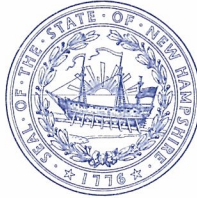


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July 26, 2011

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Re: FairPoint Communications, Inc.  
DT 11-164 Special Contract with Commercial Property Tax Management, LLC  
DT 11-165 Special Contract with Salem School District  
DT 11-166 Special Contract with Governor Wentworth School District

Dear Mr. Taylor:

This letter serves as an acknowledgement of FairPoint Communications, Inc.'s filings, received July 25, 2011. Please reference the docket numbers cited above on any additional material to be filed in these matters. All filings should consist of seven (7) copies of both the cover letter and any associated material.

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Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Debra A. Howland".

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