



Federal Communications Commission

Hearing Aid Compatibility Status Report (FCC Form 655)

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General Report Information

Type of Company

Service Provider

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Did you offer any handsets to subscribers in the United States during the reporting period? Yes

Have you been offering handsets in the United States for at least three years prior to the end of the reporting period? Yes

Date that you began offering handsets in the United States

Are you a small entity? Yes

Were you a small entity at any time during the three years prior to the end of the reporting period?

Date that you ceased to be a small entity?

Company Information

Company Name: HFT Communications, LP d/b/a Brazos Cellular

Brand Names: Motorola

Apple

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Filing Agent

Is this report being filed by an agent on behalf of a manufacturer or service provider? No

Product Labeling

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets include labeling? Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that are capable of voice communication over any air interface or frequency band that does not have hearing aid compatibility technical standards under ANSI C63.19-2007 include the required language disclosing that the handset has not been rated for hearing aid compatibility with respect to such operations? Yes

Explain:

Do all hearing aid-compatible handsets that the manufacturer also tested and found not to meet hearing aid compatibility requirements under ANSI C63.19-2011 for one or more operations that are not covered under ANSI C63.19-2007, include language informing users by clear and effective means that the handset does not meet the relevant rating or ratings with respect to such operation(s)?

N/A

Explain:

Do all handsets that are capable of use for Voice over LTE, and that were certified for inductive coupling capability under ANSI C63.19-2011 without being tested for inductive coupling capability over VoLTE, include language disclosing that they were not tested with respect to this operation?

N/A

Explain:

Do all handsets that meet the criteria for an M3 rating by allowing the user to reduce the maximum power for GSM operation in the 1900 MHz band include the required disclosure?

Explain:

Public Website

Does your company maintain a public website describing all hearing aid-compatible models, the ratings of those models, and an explanation of the rating system? No

Website address:

Explain: We are too small to have one. We refer customers to our equipment provider, Telispire, at www.telispire.com

Consumer Outreach

Describe consumer outreach efforts in the past 12 months: If we cannot solve the customers problems, we refer them to websites that will help

Methodology for Functionality Levels

We can get any phone our customer wants that is available through Telispire. They have many phones available that will function on the network.

Report Remarks

You have reported the following handset model summary information.

Total number of handsets offered: 2

Air Interface	Fully Hearing Aid Compatible Number	Percent	Acoustic Coupling Compatible Only Number	Percent	Non-Compliant Handsets Number	Percent	Excluded Handsets Number	Total by Air Interface
CDMA	2	100%						2

Handset 1: Apple iPhone 4 16GB

Handset Maker

Apple

Handset Model Name

iPhone 4 16GB

FCC ID

BCG-E2422B

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/13 to 12/13

Ratings

M-Rating: M4

T-Rating: T4

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Moderate Cost

Remarks

Handset 2: Motorola a455 rival

Handset Maker

Motorola

Handset Model Name

a455 rival

FCC ID

IHDT56KG1

Air Interfaces/Frequency Bands

850 MHz CDMA

1900 MHz CDMA

Dates

This handset model was offered from: 01/13 to 12/13

Ratings

M-Rating: M3

T-Rating: T3

Did this handset meet the criteria for an M3 rating for operations over GSM at 1900 MHz by enabling the user optionally to reduce the maximum power at which the handset will operate by no more than 2.5 decibels, except for emergency calls to 911?

Functionality Level

Low Cost

Remarks

Certification

This Report has been certified by:

Jonathan C Champagne Controller
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