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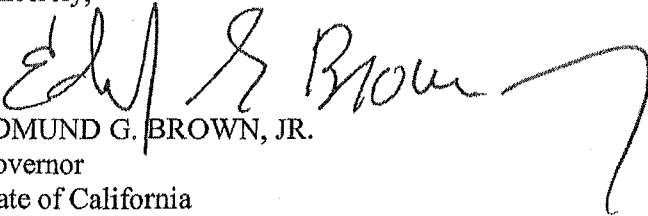
Subject: Deployment of the Nationwide Public Safety Broadband Network as Proposed by the First Responder Network Authority (FirstNet)

Dear Mr. Poth:

This letter serves as notice under 47 U.S.C. § 1442(e)(2)(A) that California has decided to participate in the deployment of the nationwide, interoperable broadband network as proposed in the FirstNet State Plan. While California remains concerned that the proposed plan does not address all our State's needs, California is opting into the plan with the expectation that our concerns will be addressed throughout our partnership.

California looks forward to working with FirstNet to address the gaps in the proposed plan throughout the 25-year deployment and implementation period.

Sincerely,



EDMUND G. BROWN, JR.
Governor
State of California