# UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ATLANTA DIVISION

IN RE:	)
	) CHAPTER 11
PANTECH WIRELESS, INC.	)
	) CASE NO. 16-72088-JRS
Debtor.	)
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# DEBTOR'S DISCLOSURE STATEMENT FOR THE PLAN OF REORGANIZATION

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### I. INTRODUCTION

This is the Disclosure Statement (the "<u>Disclosure Statement</u>") for the Chapter 11 case of Pantech Wireless, Inc., a Georgia corporation (the "<u>Debtor</u>" or "<u>Pantech</u>"). This Disclosure Statement contains information about the Debtor and describes the Debtor's proposed Plan of Reorganization (the "<u>Plan</u>") filed on October 4, 2017. A copy of the Plan is attached to this Disclosure Statement as Exhibit A.

Your rights may be affected. You should read the Plan and this Disclosure Statement carefully and discuss them with your attorney. If you do not have an attorney, you may wish to consult one.

### A. Purpose of This Document.

This Disclosure Statement describes:

- The Debtor and significant events during the bankruptcy case;
- How the Plan proposes to treat claims or equity interests of the type you hold (*i.e.*, what you will receive on your claim or equity interest if the Plan is confirmed);
- Who can vote on or object to the Plan;
- What factors the Bankruptcy Court (the "<u>Court</u>") will consider when deciding whether to confirm the Plan;
- Why the Debtor believes the Plan is feasible, and how the treatment of your claim or equity interest under the Plan compares to what you would receive on your claim or equity interest in reorganization; and
- The effect of confirmation of the Plan.

Be sure to read the Plan as well as the Disclosure Statement. This Disclosure Statement describes the Plan, but it is the Plan itself that will, if confirmed, establish your rights.

# B. Deadlines for Voting and Objecting; Date of Plan Confirmation Hearing.

The Court has not yet confirmed the Plan described in this Disclosure Statement. This Section describes the procedures pursuant to which the Plan will or will not be confirmed.

1. Time and Place of the Hearing to Finally Approve This Disclosure Statement and Confirm the Plan

The Hearing at which the Court will determine whether to approve the Plan and this Disclosure Statement (the Court has conditionally approved it) will take place on the dates set forth within the Order Conditionally Approving Disclosure Statement (the "Order") which has been provided within this package, in Atlanta, Georgia, in Courtroom 1404, at the Richard B. Russell Federal Building and United States Courthouse, 75 Ted Turner Drive, S.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303.

## 2. Deadline for Voting to Accept or Reject the Plan

If you are entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan, vote on the enclosed ballot and return the ballot in the enclosed envelope to the U.S. Bankruptcy Court, 75 Ted Turner Drive, S.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30303, and send a copy to Gregory M. Taube, Esq., Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, 201 17th Street, N.W., Suite 1700, Atlanta, Georgia 30363. *See* Section III A. below for a discussion of voting eligibility requirements.

You must file your ballot with the Court.

3. Deadline for Objecting to the Adequacy of Disclosure and Confirmation of Plan

Objections to the Confirmation of the Debtor's Plan or to this Disclosure Statement must be filed with the Court and served upon the Debtor and all parties in interest on or before the deadline set forth within the Order which has been provided within this package.

# 4. Identity of Person to Contact for More Information

If you want additional information about the Plan, you should contact Gregory M. Taube, Esq., Nelson Mullins Riley & Scarborough LLP, 201 17th Street, N.W., Suite 1700, Atlanta, Georgia 30363, or via email at <a href="mailto:greg.taube@nelsonmullins.com">greg.taube@nelsonmullins.com</a>.

### II. HISTORY OF BUSINESS

The Debtor was primarily a distributor of mobile phone handsets. Founded in 2002 and based in Atlanta, Georgia, the Debtor operated as a subsidiary, initially of Pantech Corp., and later of Pantech, Inc. The Debtor continues to be a subsidiary of Pantech, Inc. ("ParentCo"). The Debtor's sales of mobile phone handsets began to decline in 2013 and continued to decline through 2014, due to severe competition. The Debtor had no sales of mobile phone handsets after 2014.

# III. SUMMARY OF THE PLAN OF REORGANIZATION AND TREATMENT OF CLAIMS AND EQUITY INTERESTS

## A. What is the Purpose of the Plan of Reorganization?

As required by the Code, the Plan places claims and equity interests in various classes and describes the treatment each class will receive. The Plan also states whether each class of claims or equity interests is impaired or unimpaired. If the Plan is confirmed, your recovery will be limited to the amount provided by the Plan.

## 1. Priority Tax Claims.

Priority tax claims are unsecured income, employment, and other taxes described by section 507(a)(8) of the Code. Unless the holder of such a § 507(a)(8) priority tax claim agrees otherwise, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall receive from the Reorganized Debtor, on account of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim, full payment of its claim within thirty (30) days from the Effective Date in accordance with Section 1129(a)(9)(C) of the Bankruptcy Code. Notwithstanding the above, each Holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim may be paid under such other terms as may be agreed upon by both the Holder of such Allowed Priority Tax Claim and the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor, as the case may be.

## **B.** Classes of Claims and Equity Interests

The following are the classes of claims 1-3 set forth under the Plan:

#### Class 1 - Allowed General Unsecured Claims.

- 1. <u>Treatment</u>: Each Holder of an Allowed Unsecured Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction, settlement and release of and in exchange for such Allowed Unsecured Claim: (a) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed General Unsecured Claim; or (b) such other treatment that the Proponent or the and the Holder of such Allowed General Unsecured Claim have agreed upon in writing.
- 2. <u>Status</u>: Class 1 is Unimpaired. The Holders of Claims in Class 1 are deemed to accept this Plan, and accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

## **Class 2 - Allowed Priority Proofs of Claim**

- 1. <u>Treatment</u>: Each Holder of an Allowed Priority Claim will receive in full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of and in exchange for such Allowed Priority Claim: (a) cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Claim; or (b) such other treatment that the Reorganized Debtor or the Proponent, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Priority Claim have agreed upon in writing.
- 2. <u>Status</u>: Class 2 is Unimpaired. With respect to a Class of Claims or Equity Interests, a Class of Claims or Equity Interests that is unimpaired within the meaning of Section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Holders of Claims in Class 2 are deemed to accept this Plan, and accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

# **Class 3 - Equity Interests in the Debtor**

- 1. <u>Treatment</u>: All Class 3 Equity Interests will be retained by the Holders of Equity Interests.
- 2. <u>Status</u>: Class 3 is Unimpaired. The Holders of Claims in Class 3 are deemed to accept this Plan and, accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.

The following charts set forth the proposed Plan treatment of Classes 1-3:

Class	Impairment	Treatment
Class 1 - Allowed General Unsecured Claims	Class 1 is Unimpaired. The Holders of Claims in Class 1 are deemed to accept this Plan, and accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.	Each Holder of an Allowed Unsecured Claim will receive, in full and final satisfaction, settlement and release of and in exchange for such Allowed Unsecured Claim: (a) Cash equal to the amount of such Allowed General Unsecured Claim; or (b) such other treatment that the Proponent or the and the Holder of such Allowed General Unsecured Claim have agreed upon in writing.
Class 2 - Allowed Priority Claims	Class 2 is Unimpaired. With respect to a Class of Claims or Equity Interests, a Class of Claims or Equity Interests that is unimpaired within the meaning of Section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code. The Holders of Claims in Class 2 are deemed to accept this Plan, and accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.	Each Holder of an Allowed Priority Claim will receive in full and final satisfaction, settlement, and release of and in exchange for such Allowed Priority Claim: (a) cash equal to the amount of such Allowed Priority Claim; or (b) such other treatment that the Reorganized Debtor or the Proponent, as applicable, and the Holder of such Allowed Priority Claim have agreed upon in writing.

Class	Impairment	Treatment
Class 3 - Equity Interests in the Debtor	Class 3 is Unimpaired. The Holders of Claims in Class 3 are deemed to accept this Plan and, accordingly, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject this Plan.	All Class 3 Equity Interests will be retained by the Holders of Equity Interests.

## C. Means of Implementing the Plan

The plan is made possible by the willingness of ParentCo to make available a fund of \$300,000 for payment of claims and costs of administration. ParentCo proposes to make a cash infusion of \$300,000. A copy of the Debtor's budget is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Exhibit B.

# D. Steps Taken by Debtor Post-Petition to Facilitate Reorganization

The Debtor has continued to monitor the cash flow of the business. Procedurally, the Initial Debtor Interview and the Meeting of Creditors were held and concluded. The Debtor is also current in the filing of its Monthly Operating Reports.

# **E.** Executory Contracts and Unexpired Leases

The Plan provision that all executory and unexpired fees are deemed rejected as of the Petition Date.

The Deadline for filing a proof of claim based on a claim arising from the rejection of a lease or contract is 30 days after entry of the Court order granting the Debtor's motion to reject the lease or contract. Any claim based on the rejection of a contract or lease will be barred if the proof of claim is not timely filed, unless the Court orders otherwise.

### F. Tax Consequences of Plan

Creditors and Equity Interest Holders Concerned with How the Plan May Affect Their Tax Liability Should Consult with Their Own Accountants, Attorneys, and/or Advisors.

No analysis of the Federal tax consequences of confirmation of the Plan has been made and you should consult with your own tax expert to determine what, if any, tax consequences may result from confirmation of the Debtor's Plan of Reorganization.

## IV. CONFIRMATION REQUIREMENTS AND PROCEDURES

To be confirmable, the Plan must meet the requirements listed in Sections1129 (a) or (b) of the Bankruptcy Code. Among other things, the requirements include that:

- the Plan must be proposed in good faith;
- at least one impaired class of claims must accept the Plan, without counting votes of insiders;
- the Plan must distribute to each creditor and equity interest holder at least as much as the creditor or equity interest holder would receive in a chapter 7 reorganization case, unless the creditor or equity interest holder votes to accept the Plan;
- and the Plan must be feasible.
- There are also additional requirements for confirmation of a Plan listed in Section 1129.

# A. Who May Vote or Object

Any party in interest may object to the confirmation of the Plan if the party believes that the requirements for confirmation are not met.

Certain parties in interest, however, are not entitled to vote to accept or reject the Plan. A creditor or equity interest holder has a right to vote for or against the Plan only if that creditor or equity interest holder has a claim or equity interest that is both (1) allowed or allowed for voting purposes and (2) impaired.

# In this case, the Plan Proponent believes that all of the classes are impaired.

# 1. What is an Allowed Claim or an Allowed Equity Interest?

Only a creditor or equity interest holder with an allowed claim or an allowed equity interest has the right to vote on the Plan. Generally, a claim or equity interest is allowed if either (1) the Debtor has scheduled the claim on the Debtor's schedules, unless the claim has been scheduled as disputed, contingent, or unliquidated, or (2) the creditor has filed a proof of claim or equity interest, unless an objection has been filed to such proof of claim or equity interest. When a claim or equity interest is not allowed, that creditor or equity interest holder cannot vote unless the Court, after notice and hearing, either overrules the objection or allows the claim or equity interest for voting purposes pursuant to Rule 3018(a) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure.

#### 2. Who is Not Entitled to Vote

All holders of Allowed Claims are unimpaired and not entitled to vote.

Even If You Are Not Entitled to Vote on the Plan, You Have a Right to Object to the Confirmation of the Plan and to the Adequacy of the Disclosure Statement.

# **B.** Votes Necessary to Confirm the Plan

If impaired classes exist, the Court cannot confirm the Plan unless (1) at least one impaired class of creditors has accepted the Plan without counting the votes of any insiders within that class, and (2) all impaired classes have voted to accept the Plan, unless the Plan is eligible to be confirmed by "cram down" on non-accepting classes, as discussed below in Section B.2.

## 1. Votes Necessary for a Class to Accept the Plan

A class of claims accepts the Plan if both of the following occur: (1) the holders of more than one-half (1/2) of the allowed claims in the class, who vote, cast their votes to accept the Plan, and (2) the holders of at least two-thirds (2/3) in dollar amount of the allowed claims in the class, who vote, cast their votes to accept the Plan.

A class of equity interests accepts the Plan if the holders of at least two-thirds (2/3) in amount of the allowed equity interests in the class, who vote, cast their votes to accept the Plan.

# 2. Treatment of Non-accepting Classes

Even if one or more impaired classes reject the Plan, the Court may nonetheless confirm the Plan if the non-accepting classes are treated in the manner prescribed by § 1129(b) of the Code. A plan that binds non-accepting classes is commonly referred to as a "cram down" plan. The Code allows the Plan to bind non-accepting classes of claims or equity interests if it meets all the requirements for consensual confirmation except the voting requirements of § 1129(a) (8) of the Code, does not "discriminate unfairly," and is "fair and equitable" toward each impaired class that has not voted to accept the Plan.

You should consult your own attorney if a cramdown confirmation will affect your claim or equity interest, as the variations on this general rule are numerous and complex.

# C. Liquidation Analysis

To confirm the Plan, the Court must find that all creditors and equity interest holders who do not accept the Plan will receive at least as much under the Plan as such claim and equity interest holders would receive in a chapter 7 liquidation. In a Chapter 7 liquidation, no creditors would receive any distribution. True and correct copies of Debtor's monthly operating reports are attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference as Exhibit C.

## D. Feasibility

The Court must find that confirmation of the Plan is not likely to be followed by the liquidation or the need for further financial reorganization of the Debtor or any successor to the Debtor, unless such reorganization is proposed in the Plan.

Since the Debtor's Plan involves the infusion of cash to pay all allowed claims, the requirement has been met.

You should consult with your accountant or other financial advisor if you have any questions pertaining to these projections.

#### V. EFFECT OF CONFIRMATION OF PLAN

# A. Discharge of Debt

Except as otherwise expressly provided in this Plan or in the Order Confirming this Plan, as may be amended or modified (the "Confirmation Order"), the Confirmation Order shall operate as a discharge, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, as of the Effective Date of the Plan, to the extent specified pursuant to § 1141(d)(1)(A) of the Bankruptcy Code, except that the Debtor will not be discharged of any debt: (i) imposed by this Plan; (ii) of a kind specified in § 1141(d)(6)(A) if a timely complaint was filed in accordance with Rule 4007(c) of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure; or (iii) of a kind specified in § 1141(d)(6)(B).

#### **B.** Modification of Plan

The Plan Proponent may modify the Plan at any time before confirmation of the Plan. However, the Court may require circulation of a new disclosure statement to and/or re-voting on the Plan by any class of claims treated in less favorably by any such modified Plan. The Plan Proponent may also seek to modify the plan at any time after confirmation only if (1) the Plan has not been substantially consummated; and (2) the Court authorizes the proposed modification after notice and a hearing.

#### C. Final Decree

Once the Estate has been fully administered, as provide in Rule 3022 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, the Plan Proponent, or such other party as the Court shall designate in the Plan Confirming Order, shall file a motion with the Court to obtain a final decree to close the case. Alternatively, the Court may enter such a final decree on its own motion.

#### VI. OTHER AMENDED PLAN PROVISIONS

Revestment of Reorganized Debtor. On the Effective Date of the Plan, except as otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, the Reorganized Debtor shall be revested with all of their assets free and clear of any and all liens, debts, obligations, claims, cure claims, liabilities, equity interests, and all other interests of every kind and nature (except for any permitted encumbrances), and the confirmation order shall so provide.

Section 1146 Exemption. Pursuant to Section 1146(c) of the Bankruptcy Code, the making or delivery of any instrument of transfer pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan or any Plan document, or the re-vesting, transfer, or sale of any real or personal property of, by, or in the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor pursuant to, in implementation of, or as contemplated by the Plan or any Plan document shall not be taxed under any state or local law imposing a stamp tax, transfer tax, or similar tax or fee.

General Causes of Action. On the Effective Date, the Reorganized Debtor shall retain all causes of action, except to the extent a creditor or other third party has been specifically released from any cause of action that the estate may have by the terms of the Plan or by Bankruptcy Court order. Neither a vote to accept the Plan by any creditor nor the entry of the confirmation order will result in the waiver or release of any of the estate's causes of action against such creditor. Confirmation of the Plan and entry of the confirmation order are not intended to and shall not be deemed to have any *res judicata* or other effect which would preclude or inhibit prosecution of such causes of action following confirmation of the Plan, whether specified in this Plan or otherwise.

<u>Settlement of Causes of Action</u>. The Reorganized Debtor may settle any cause of action with the approval of the Bankruptcy Court.

Adversary Proceeding(s). In the event that an adversary proceeding is filed against the Debtor, such shall be deemed dismissed with prejudice on the effective date of the Plan, with each party to bear its own costs and attorney's fees in conjunction with such proceeding. All issues and controversies shall be deemed fully settled and resolved upon confirmation, with each of such parties having fully released each other from any and all claims and defenses whatsoever in conjunction with their claims, other than as specifically set forth in this Plan, or the order confirming the Plan.

<u>Dismissal of Lawsuits</u>. All lawsuits filed against the Debtor shall be deemed dismissed with prejudice on the Effective Date, with each party to bear its own costs and attorney's fees in conjunction with such lawsuits. All issues and controversies shall be deemed fully settled and resolved upon confirmation, with each of such parties having fully released each other from any and all claims and defenses whatsoever, other than as specifically set forth in this Plan, or the order confirming the Plan.

### VII. PROVISIONS GOVERNING DISTRIBUTIONS

<u>Distributions</u>. Each holder of an allowed claim shall be paid as provided by the Plan; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if, on any distribution date, any disputed claims remain, then the Reorganized Debtor shall withhold payment in respect of any disputed claim until a final order has been entered by the Bankruptcy Court resolving such disputed claim.

### Unclaimed Distributions.

(a) If the holder of an allowed claim fails to negotiate a check issued to such holder within ninety (90) days of the date such check was issued, then the Reorganized Debtor shall provide written notice to such holder stating that unless such holder negotiates such check within thirty (30) days of the date of such notice, the amount of cash attributable to such check shall be deemed to be unclaimed, such holder's claim shall no longer be deemed to be allowed, and such holder shall be deemed to have no further claim in respect of such check and shall not participate in any further distributions under the Plan.

(b) If a distribution pursuant to the Plan to any holder of an allowed claim is returned to the Reorganized Debtor due to an incorrect or incomplete address for the holder of such allowed claim, and no claim is made to the Reorganized Debtor as to such distribution within one hundred twenty (120) days of the return of such distribution, then the amount of cash attributable to such distribution shall be deemed to be unclaimed and such holder shall be deemed to have no further claim in respect of such distribution and shall not participate in any further distributions under the Plan.

Transfer of Claim. In the event that the holder of any claim shall transfer such claim on and after the Effective Date, it shall immediately advise the Reorganized Debtor in writing of such transfer. The Reorganized Debtor shall be entitled to assume that no transfer of any claim has been made by any holder unless and until the Reorganized Debtor shall have received written notice to the contrary. Each transferee of any claim shall take such claim subject to the provisions of the Plan and to any request made, waiver or consent given, or other action taken hereunder and, except as otherwise expressly provided in such notice, the Reorganized Debtor shall be entitled to assume conclusively that the transferee named in such notice shall thereafter be vested with all rights and powers of the transferor under the Plan.

## **Determination of Claims.**

- (a) Following the effective date of the Plan and except as may otherwise be provided herein, the Reorganized Debtor shall have standing to and may object to any administrative claim, priority claim, priority tax claim, secured claim, and unsecured claims. Unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court, and except as to any late-filed claims and claims resulting from the rejection of executory contracts or unexpired leases, all objections to claims shall be filed with the Bankruptcy Court on or before sixty (60) days following the effective date (unless such period is extended by the Bankruptcy Court upon motion of the Reorganized Debtor), and the confirmation order shall contain appropriate language to that effect.
- (b) Disputed claims shall be fixed or liquidated in the Bankruptcy Court as core proceedings within the meaning of 28 U.S.C. §157(b)(2)(B) unless the Bankruptcy Court orders otherwise. If the fixing or

reorganization of a contingent or unliquidated claim would cause undue delay in the administration of the reorganization case, such claim shall be estimated by the Bankruptcy Court for purposes of allowance and distribution. Upon receipt of a timely-filed Proof of Claim, the Debtor or other party in interest may file a request for estimation along with its objection to the claim set forth therein. The determination of claims in estimation hearings shall be binding for purposes of establishing the maximum amount of the claim for purposes of allowance and distribution. Procedures for specific estimation hearings, including provisions for discovery, shall be set by the Bankruptcy Court giving due consideration to applicable Bankruptcy Rules and the need for prompt determination of the disputed claim.

**De Minimis Distributions on Account of Allowed Claims.** To avoid the disproportionate expense and inconvenience associated with making distributions in amounts of less than ten dollars (\$10.00) each with respect to allowed claims, the Reorganized Debtor shall not be required to make, and shall be excused from making, distributions in amounts of less than \$10.00 each to holders of allowed claims.

#### VIII. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

Court shall not enter the confirmation order, confirmation of the Plan shall not be effective, and the Debtor shall not be obligated to consummate the Plan, unless the Bankruptcy Court shall have made such findings and determinations regarding the Plan as shall enable the entry of the confirmation order in a manner consistent with the provisions of the Plan and in form and substance satisfactory to the Debtor.

Condition Precedent to Effective Date. The Plan shall not be consummated and the effective date shall not occur until the Bankruptcy Court has entered the confirmation order, in form and substance satisfactory to the Debtor, on the docket of this case, and no stay of the confirmation order shall be in effect.

Waiver of Conditions Precedent. The Debtor may elect to waive any condition precedent set forth above that has not been satisfied on or before the date of the confirmation hearing.

## IX. INJUNCTION, EXCULPATION AND RELEASE PROVISIONS

**General Injunction.** Pursuant to Sections 105, 1123, 1129, and 1141 of the Bankruptcy Code, in order to preserve and implement the various transactions contemplated by and provided for in the Plan, as of the confirmation date, except as otherwise provided in the Plan or in the confirmation order, all persons or entities that have held, currently hold or may hold a claim or other debt or liability, that is discharged pursuant to the terms of the Plan are and shall be permanently enjoined and forever barred to the fullest extent permitted by law from taking any of the following actions on account of any such discharged claims, debts or liabilities, other than actions brought to enforce any rights or obligations under the Plan or the Plan documents: (a) commencing or continuing in any manner any action or other proceeding against the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or its respective properties; (b) enforcing, attaching, collecting or recovering in any manner any judgment, award, decree or order against the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or their assets; (c) creating, perfecting or enforcing any lien or encumbrance against the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or their assets; (d) asserting a setoff, right of subrogation, or recoupment of any kind against any debt, liability or obligation due to the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor; or (e) commencing or continuing, in any manner or in any place, any action that does not comply with or is inconsistent with the provisions of the Plan or the confirmation order. The Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor shall have the right to independently seek enforcement of this general injunction provision. This general injunction provision is an integral part of the Plan and is essential to its implementation.

**Exculpation from Liability.** The Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, its respective directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, accountants, attorneys, and professionals (acting in such capacity), and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns, will neither have nor incur any liability whatsoever to any person or other entity for any act taken or omitted to be taken in good faith in connection with or related to the formulation, preparation, dissemination, implementation, confirmation, or consummation of the Plan, the Disclosure Statement, any Plan document, or any contract, instrument, release, or other agreement or document created or entered into, or any other act taken or omitted to be taken, in connection with the Plan or the reorganization case. The rights

granted herein are cumulative with (and not restrictive of) any and all rights, remedies, and benefits that the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, and its respective agents have or obtain pursuant to any provision of the Bankruptcy Code. This exculpation from liability provision is an integral part of the Plan and is essential to its implementation.

**Release.** To the extent permitted under the Bankruptcy Code, on the Effective Date of the Plan, the post confirmation Debtor shall be unconditionally and hereby is deemed to be unconditionally released from any and all claims, obligations, suits, judgments, damages, rights, remedies, causes of action, charges, costs, debts, indebtedness, or liabilities whatsoever, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, existing or hereafter arising, in law, equity, or otherwise, based in whole or in part upon any act or omission, transaction, event or other occurrence taking place between the Petition Date and the Effective Date, which is in any way relating to the Debtor, this reorganization case, any assets of the Debtor, the business or operations of the Debtor, the Plan, or any of the transactions contemplated thereby. The confirmation order shall enjoin the prosecution by any person or entity, whether directly, derivatively or otherwise, of any such claim, obligation, suit, judgment, damage, right, remedy, cause of action, charge, cost, debt, indebtedness, or liability which arose or accrued during such period or was or could have been asserted against any of the Principals, except as otherwise provided in the Plan, the Plan documents or the Confirmation Order. Each of the Principals shall have the right to independently seek enforcement of this release provision. provision is an integral part of the Plan and is essential to its implementation.

Term of Certain Injunctions and Automatic Stay. All injunctions or automatic stays provided for in the reorganization case pursuant to Sections 105, 362, or other applicable provisions of the Bankruptcy Code, or otherwise, and in existence on the confirmation date, shall remain in full force and effect until the effective date. Any preliminary or permanent injunction entered by the Bankruptcy Court shall continue in full force and effect following the confirmation date and the final decree date, unless otherwise ordered by the Bankruptcy Court.

No Liability for Tax Claims. Unless a taxing governmental authority has asserted a claim against the Debtor before the bar date or administrative expense claims bar date established with respect to such claim, no claim of such governmental authority shall be allowed against the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor for taxes, penalties, interest, additions to tax, or other charges arising out of the failure, if any, of the Debtor, any of his affiliates, or any other person or entity to have paid tax or to have filed any tax return (including any income tax return or franchise tax return) in or for any prior year or arising out of an audit of any return for a period before the Petition Date.

No Liability for Untimely Administrative Expense Claims. Holders of administrative expense claims (including holders of any claims for post-petition federal, state or local taxes) that do not file an application or other Bankruptcy Court-approved pleading by the administrative expense claims bar date shall be forever barred from asserting such administrative expense claims against the Debtor, the Reorganized Debtor, or any of its respective properties.

#### X. RETENTION OF JURISDICTION

General Retention. Notwithstanding the entry of the confirmation order and the occurrence of the effective date, until the reorganization case is closed, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain the most full and extensive jurisdiction of the reorganization case that is permitted by applicable law, including that necessary to ensure that the purposes and intent of the Plan are carried out.

<u>Specific Purposes</u>. In addition to the general retention of jurisdiction set forth in this Plan, after confirmation of the Plan and until the reorganization case is closed, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction of the reorganization case for the following specific purposes:

(a) to allow, disallow, determine, liquidate, classify, estimate, or establish the priority or secured or unsecured status of any claim or equity interest, including the resolution of any application for an administrative expense, and to determine any and all objections to the allowance or priority of claims or equity interests;

- (b) to determine any and all cases, controversies, suits or disputes arising under or relating to the Plan or the confirmation order (including regarding the effect of any release, discharge, or injunction provisions provided for herein or affected hereby and regarding whether conditions to the consummation and/or effective date of the Plan have been satisfied) and to enforce the obligations under the Plan;
- (c) to determine any and all applications for allowance of compensation of professionals and reimbursement of expenses under Section 330, 331 or 503(b) of the Bankruptcy Code arising out of or relating to the reorganization case; provided, however, that this retention of jurisdiction shall not require prior Bankruptcy Court approval of the payment of fees and reimbursement of expenses of professionals after confirmation of the Plan unless an objection to such fees and expenses has been made by the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor;
- (d) to determine any and all motions pending as of the date of the Confirmation Hearing (including pursuant to the Plan) for the rejection, assumption or assignment of executory contracts or unexpired leases to which the Debtor is a party or with respect to which the Debtor may be liable (including assumed contracts), and to determine the allowance of any claims resulting from the rejection thereof or any amount necessary to cure defaults in any assumed and/or assigned executory contracts or unexpired leases (including assumed contracts), including cure claims;
- (e) to determine any and all motions, applications, adversary proceedings, contested or litigated matters, causes of action, and any other matters involving the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor commenced in connection with, or arising during, the reorganization case and pending on the Effective Date, including approval of proposed settlements thereof;
- (f) to enforce, interpret, and administer the terms and provisions of the Plan and the Plan documents;
- (g) to modify any provisions of the Plan to the fullest extent permitted by the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules;
- (h) to consider and act on the compromise and settlement of any claim against or equity interest in the Debtor or the estate;

- (i) to assure the performance by the Reorganized Debtor of its obligations to make distributions under the Plan;
- (j) to correct any defect, cure any omission, reconcile any inconsistency, and make any other necessary change or modification in or to the Disclosure Statement, the Plan, the Plan documents, the Confirmation Order, or any exhibits or schedules to the foregoing, as may be necessary or appropriate to carry out the purposes and intent of the Plan, including the adjustment of the date(s) of performance under the Plan in the event the effective date does not occur as provided herein so that the intended effect of the Plan may be substantially realized thereby;
- (k) to resolve any disputes concerning any release of a non-debtor hereunder or the injunction against acts, employment of process, or actions against such non-debtor arising hereunder;
- (l) to enforce all orders, judgments, injunctions, and rulings entered in connection with this reorganization case;
- (m) to enter such orders as may be necessary or appropriate to implement or consummate the provisions of the Plan and all contracts, instruments, releases, indentures and other agreements or documents created in connection with the Plan, the Disclosure Statement (if required), or the confirmation order, including the Plan documents;
- (n) to review and approve any sale or transfer of assets or property by the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor, including prior to or after the date of the Plan, and determine all questions and disputes regarding such sales or transfers;
- (o) to determine all questions and disputes regarding title to the assets of the Debtor, the estate, or the Reorganized Debtor;
- (p) to determine any motions or contested matters relating to the causes of action, whether brought before or after the effective date;
- (q) to determine any motions or contested matters involving taxes, tax refunds, tax attributes, tax benefits and similar or related matters with respect to the Debtor arising on or prior to the effective date or arising on account of transactions contemplated by the Plan;

- (r) to resolve any determinations which may be requested by the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor of any unpaid or potential tax liability or any matters relating thereto under Sections 505 and 1146(d) of the Bankruptcy Code, including tax liability or such related matters for any taxable year or portion thereof ending on or before the effective date;
- (s) to issue injunctions, enter, and implement other orders or take such other actions as may be necessary or appropriate to restrain interference by any person or entity with consummation, implementation or enforcement of the Plan or the confirmation order;
- (t) to enter and implement such orders as are necessary or appropriate if the confirmation order is for any reason modified, stayed, reversed, revoked, or vacated;
- (u) to determine any other matters that may arise in connection with or relating to the Plan, the Disclosure Statement (if required), the confirmation order, or the Plan documents;
- (v) to enter such orders as are necessary to implement and enforce the injunctions described herein;
- (w) to determine such other matters and for such other purposes as may be provided for in the confirmation order or as may from time to time be authorized under the provisions of the Bankruptcy Code or any other applicable law; and
- (x) to enter an order concluding and terminating the reorganization case.

<u>Closing of the Reorganization Case</u>. In addition to the retention of jurisdiction set forth above, the Bankruptcy Court shall retain jurisdiction of the reorganization case to enter an order reopening the reorganization case after it has been closed.

#### XI. MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

<u>No Admissions</u>. The Plan provides for the resolution, settlement and compromise of claims against and equity interests in the Debtor. Nothing

herein shall be construed to be an admission of any fact or otherwise binding upon the Debtor in any manner prior to the Effective Date.

Revocation or Withdrawal of the Plan. The Debtor reserves the right to revoke or withdraw the Plan prior to the confirmation date. If the Debtor revokes or withdraws the Plan, or if confirmation of the Plan does not occur, then the Plan shall be deemed null and void in all respects and nothing contained in the Plan shall be deemed to (a) constitute a waiver or release of any claims by or against, or equity interests in, the Debtor or any other person, or (b) prejudice in any manner the rights of the Debtor or any other person in any further proceedings involving the Debtor.

<u>Settlement of Claims</u>. The Reorganized Debtor (a) may commence or continue in any appropriate court or tribunal any suit or other proceeding for the enforcement of any claim or cause of action which the Debtor in possession had or had power to assert immediately prior to the confirmation date, and (b) may settle or adjust such claim or cause of action.

Standard for Approval by the Bankruptcy Court. In the event any of the matters described herein are brought for approval before the Bankruptcy Court, then any such approval shall mean the entry of an order by the Bankruptcy Court approving the matter using the standards for approval of similar matters by a Chapter 11 Debtor in possession.

<u>Further Assurances</u>. The Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor (as the case may be) agrees and is authorized to execute and deliver any and all papers, documents, contracts, agreements, and instruments that may be necessary to carry out and implement the terms and conditions of the Plan.

<u>Headings</u>. The headings and table of contents used in the Plan are for convenience and reference only and shall not constitute a part of the Plan for any other purpose or in any manner affect the construction of the provisions of the Plan.

<u>Notices</u>. All notices, requests, or other documents in connection with or required to be served by the Plan shall be in writing and shall be sent by first class United States mail, postage prepaid, or by overnight delivery by a recognized courier service, to:

If to the Debtor or the Reorganized Debtor:

Pantech Wireless, Inc. 5607 Glenridge Drive Suite 500 Atlanta, GA 30342

with a mandatory copy to:

Gregory Taube, Esq.
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201 17th Street, N.W.
Suite 1700
Atlanta, GA 30363

<u>Contemporaneous Service</u>. Copies of all notices under the Plan to any party shall be given to the Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor and its counsel, contemporaneously with the giving of notice to such party.

<u>Changes of Address</u>. Any entity may change the person or address to whom or to which notices are to be given hereunder by filing a written instrument to that effect with the Bankruptcy Court and serving same on the parties set forth above.

Governing Law. Except to the extent that federal law (including the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules) is applicable, or to the extent that the Plan or the provision of any contract, instrument, release, indenture, or other agreement or document entered into in connection with the Plan provides otherwise, the rights and obligations arising under the Plan shall be governed by, construed, and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Georgia, without giving effect to the principles of conflicts of law thereof.

<u>Limitation of Allowance</u>. No attorneys' fees, punitive damages, penalties, special damages, lost profits, treble damages, exemplary damages, or interest shall be paid with respect to any claim or equity interest except as specified herein or as allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court.

<u>Estimated Claims</u>. To the extent any Claim is estimated for any purpose other than for voting, then in no event shall such Claim be allowed in an amount greater than the estimated amount.

Consent to Jurisdiction. Upon any default under the Plan, the Debtor and the Reorganized Debtor consent to the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court, or any successor thereto, and agree that it shall be the preferred forum for all proceedings relating to any such default. By accepting any distribution or payment under or in connection with the Plan, by filing any Proof of Claim, by filing any cure claim, by voting on the Plan, or by entering an appearance in the reorganization case, all creditors and other parties in interest, including foreign creditors and foreign parties in interest, have consented, and shall be deemed to have expressly consented, to the jurisdiction of the Bankruptcy Court for all purposes with respect to any and all matters relating to, arising under or in connection with the Plan or the reorganization case, including the matters and purposes set forth in this Plan. The Bankruptcy Court shall maintain jurisdiction to the fullest extent allowed under applicable law over all matters set forth in this Plan.

<u>Setoffs</u>. Subject to the limitations provided in Section 553 of the Bankruptcy Code, the Debtor may, but shall not be required to, set off against any claim and the payments or other distributions to be made pursuant to the Plan in respect of such claim, claims of any nature whatsoever the Debtor may have against the holder of such claim, but neither the failure to do so nor the allowance of any Claim hereunder shall constitute a waiver or release by the Debtor of any such claim that the Debtor may have against such holder.

<u>Successors and Assigns</u>. The rights, benefits, duties, and obligations of any person named or referred to in the Plan shall be binding upon and shall inure to the benefit of any heir, executor, administrator, successor, or assign of such person.

<u>No Post-Petition Interest</u>. Except as expressly stated in the Plan or otherwise allowed by a Final Order of the Bankruptcy Court, no holder of an allowed claim shall be entitled to the accrual of post-petition interest or the payment of post-petition interest, penalties, or late charges on account of such claim for any purpose.

Modification of Payment Terms. The Reorganized Debtor reserves the right to modify the treatment of any allowed claim, as provided in Section 1123(a)(4) of the Bankruptcy Code, at any time after the effective date, upon the consent of the holder of such allowed claim.

Entire Agreement. The Plan and Plan documents set forth the entire agreement and undertakings relating to the subject matter thereof and supersede all prior discussions and documents. No person shall be bound by any terms, conditions, definitions, warranties, understandings, or representations with respect to the subject matter hereof, other than as expressly provided for herein or as may hereafter be agreed to by the parties in writing.

Severability of Plan Provisions. If, prior to confirmation, any term or provision of the Plan is held by the Bankruptcy Court to be invalid, void, or unenforceable, the Bankruptcy Court, at the request of the Debtor, shall have the power to alter and interpret such term or provision to make it valid or enforceable to the maximum extent practicable, consistent with the original purpose of the term or provision held to be invalid, void or unenforceable, and such term or provision shall then be applicable as altered or interpreted. Notwithstanding any such holding, alteration or interpretation, the remainder of the terms and provisions of the Plan will remain in full force and effect and will in no way be affected, impaired or invalidated by such holding, alteration, or interpretation. The confirmation order shall constitute a judicial determination and shall provide that each term and provision of the Plan, as it may have been altered or interpreted in accordance with the foregoing, is valid and enforceable pursuant to its terms.

<u>Confirmation Order and Plan Control</u>. To the extent the Confirmation Order or the Plan is inconsistent with the Disclosure Statement or any agreement entered into between the Debtor and any third party, unless otherwise expressly provided in the Plan, the Plan controls the Disclosure Statement and any such agreements, and the confirmation order (any and other orders of the Court) shall be construed together and consistent with the terms of the Plan.

<u>Computation of Time</u>. In computing any period of time prescribed or allowed by the Plan, the provisions of Bankruptcy Rule 9006(a) shall apply.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this day, I served a copy of the foregoing documents by U.S. Mail with adequate postage prepaid on the persons or entities at the addresses as indicated below:

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