Utilities Commission

Docket No. DT 10-025
FairPoint Communications, Inc., et al.

Respondent: Michael Skrivan
Title: Vice President, Regulatory
Affairs
Objection: By Counsel

REQUEST: Level 3 Communications, LLC
Set 1

DATED: March 17, 2010

ITEM: LEVEL3-4 If the answer to Question 1 is no, please state whether FairPoint intends to reject the Level 3 ICA as part of the resolution of its Chapter 11 bankruptcy proceeding now pending in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York in Case Nos. 09-16335-BRL, et al.

REPLY: OBJECTION. FairPoint objects to Level3-4 on the grounds that it seeks a legal conclusion. Subject to and without waiving this objection, FairPoint will provide information responsive to Level3-4.

FairPoint is not proposing any changes in this docket to the terms and prices of wholesale services in its interconnection agreement with Level 3 in this docket. A process is underway in the bankruptcy court pursuant to which FairPoint is reviewing all of its executory contracts, which include interconnection agreements. That process permits parties to such executory contracts to submit claims against FairPoint under those contracts and provides FairPoint with the opportunity to determine, in its business judgment, whether to assume those contracts and cure all defaults under such contracts or to reject those contracts, subject to the procedures set forth in Section XI of the Debtors' Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization Under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, dated March 10, 2010 (the "Plan"). Level 3 is aware that this process exists, as a Level 3 has appeared in the proceedings before the bankruptcy court and filed a claim against FairPoint.