## COMMERCIAL MOBILE RADIO SERVICE INFORMATION

## ANNOUNCING THE WINNING BIDDERS IN THE FCC'S AUCTION OF 99 LICENSES TO PROVIDE BROADBAND PCS IN MAJOR TRADING AREAS; DOWN PAYMENTS DUE MARCH 20, 1995

On March 13, 1995, the Commission completed its auction of 99 licenses to provide Personal Communications Services in the 2 GHz band (broadband PCS), raising a total of \$7,736,020,384. The winning bidders and the licenses each winning bidder has won are listed in Attachment A hereto. This attachment also lists the amounts that Omnipoint Corporation, Cox Communications, Inc., and American Personal Communications, L.P., will be required to pay for their licenses under the pioneer's preference program.

Each winning bidder must submit to the Commission's lock-box bank sufficient additional funds to bring its total deposits with the government to twenty (20) percent of the sum of its winning bids by Monday, March 20, 1995. All payments must be made in U.S. dollars, must be in the form of a wire transfer or cashier's check, and must be made payable to the "Federal Communications Commission" or "FCC." No other form of payment will be accepted. Cashier's checks must be drawn on a financial institution whose deposits are insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC). All payments, whether by wire transfer or cashier's check, must be made to the Mellon Bank in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Payments made by cashier's check must be received by 11:59 pm Eastern Time, Monday, March 20, 1995. Payments made by wire transfer must be received by 6:00 pm Eastern Time, Monday, March 20, 1995. Bidders making payments by wire transfer should allow sufficient time for the wire transfer to be initiated and for the transmission to be completed prior to the deadline.

Down payments must be accompanied by a completed FCC Remittance Advice (FCC Form 159). Bidders making payments by wire transfer must fax a completed FCC Form 159 to Mellon Bank at (412) 236-5702 at least one hour prior to placing the order for the wire transfer (but on the same business day). Additional instructions for making auction payments are contained in the Procedures, Terms and Conditions for this auction, which were included in the

Bidder's Information Package.

Winning bidders must specify each license won as a separate item on FCC Form 159 (use continuation sheet (FCC Form 159-C) if necessary). Bidders should include the "License No." designation(s) for each license (which are included in the attachment hereto) in Block 18 (FCC Code 2) of FCC Form 159. A bidder that has won multiple licenses must calculate the down payment applicable to each license separately by applying a portion of its upfront payment to each of the licenses won prorated on the basis of the amount of each winning bid relative to the sum of its winning bids. A sample FCC Form 159 showing the proration method to be used to calculate proper down payment amounts was included in the Bidder's Information Package for this auction. (Note: The sample FCC Form 159 does not include the required License No. designations in block 18.) Questions concerning the calculation and submission of down payments should be directed to Regina Dorsey, Chief of the Billings and Collections Branch, at (202) 418-1995.

Winning bidders who do not submit the required down payment by the specified deadline will be considered in default. An entity in default will be assessed a penalty equal to the difference between its winning bid and the winning bid the next time the license is offered by the Commission. An additional penalty equal to three percent of the lesser of the subsequent winning bid or the defaulting bidder's winning bid will also be assessed. See Section 24.704 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 24.704.

Winning bidders also must timely submit a properly completed FCC application for a broadband PCS license (FCC Form 600) within ten (10) business days after issuance of a Public Notice to be released shortly that will include detailed instructions on filing the FCC Form 600.

Once a winning bidder has submitted its down payment and filed the FCC Form 600 long-form application, the Commission will conduct a preliminary review of the application. If it is acceptable, the Commission will release a Public Notice announcing the acceptance for filing of the FCC Form 600. The release of this Public Notice will mark the start of a 30-day period during which interested parties will have the opportunity to file petitions challenging the winning bidder's qualifications to become a licensee. The acceptance of an application for filing does not preclude subsequent return, dismissal or denial of that application.

After a detailed review of a winning bidder's FCC Form 600 application and any petitions

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> In the event that a bidder has withdrawn a bid or bids and is subject to a bid withdrawal penalty or penalties, the bidder's upfront payment will be applied to satisfy the penalty before being applied toward its down payment on licenses it has won. If the amount of the penalty cannot yet be determined, the bidder will be required to make a deposit of 20 percent of the amount bid on such licenses. When it becomes possible to calculate and assess the penalty, any excess deposit will be refunded.

filed against it, the FCC will determine whether there exist any reasons why the license should not be granted; if there are none, it will grant the license. Each grantee will be required to pay the remainder of its winning bid amount within five (5) business days after grant of the license. All license grants will be conditioned on full and timely payment of the bid price.

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ATTACHMENT A  Winning Bidders								
Mkt. No.	Freq. Blk.	License No.	Market	Winning Bidder	Winning Bid			
M001	В	PBM001B	New York	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$442,712,000			
M002	В		Los Angeles-San Diego	Pacific Telesis Mobile Services	\$493,500,000			
M003	Α		Chicago	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$372,750,000			
M003	В		Chicago	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$385,050,583			
M004	A		San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$206,500,000			
M004	В		San Francisco-Oakland-San Jose	Pacific Telesis Mobile Services	\$202,150,000			
M005 M005	A B		Detroit Detroit	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc. WirelessCo, L.P.	\$81,177,000 \$86,107,000			
M006	A		Charlotte-Greensboro-Greenville-Raleigh	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$66,616,000			
M006	В		Charlotte-Greensboro-Greenville-Raleigh	BellSouth Personal Communications, Inc.	\$70,907,001			
M007	A		Dallas-Fort Worth	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$87,500,578			
M007	В		Dallas-Fort Worth	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$88,444,000			
M008	Α		Boston-Providence	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$121,660,000			
M008	В	PBM008B	Boston-Providence	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$127,065,892			
M009	Α	PBM009A	Philadelphia	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$80,951,000			
M009	В	PBM009B	Philadelphia	PhillieCo, L.P.	\$84,995,012			
M010	В		Washington-Baltimore	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$211,771,000			
M011	Α		Atlanta	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$198,411,000			
M011	В		Atlanta	GTE Macro Communications Corporation	\$184,660,483			
M012	A		Minneapolis-St. Paul	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$39,674,673			
M012	В		Minneapolis-St. Paul	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$36,600,012			
M013 M013	A B		Tampa-St. Petersburg-Orlando Tampa-St. Petersburg-Orlando	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc. PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$89,786,837			
M014	A		Houston	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$99,327,723 \$83,888,837			
M014	В		Houston	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$82,680,425			
M015	A		Miami-Fort Lauderdale	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$131,723,000			
M015	В		Miami-Fort Lauderdale	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$126,020,126			
M016	Α		Cleveland	Ameritech Wireless Communications, Inc.	\$87,000,000			
M016	В	PBM016B	Cleveland	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$85,881,000			
M017	Α	PBM017A	New Orleans-Baton Rouge	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$93,949,001			
M017	В	PBM017B	New Orleans-Baton Rouge	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$89,475,484			
M018	Α		Cincinnati-Dayton	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$41,932,000			
M018	В		Cincinnati-Dayton	GTE Macro Communications Corporation	\$42,733,483			
M019	A		St. Louis	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$118,836,000			
M019	В		St. Louis	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$114,325,789			
M020 M020	A B		Milwaukee Milwaukee	WirelessCo, L.P. PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$85,043,289 \$86,000,001			
M021	A	PBM021A		WirelessCo, L.P.	\$28,719,362			
M021	В		Pittsburgh	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$31,665,837			
M022	A		Denver	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$64,436,000			
M022	В		Denver	GTE Macro Communications Corporation	\$64,502,483			
M023	Α		Richmond-Norfolk	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$33,652,000			
M023	В	PBM023B	Richmond-Norfolk	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$33,045,045			
M024	Α	PBM024A	Seattle (Excluding Alaska)	GTE Macro Communications Corporation	\$106,355,002			
M024	В	PBM024B	Seattle (Excluding Alaska)	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$105,163,484			
M025	Α		Puerto Rico-U.S. Virgin Islands	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$56,899,000			
M025	В		Puerto Rico-U.S. Virgin Islands	Centennial Cellular Corp.	\$54,672,000			
M026	A		Louisville-Lexington-Evansville	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$49,262,000			
M026	В		Louisville-Lexington-Evansville	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$46,577,000			
M027	A		Phoenix	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$78,347,000			
M027 M028	В		Phoenix Memphis-Jackson	WirelessCo, L.P. Powertel PCS Partners, L.P.	\$75,608,434 \$43,169,000			
M028	A B		Memphis-Jackson	Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems, Inc.	\$43,168,314			
M028	A		Birmingham	WirelessCo. L.P.	\$35,597,000			
M029	В		Birmingham	Powertel PCS Partners, L.P.	\$35,278,000			
M030	A		Portland	Western PCS Corporation	\$34,155,030			
M030	В		Portland	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$34,139,785			
M031	Α		Indianapolis	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$70,433,000			
M031	В	PBM031B	Indianapolis	Ameritech Wireless Communications, Inc.	\$71,100,000			
M032	Α		Des Moines-Quad Cities	Western PCS Corporation	\$22,100,031			
M032	В		Des Moines-Quad Cities	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$21,042,973			
M033	A		San Antonio	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$54,394,123			
M033	В		San Antonio	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$51,950,059			
M034	A		Kansas City	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$23,619,168			
M034	В		Kansas City	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$23,611,837			
M035	A		Buffalo-Rochester	Wireless Co, L.P.	\$18,893,000			
M035	В		Buffalo-Rochester	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$19,864,000 \$45,847,030			
M036	A		Salt Lake City	Western PCS Corporation	\$45,847,030			
M036	В		Salt Lake City Jacksonville	WirelessCo, L.P. Powertel PCS Partners, L.P.	\$46,179,852 \$46,000,000			
M037 M037	A B	PBM037A PBM037B	Jacksonville	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$46,000,000			
IVIU3/	A		Columbus	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$22,290,000			

M038	В	PBM038B	Columbus	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$22,176,837
M039	Α	PBM039A	El Paso-Alberquerque	Western PCS Corporation	\$8,634,030
M039	В	PBM039B	El Paso-Alberquerque	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$8,634,000
M040	Α	PBM040A	Little Rock	Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems, Inc.	\$12,732,501
M040	В	PBM040B	Little Rock	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$12,321,000
M041	Α	PBM041A	Oklahoma City	Western PCS Corporation	\$11,111,111
M041	В	PBM041B	Oklahoma City	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$13,142,346
M042	Α	PBM042A	Spokane-Billings	Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	\$5,688,000
M042	В	PBM042B	Spokane-Billings	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$6,191,000
M043	Α	PBM043A	Nashville	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$16,374,000
M043	В	PBM043B	Nashville	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$15,810,000
M044	Α	PBM044A	Knoxville	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$10,635,000
M044	В	PBM044B	Knoxville	BellSouth Personal Communications, Inc.	\$11,149,000
M045	Α	PBM045A	Omaha	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$4,647,000
M045	В	PBM045B	Omaha	Cox Cable Communications, Inc.	\$5,078,000
M046	Α	PBM046A	Wichita	AT&T Wireless PCS Inc.	\$4,393,000
M046	В	PBM046B	Wichita	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$4,901,343
M047	Α	PBM047A	Honolulu	Western PCS Corporation	\$22,361,030
M047	В	PBM047B	Honolulu	PCS PRIMECO, L.P.	\$21,675,432
M048	Α	PBM048A	Tulsa	Southwestern Bell Mobile Systems, Inc.	\$17,562,369
M048	В	PBM048B	Tulsa	WirelessCo, L.P.	\$16,801,654
M049	Α	PBM049A	Alaska	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$1,000,000
M049	В	PBM049B	Alaska	GCI Communication Corp.	\$1,650,129
M050	Α	PBM050A	Guam-Northern Mariana Islands	Poka Lambro Telephone Cooperative, Inc.	\$107,000
M050	В	PBM050B	Guam-Northern Mariana Islands	American Portable Telecommunications, Inc.	\$141,837
M051	Α	PBM051A	American Samoa	South Seas Satellite Communications Corporation	\$214,555
M051	В	PBM051B	American Samoa	Communications International Corporation	\$228,001
				Total Bids	\$7,019,403,797
				Total of Bid Withdrawal Penalties	\$14,836,213
				Pioneer Preference Revenues	\$701,780,374
			Omnipoint Corporation	\$347,518,309.	
			Cox Communications, Inc.	\$251,918,526.	
			American Personal Communications, L.P.	\$102,343,539.	
				Grand Total	\$7,736,020,384