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DEFENDANTS' PRELIMINARY ELECTION OF ASSERTED PRIOR ART

Pursuant to this Court's Standing Order (Dkt. No. 20), the Discovery and Initial Scheduling Order (Dkt. No. 36), and Amended Scheduling Order (Dkt. No. 47), Hughes Communications, Inc., Hughes Network Systems, LLC, DISH Network, L.L.C., and dishNET Satellite Broadband, L.L.C. (collectively, "Defendants"), without prejudice to their ability to modify this election of asserted prior art in light of the relatively small amount of fact discovery in this action to date, preliminarily elect to assert the following prior art references in this action:

U.S. Patent No. 7,116,710

With respect to U.S. Patent No. 7,116,710, Defendants elect the following prior art references:

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II. <u>U.S. Patent No. 7,421,032</u>

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