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Public Safety Comments on Release of FCC Report

WASHINGTON, D.C. – April 25, 2008 – Today, the Public Safety Spectrum Trust (PSST) commented on the Federal Communications Commission’s (FCC) Inspector General’s report pertaining to the 700 MHz D Block Auction. The FCC was examining potential violations of its rules pertaining to the conclusion of the 700 MHz auction last month.

Chief Harlin McEwen, Chairman of the PSST, said, “Based on our preliminary review of the Inspector General’s report on the D Block investigation, the PSST is pleased that the FCC’s findings confirm in all material respects the PSST’s public explanation of the actions taken by the PSST and its advisor, Cyren Call, in advance of the D Block auction. As a matter of fairness we are hopeful that the same parties that published misleading information that led to this investigation now will correct the record.”

He added, “The PSST, like the FCC, is disappointed that the first D Block auction was not successful. It is committed to working with the Commission and all other parties that want to provide constructive input to make the D Block re-auction a success.”

About the PSST

The PSST, a non-profit corporation organized under the laws of the District of Columbia, is the Public Safety Broadband Licensee (PSBL), holding an FCC license for public safety spectrum in the upper 700 MHz band designated for nationwide wireless broadband use. The PSST’s mission is to provide national public safety leadership an organizational structure through which decisions can be made to guide the construction and operation of an interoperable nationwide broadband network via a public safety-commercial partnership, ensuring the communications requirements of the public safety community are met. For additional information, visit www.psst.org.

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