SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

Current Report

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): February 11, 2009



Charter Communications, Inc.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware

(State or Other Jurisdiction of Incorporation or Organization)

000-27927 (Commission File Number) 43-1857213

(I.R.S. Employer Identification Number)

12405 Powerscourt Drive

<u>St. Louis, Missouri 63131</u> (Address of principal executive offices including zip code)

(<u>314) 965-0555</u> (Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

<u>Not Applicable</u> (Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1.01. Entry into a Material Definitive Agreement

On February 12, 2009, Charter Communications, Inc. ("Charter") announced that it had reached an agreement in principle with holders of certain of its subsidiaries' senior notes (the "Noteholders") holding approximately \$4.1 billion in aggregate principal amount of notes issued by Charter's subsidiaries, CCH I, LLC ("CCH I") and CCH II, LLC ("CCH II"). Pursuant to separate restructuring agreements, dated February 11, 2009, entered into with each Noteholder (the "Restructuring Agreements"), on or prior to April 1, 2009, Charter and its subsidiaries expect to file voluntary petitions for relief under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code to implement a restructuring aimed at improving its capital structure.

Restructuring Agreements and Commitment Letters

The restructuring contemplated by the Restructuring Agreements is expected to be funded with cash from operations, an exchange of debt of CCH II for other debt at CCH II (the "Notes Exchange"), the issuance of additional debt (the "New Debt Commitment"), and the proceeds of an equity offering (the "Rights Offering") for which Charter has received a back-stop commitment (the "Back-Stop Commitment") from certain Noteholders. In addition to the Restructuring Agreements, the Noteholders have entered into commitment letters with Charter (the "Commitment Letters"), pursuant to which they have agreed to exchange and/or purchase, as applicable, certain securities of Charter, as described in more detail below.

Under the Notes Exchange, an offer to existing holders of senior notes of CCH II and CCH II Capital Corp. ("CCH II Notes") will be made to exchange their CCH II Notes for new 13.5% Senior Notes of CCH II and CCH II Capital Corp. (the "New CCH II Notes"). CCH II Notes of new 13.5% Senior Notes of CCH II and CCH II Capital Corp. (the "New CCH II Notes"). CCH II Notes exchanged for New CCH II Notes in the Notes Exchange will be converted into New CCH II Notes with a principal amount equal to the outstanding principal amount of such CCH II Notes plus accrued but unpaid interest to the bankruptcy petition date plus post-petition interest, but excluding any call premiums or prepayment penalties (collectively, the "Exchange Amount"). CCH II Notes that are not exchanged in the Notes Exchange will be converted into New CCH II Notes to be issued pursuant to the plan of reorganization outlined in the Restructuring Agreement (the "Plan") is expected to be approximately \$1.48 billion plus accrued but unpaid interest to the bankruptcy petition date plus post-petition date plus post-petition interest, but excluding any call premiums or prepayment penalties (collectively, the "Target Amount"), plus an additional \$85 million.

Under the Restructuring Agreements, certain holders of CCH II Notes have committed to exchange, pursuant to the Notes Exchange, an aggregate of approximately \$1.21 billion in aggregate principal amount of CCH II Notes, plus accrued but unpaid interest to the bankruptcy petition date plus post-petition interest, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. In the event that the aggregate principal amount of New CCH II Notes to be issued pursuant to the Notes Exchange would exceed the Target Amount, each Noteholder participating in the Notes Exchange will receive a pro rata portion of such Target Amount of New CCH II Notes, based upon the ratio of (i) the aggregate principal amount of CCH II Notes it has tendered into the Notes Exchange to (ii) the total aggregate principal amount of CCH II Notes Exchange to (ii) the total aggregate principal amount of CCH II Notes Exchange will receive a commitment fee equal to 1.5% of the principal amount plus interest on the CCH II Notes exchange by such participant in the Notes Exchange.

Under the New Debt Commitment, certain holders of CCH II Notes have committed to purchase an additional amount of New CCH II Notes in an aggregate principal amount of \$267 million, subject to adjustment. Participants in the New Debt Commitment will receive a commitment fee equal to the greater of (i) 3.0% of their respective portion of the New Debt Commitment and (ii) 0.83% of its respective portion of the New Debt Commitment for each month beginning April 1, 2009 during which its New Debt Commitment remains outstanding.

Under the Rights Offering, Charter will offer to existing holders of senior notes of CCH I ("CCH I Notes") that are accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers (as defined under Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933), the right (the "Rights") to purchase shares of the new Class A Common Stock of Charter, to be issued upon Charter's emergence from bankruptcy, in exchange for a cash payment related to the equity value of Charter upon emergence. Upon emergence from bankruptcy, Charter's new Class A Common Stock is not expected to be listed on any public or over-the-counter exchange or quotation system and will be subject to transfer restrictions. It is expected, however, that Charter will thereafter apply for listing of its new Class A Common Stock on the NASDAQ

Stock Market as provided in the Term Sheet. The Rights Offering is expected to generate proceeds of up to approximately \$1.62 billion and will be used to fund the cash portion of the Notes Exchange, repayment of certain amounts relating to the satisfaction of certain swap agreement claims against Charter Communications Operating, LLC ("Charter Operating") and for general corporate purposes.

Under the Commitment Letters, subject to equity ownership limitations, certain Noteholders (the "Backstop Parties") have agreed to subscribe for their respective pro rata portions of the Rights Offering, and certain of the Backstop Parties have, in addition, agreed to subscribe for a pro rata portion of any Rights that are not purchased by other holders of CCH I Notes in the Rights Offering (the "Excess Backstop"). Noteholders who have committed to participate in the Excess Backstop will be offered the option to purchase a pro rata portion of additional shares of Charter's new Class A Common Stock, at the same price at which shares of the new Class A Common Stock will be offered in the Rights Offering in an amount equal to \$400 million less the aggregate dollar amount of shares purchased pursuant to the Excess Backstop, subject to certain equity ownership limitations. The Backstop Parties will receive a commitment fee equal to 3% of its respective equity backstop.

The Restructuring Agreements further contemplate that upon consummation of the Plan (i) the notes and bank debt of Charter's subsidiaries, Charter Operating and CCO Holdings, LLC will remain outstanding, (ii) holders of notes issued by CCH II will receive New CCH II Notes and/or cash pursuant to the Notes Exchange, (iii) holders of notes issued by CCH I will receive shares of Charter's new Class A Common Stock, (iv) holders of notes issued by CCH I will receive warrants to purchase shares of context, (iv) holders of notes of notes of convertible notes issued by Charter 's new Class A Common Stock, (iv) holders of convertible notes issued by Charter warrants to purchase shares of charter's new Class A Common Stock, (vi) holders of convertible notes issued by Charter will receive eash and preferred stock issued by Charter, (vii) holders of common stock will not receive any amounts on account of their common stock, which will be cancelled, and (viii) trade creditors will be paid in full. In addition, as part of the proposed restructuring, it is expected that consideration will be paid by holders of CCH I Notes to other entities participating in the financial restructuring. The recoveries summarized above are more fully described in the term sheet which forms a part of the Restructuring Agreements (the "Term Sheet").

Pursuant to a separate restructuring agreement among Charter, Mr. Allen and an entity controlled by Mr. Allen (the "Allen Agreement"), in settlement of their rights, claims and remedies against Charter and its subsidiaries, and in addition to any amounts received by virtue of their holding any claims of the type set forth above, upon consummation of the Plan Mr. Allen or his affiliates will be issued a number of shares of the new Class B Common Stock of Charter such that the aggregate voting power of such shares of new Class B Common Stock shall be equal to 35% of the total voting power of all new common stock of Charter. Also, as part of such settlement, upon consummation a descripted in the Term Sheet. Each share of new Class B Common Stock will be convertible, at the option of the holder, into one share of new Class A Common Stock, and will be subject to significant restrictions on transfer. Holders of new Class A Common Stock and holders of new Class B Common Stock will receive certain customary registration rights with respect to their shares.

The Restructuring Agreements also contemplate that following emergence from bankruptcy each holder of 10% or more of the voting power of Charter will have the right to nominate one member of the Board for each 10% of voting power, and that at least Charter's current Chief Executive Officer and Chief Operating Officer will continue in their same positions. The Restructuring Agreements require Noteholders to cast their votes in favor of the Plan and generally support the Plan and contain certain customary restrictions on the transfer of claims by the Noteholders.

In addition, the Restructuring Agreements contain an agreement by the parties that Charter shall not be required to comply with any terms if such compliance would trigger a default under one or more of certain debt instruments to remain outstanding.

The Restructuring Agreements and Commitment Letters are subject to certain termination events, including, among others:

· the commitments set forth in the respective Noteholder's Commitment Letter shall have expired or been terminated;

- Charter's board of directors shall have been advised in writing by its outside counsel that continued pursuit of the Plan is inconsistent with its fiduciary duties because, and the board of directors determines in good faith that, (A) a proposal or offer from a third party is reasonably likely to be more favorable to the Company than is proposed under the Term Sheet, taking into account, among other factors, the identity of the third party, the likelihood that any such proposal or offer will be negotiated to finality within a reasonable time, and the potential loss to the company if the proposal or offer were not accepted and consummated, or (B) the Plan is no longer confirmable or feasible;
- the Plan or any subsequent plan filed by Charter with the bankruptcy court (or a plan supported or endorsed by Charter) is not reasonably consistent in all material respects with the terms of the Restructuring Agreements;
- · Charter shall not have filed for Chapter 11 relief with the bankruptcy court on or before April 1, 2009;
- a disclosure statement order reasonably acceptable to Charter and the holders of a majority of the CCH I Notes held by the *ad-hoc* committee of certain Noteholders (the "Requisite Holders") has not been entered by the bankruptcy court on or before the 50th day following the bankruptcy petition date;
- a confirmation order reasonably acceptable to Charter and the Requisite Holders is not entered by the bankruptcy court on or before the 130th day following the bankruptcy petition date;
- any of the Chapter 11 cases of Charter is converted to cases under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code if as a result of such conversion the Plan is not confirmable;
- \cdot any Chapter 11 cases of Charter is dismissed if as a result of such dismissal the Plan is not confirmable;
- · the order confirming the Plan is reversed on appeal or vacated;
- · any Restructuring Agreement or the Allen Agreement has terminated or breached in any material respect; and
- · Charter shall not have reached agreement with senior management on a compensation program reasonably acceptable to Charter and the Requisite Holders by March 12, 2009.
- As a result, there is no assurance that the treatment of creditors outlined above will not change significantly. The Allen Agreement contains substantially similar provisions as do the Restructuring Agreements.

The above summary of the Restructuring Agreements, Commitment Letters, Term Sheet and Allen Agreement is qualified in its entirety by the full text of the Restructuring Agreements, Commitment Letters, Term Sheet and Allen Agreement, a copy of which is filed as Exhibits 10.1, 10.2, 10.3 and 10.4, respectively, to this Current Report on Form 8-K, and incorporated herein by reference.

On February 12, 2008, Charter issued a press release announcing its entry into the Restructuring Agreements and Commitment Letters (the "Agreement Release"). The Agreement Release is attached as Exhibit 99.1 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Interest Payment

As previously disclosed in Charter's Current Report on Form 8-K filed on January 15, 2009, two of Charter's subsidiaries, CCH I Holdings, LLC and Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, did not make scheduled payments of interest due on January 15, 2009 (the "Scheduled Payments"), on certain of their outstanding senior notes (the "Overdue Payment Notes"). Each of the respective governing indentures (the "Indentures") for the Overdue Payment Notes permits a 30-day grace period for such interest payments through (and including) February 13, 2009. Charter paid the full amount of these overdue interest payments to the Paying Agent for the Overdue Payment Notes, which constitutes payment under the Indentures. As required under the Indentures, Charter has set a special record date for payment of such interest payments 28, 2009.

Escrow Agreement

As part of the agreement in principle, Charter and certain of its subsidiaries entered into an Escrow Agreement, dated as of February 11, 2009, with members of the *ad-hoc* committee of holders of the Overdue Payment Notes (the "Ad-Hoc Holders") and Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, as Escrow Agreement,"). Under the Escrow Agreement, the Ad-Hoc Holders have agreed to deposit into an escrow account the amounts they receive in respect of the Scheduled Payments and Wells Fargo will hold such amounts until (i) Charter and a majority of the Ad-Hoc Holders agree to the release thereof, (ii) the restructuring transactions contemplated in the Restructuring Agreements are consummated by such adte due to a material breach of the Restructuring Agreements of Charter or its subsidiaries, followed by notice thereof to Wells Fargo by a majority of the Ad-Hoc Holders, or (iii) the transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Agreements are not consummated by December 15, 2009 for any other reason, followed by notice thereof to Wells Fargo by a majority of the Ad-Hoc Holders, or (iii) the transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Agreements are not consummated by December 15, 2009 for any other reason, followed by notice thereof to Wells Fargo by a majority of the Ad-Hoc Holders, or (iii) the transactions contemplated by the Restructuring Agreements are not consummated by December 15, 2009 for any other reason, followed by notice thereof to Wells Fargo by a majority of the Ad-Hoc Holders and Charter, at which time it will release such amounts to Charter or its subsidiaries. The amounts to be deposited in escrow are approximately \$47 million.

Item 2.02 Results of Operations and Financial Condition.

On February 12, 2008, Charter issued a separate press release announcing preliminary results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2008, which is being "furnished" under this Item 2.02 (the "Results Release"). The Results Release is attached as Exhibit 99.2 to this Current Report on Form 8-K and is incorporated by reference herein.

Item 8.01. Other Events

On February 3, 2009, Charter Operating made a request to the administrative agent under its Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of March 18, 1999, as amended and restated as of March 6, 2007 (the "Credit Agreement"), to borrow additional revolving loans under the Credit Agreement. Such borrowing request complied with the provisions of the Credit Agreement including section 2.2 ("Procedure for Borrowing") thereof. On February 5, 2009, Charter received a notice from the administrative agent asserting that one or more Events of Default (as defined in the Credit Agreement) have occurred and are continuing under the Credit Agreement, including, pursuant to section 8(g)(v) thereof. Charter disagrees with the administrative agent rescind its notice of default and fund Charter Operating's borrowing request. The administrative agent sent a letter to Charter on February 11, 2009, stating that it continues to believe that one or more events of default have occurred and are continuing. As a result, with the exception of one lender who funded approximately \$354,237, the lenders have failed to fund Charter Operating's borrowing request.

Item 9.01. Financial Statements and Exhibits

The following exhibits are filed with this report and incorporated by reference herein:

Exhibit No.	Description
10.1	Form of Restructuring Agreement.
10.2	Form of Commitment Letter.
10.3	Term Sheet.
10.4	Restructuring Agreement, dated as of February 11, 2009, by and among Paul G. Allen, Charter Investment, Inc. and Charter Communications, Inc.
99.1	Press Release, dated February 12, 2009, regarding an agreement in principle with holders of senior notes.

99.2 Press Release, dated February 12, 2009, announcing preliminary results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2008.

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements:

This Current Report includes forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, regarding, among other things, our plans, strategies and prospects, both business and financial. Although we believe that our plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by these forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that we will achieve or realize these plans, intentions or expectations. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, without limitation, the factors described under "Risk Factors" from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). Many of the forward-looking statements contained in this Current Report may be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "should," "plans, "intend," "estimated," "aim," "on track," "target," "opportunity" and "potential," among others. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements we take in this Current Report are set forth in other reports or documents that we file from time to time with the SEC, including our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q filed in 2008 and our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and include, but are not limited to:

- the outcome of our discussions with our bondholders and the completion of Charter's announced restructuring including the outcome and impact on our business of any resulting proceedings under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code;
- the availability and access, in general, of funds to meet interest payment obligations under our debt and to fund our operations and necessary capital expenditures, either through cash on hand, cash flows from operating activities, further borrowings or other sources and, in particular, our ability to fund debt obligations (by dividend, investment or otherwise) to the applicable obligor of such debt;
- · our ability to comply with all covenants in our indentures and credit facilities, any violation of which, if not cured in a timely manner, could trigger a default of our other obligations under cross-default provisions;
- our ability to repay debt prior to or when it becomes due and/or successfully access the capital or credit markets to refinance that debt through new issuances, exchange offers or otherwise, including restructuring our balance sheet
 and leverage position, especially given recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets;
- the impact of competition from other distributors, including incumbent telephone companies, direct broadcast satellite operators, wireless broadband providers, and digital subscriber line ("DSL") providers;
- · difficulties in growing, further introducing, and operating our telephone services, while adequately meeting customer expectations for the reliability of voice services;
- · our ability to adequately meet demand for installations and customer service;

- our ability to sustain and grow revenues and cash flows from operating activities by offering video, high-speed Internet, telephone and other services, and to maintain and grow our customer base, particularly in the face of increasingly aggressive competition;
- \cdot our ability to obtain programming at reasonable prices or to adequately raise prices to offset the effects of higher programming costs;
- general business conditions, economic uncertainty or downturn, including the recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets and the significant downturn in the housing sector and overall economy; and
- $\cdot\,$ the effects of governmental regulation on our business.

All forward-looking statements attributable to us or any person acting on our behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement. We are under no duty or obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this Current Report.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this Current Report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

 By: /s/ Kevin D. Howard Name: Kevin D. Howard

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 Title: Vice President, Controller and Chief Accounting Officer

Date: February 13, 2009

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RESTRUCTURING AGREEMENT

This RESTRUCTURING AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into as of February 11, 2009 by and between the following parties:

(a) [the undersigned Holder] (the "Undersigned Holder") [Note: Format of section (a) will be adjusted based on what securities are held by the Undersigned Holder]; and

(b) Charter Communications, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("CCI"), and each of its direct and indirect subsidiaries identified on the signature pages attached hereto (collectively, the "Company" and the Undersigned Holder and the Company, each, a "Party", and collectively, the "Parties").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Company has determined that a restructuring of certain of its obligations is in the best interests of its stakeholders;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 11% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 28, 2005 (each, a "<u>Consenting 11% Old Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>11% Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 11% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 14, 2006 (each, a "<u>Consenting 11% New Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>11% Supplemental Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 10.25% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 14, 2006 (each, a "<u>Consenting 10.25% Old Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>10.25% Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 10.25% Senior Notes Supplemental Indenture dated as of July 2, 2008 (each, a "<u>Consenting 10.25% New Senior Note Holder</u>" and together with the Undersigned Holder, the Consenting 11% Old Senior Note Holders, the Consenting 11% New Senior Note Holders and the Consenting 10.25% Old Senior Note Holders, the "<u>Consenting Holders</u>"), between CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>Supplemental 10.25% Indenture</u>" and

together with the 11% Indenture, the 11% Supplemental Indenture and the 10.25% Indenture, the "Indentures"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, each Consenting Holder is the holder of a claim, as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532 (the "Bankruptcy Code") arising out of, or related to the 11% Indenture and/or the 11% Supplemental Indenture (each, a "11% Senior Note Claim") and/or the 10.25% Indenture and/or the 10.25% Supplemental Indenture (each, a "10.25% Senior Note Claim") and together with the 11% Senior Note Claims, the "Charter Claims");

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to implement a financial restructuring (the "Restructuring") of the Company on the terms and conditions set forth in the term sheet (including all exhibits and financing commitments referenced therein, the "Term Sheet") attached hereto as Exhibit 1:1

WHEREAS, the Parties intend to implement the Restructuring through a confirmed plan of reorganization, consistent in all material respects with, and on terms and conditions no less favorable than, the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, the "Ferm Sheet and the plan of reorganization contemplated thereby (as the same may be amended from time to time in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the "Plan"), for the Company in voluntary cases (the "<u>Chapter 11 Cases</u>") to be commenced by the Company by filing petitions (the "<u>Petitions</u>") under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the date of that event being the "<u>Petition Date</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court (the "<u>Bankruptcy Court</u>");

WHEREAS, the Parties have engaged in good faith negotiations with the objective of reaching an agreement with regard to restructuring the outstanding claims of, and interests in, the Company in accordance with the terms set forth in this Agreement and the Term Sheet;

WHEREAS, each Party has reviewed, or has had the opportunity to review, this Agreement and the Term Sheet with the assistance of professional legal advisors of its own choosing;

WHEREAS, each Consenting Holder desires to support and vote to accept the Plan and may enter into an agreement with the Company substantially similar in form and substance to this Agreement;

WHEREAS, the Company desires to obtain the commitment of the Consenting Holders to support and vote to accept the Plan, in each case subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein and in the other restructuring agreements to which the other Consenting Holders are party; and

WHEREAS, subject to the execution of definitive documentation and appropriate approvals by the Bankruptcy Court of the Plan and the associated disclosure statement (as the

Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Term Sheet.

same may be amended from time to time, the "Disclosure Statement"), each of which shall be consistent with the Term Sheet, the following sets forth the agreement between the Parties concerning their respective obligations.

AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and the mutual covenants and agreements set forth herein, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Term Sheet.

The Term Sheet is incorporated by reference herein and is made part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein. The general terms and conditions of the Restructuring are set forth in the Term Sheet; *provided*, *however*, that the Term Sheet is supplemented by the terms and conditions of this Agreement. In the event of any inconsistencies between the terms of this Agreement and the Term Sheet, the Term Sheet shall govern.

2. Effectuating the Restructuring.

To implement the Term Sheet, the Parties have agreed, on the terms and conditions set forth herein, that the Company shall use its commercially reasonable best efforts to:

- (a) solicit the requisite acceptances of the Plan (i) in accordance with section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code; and (ii) if, after the Chapter 11 Cases have commenced, the Bankruptcy Court has approved the Disclosure Statement;
- (b) move the Bankruptcy Court to confirm the Plan as expeditiously as practicable under the Bankruptcy Code, including under section 1129(b) thereof, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Bankruptcy Court's local rules (the federal and local rules being the "Bankruptcy Rules"); and

(c) consummate the Plan;

provided. however, that the form and substance of the Plan (including any Plan Supplement filed in connection therewith) and the Disclosure Statement shall be consistent in all material respects with the Term Sheet.

3. <u>Commitments of the Undersigned Holder Under this Agreement and the Term Sheet.</u>

(a) Voting by Undersigned Holder.

As long as a Termination Event (as defined herein) has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the

Undersigned Holder agrees for itself that, so long as it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claims and has been properly solicited pursuant to sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, it shall timely vote its Charter Claims (and not revoke or withdraw its vote) to accept the Plan, subject to the proviso in Section 2 hereof.

(b) Support of Plan.

As long as a Termination Event has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the Undersigned Holder, agrees for itself that, so long as it remains the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claims, subject to the proviso in Section 2 hereof, by having executed and become party to this Agreement, it will:

- i. from and after the date hereof not directly or indirectly seek, solicit, support or vote in favor of any other plan, sale, proposal or offer of dissolution, winding up, liquidation, reorganization, merger or restructuring of the Company that could reasonably be expected to prevent, delay or impede the Restructuring of the Company as contemplated by the Term Sheet, the Plan or any other document filed with the Bankruptcy Court in furtherance of confirming the Plan;
- ii. agree to permit disclosure in the Disclosure Statement and any filings by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the contents of this Agreement; *provided* that the amount of the Charter Claims held by the Undersigned Holder shall be disclosed only to the Company and shall not be disclosed by the Company to any other person or entity;
- iii. cooperate with the Company to secure consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to the transfer or change in control of Franchises (as defined in the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C Sections 151 et seq.), licenses and permits; <u>provided</u> that the Company shall reimburse the Undersigned Holder for all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with this Section 3(b)(iii); and
- iv. forbear from exercising, directly or indirectly, any right to accelerate or commence any action to collect indebtedness outstanding under any indenture to which the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries (each, a "<u>Company Indenture</u>") is a party or to file or join in an involuntary petition for relief under the Bankruptcy Code against the Company based upon the failure to pay any such indebtedness.

As long as a Termination Event has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the Company and the Undersigned Holder, so long as it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claim, further agree that they shall not:

i. object to or otherwise commence any proceeding opposing any of the terms of this Agreement, the Term Sheet, the Disclosure Statement or the Plan; or

- ii. take any action that is inconsistent with, or that would delay approval of the Disclosure Statement or Confirmation of the Plan.
- (c) Transfer (as defined below) of Claims, Interests and Securities.

The Undersigned Holder hereby agrees, for so long as this Agreement shall remain in effect (such period, the "<u>Restricted Period</u>"), not to sell, assign, transfer, hypothecate or otherwise dispose of, directly or indirectly (each such transfer, a "<u>Transfer</u>"), all or any of its Charter Claims (or any right related thereto and including any voting rights associated with such Charter Claims), *unless* the transferee thereof (a) agrees in an enforceable writing to assume and be bound by this Agreement and the Term Sheet, and to assume the rights and obligations of the Undersigned Holder under this Agreement and (b) promptly delivers such writing to the Company (each such transferee becoming, upon the Transfer, an Undersigned Holder hereunder). The Company shall promptly acknowledge any such Transfer in writing and provide a copy of that acknowledgement to the transferce. By its acknowledged that its obligations to the Undersigned Holder hereunder shall be deemed to constitute obligations in favor of the relevant transferee as an Undersigned Holder Horeunder. Any sale, transfer or assignment of any Relevant Claim (as defined below) that does not comply with the procedure set forth in the first sentence of this Subsection 3(c) shall be deemed void *ab initio*.

(d) Further Acquisition of Charter Claims.

This Agreement shall in no way be construed to preclude the Undersigned Holder or any of its respective subsidiaries from acquiring additional Charter Claims; *provided* that any such additional Charter Claims acquired by the Undersigned Holder or any subsidiary thereof shall automatically be deemed to be subject to the terms of this Agreement. Upon the request of the Company, the Undersigned Holder shall, in writing and within five (5) business days, provide an accurate and current list of all Charter Claims that it and any subsidiary holds at that time, subject to any applicable confidentiality restrictions and applicable law.

- (e) Representation of the Undersigned Holder's holdings.
- The Undersigned Holder represents that, as of the date hereof:

i. it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager for the legal or beneficial owner of such

Charter Claims set forth on its respective signature page (collectively, the "Relevant Claims");

- ii. there are no Charter Claims of which it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or investment advisor or manager for such legal or beneficial owner that are not part of its Relevant Claims unless the Undersigned Holder does not possess the full power to vote and dispose of such claims; and
- iii. it has full power to vote, dispose of and compromise the aggregate principal amount of the Relevant Claims.
- (f) Undersigned Holder Escrow Agreement.

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, if the January Payments (as defined in the Escrow Agreement, dated February 11, 2009, by and between, *inter alia*, the Undersigned Holder and Charter Communications Holdings, LLC (the <u>"Escrow Agreement"</u>)) are made on or before the Acceleration Date (as defined in the Escrow Agreement), then on or before five (5) calendar days following the date the Undersigned Holder receives its respective Holder's Payment (as defined in the Escrow Agreement), the undersigned Holder and Charter Communications to the secrow Agreement), the Undersigned Holder shall (cause its affiliate to) deposit funds in the amount of [____] pursuant to the Escrow Agreement (even if the Undersigned Holder actually receives its respective Holder's Payment after the Company commences or becomes subject to proceedings under the Bankruptcy Code).

4. The Company's Responsibilities.

(a) Other Support Agreement.

The Company represents and warrants that it has entered into (or concurrently herewith is entering into) binding restructuring agreements, plan support or lock-up agreements consistent in all material respects with the terms and provisions of this Agreement and the Plan (collectively, the "Other Support Agreements") with Paul G. Allen, Charter Investment, Inc. and CCI and with other Consenting Holders (each, an "Other Support Agreement Party", and collectively, the "Other Support Agreement to which, except as previously disclosed to the Undersigned Holder in writing, each Other Support Party has agreed to be bound to the Other Support Agreements which are substantially similar to this Agreement, including without limitation, to be bound by the substantially similar provisions set forth in Section 3(a), (b), (c), (d) and (e) above and Section 8 below.

(b) Implementation of Plan.

The Company shall use its commercially reasonable best efforts to:

i. effectuate and consummate the Restructuring on the terms described in the Term Sheet and the Plan;

ii. commence the Chapter 11 Cases on or before April 1, 2009;

- iii. file the Plan and Disclosure Statement, consistent with the terms of the Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Requisite Holders, and implement all steps necessary and desirable to obtain from the Bankruptcy Court an order confirming the Disclosure Statement (the "Disclosure Statement Order"), which Disclosure Statement Order shall be entered by the Bankruptcy Court no later than on or before the 50th day following the Petition Date;
- iv. implement all steps necessary and desirable to obtain from the Bankruptcy Court an order confirming the Plan, which order shall be in form and substance consistent with the Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Requisite Holders (the "<u>Confirmation Order</u>"), which Confirmation Order shall be entered by the Bankruptcy Court no later than on or before the 130th day following the Petition Date;
- v. cause the Effective Date of the Plan to occur no later than on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date; <u>provided</u>, that if consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to Franchises, licenses and permits covering areas serving at least 80% of the basic subscribers have not been obtained on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date, then cause the Effective Date of the Plan to occur no later than on or before December 15, 2009; and

vi. take no actions inconsistent with this Agreement, the Term Sheet and the Plan or the expeditious Confirmation and Consummation of the Plan.

5. Mutual Representations, Warranties, and Covenants.

Each Party makes the following representations, warranties and covenants to each of the other Parties, each of which are continuing representations, warranties and covenants:

(a) Enforceability.

Subject to the provisions of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, this Agreement is a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Party, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except as enforcement may be limited by applicable laws relating to or limiting creditors' rights generally or by equitable principles relating to enforceability.

(b) No Consent or Approval.

Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, no consent or approval is required by any other entity in order for it to carry out the provisions of this Agreement.

(c) Power and Authority.

It has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and to carry out the transactions contemplated by, and perform its respective obligations under, this Agreement, the Term Sheet and the Plan.

(d) Authorization.

The execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of its obligations hereunder have been duly authorized by all necessary action on its part.

(e) No Conflicts.

The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement does not and shall not: (a) violate any provision of law, rule or regulations applicable to it or any of its subsidiaries; (b) violate its certificate of incorporation, bylaws or other organizational documents or those of any of its subsidiaries; or (c) conflict with, result in a breach of or constitute (with due notice or lapse of time or both) a default under any material contractual obligation to which it or any of its subsidiaries is a party.

6. No Waiver of Participation and Preservation of Rights.

This Agreement and the Plan are part of a proposed settlement of disputes among the Parties. Without limiting the foregoing sentence in any way, if the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or otherwise set forth in the Plan are not consummated as provided herein, if a Termination Event occurs, or if this Agreement is otherwise terminated for any reason, the Parties each fully reserve any and all of their respective rights, remedies, claims and interests.

7. Acknowledgement.

This Agreement and the Term Sheet and the transactions contemplated herein and therein are the product of negotiations between the Parties and their respective representatives. This Agreement is not and shall not be deemed to be a solicitation of votes for the acceptance of a plan of reorganization for the purposes of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise. The Company will not solicit acceptances of the Plan from the Undersigned Holder in any manner inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code or applicable nonbankruptcy law.

8. Termination.

(a) Termination Events

The term "Termination Event," wherever used in this Agreement, means any of the following events (whatever the reason for such Termination Event and whether it is voluntary or involuntary):

i. the commitments set forth in that certain commitment letter, dated February 11, 2009 (the "Commitment Letter"), expire or terminate pursuant to Section 9 of the Commitment Letter;

- ii. the Company's board of directors is advised in writing by its outside counsel that continued pursuit of the Plan is inconsistent with its fiduciary duties because, and the board of directors determines in good faith that, (A) a proposal or offer from a third party is reasonably likely to be more favorable to the Company than is proposed under the Term Sheet, taking into account, among other factors, the identity of the third party, the likelihood that any such proposal or offer will be negotiated to finality within a reasonable time, and the potential loss to the company if the proposal or offer were not accepted and consummated, or (B) the Plan is no longer confirmable or feasible;
- iii. the Plan or any subsequent plan filed by the Company with the Bankruptcy Court (or a plan supported or endorsed by the Company) is not in a form and substance that is reasonably consistent in all material respects with the Term Sheet;
- iv. the Company shall not have filed for chapter 11 relief with the Bankruptcy Court on or before April 1, 2009;
- v. a Disclosure Statement Order reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Requisite Holders is not entered by the Bankruptcy Court on or before the 50th day following the Petition Date;
- vi. a Confirmation Order reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Requisite Holders is not entered by the Bankruptcy Court on or before the 130th day following the Petition Date;
- vii. either (a) the Effective Date shall not have occurred on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date or (b) if consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to Franchises, licenses and permits covering areas serving at least 80% of the basic subscribers have not been obtained on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date, and all other conditions precedent to the Effective Date shall have been satisfied before the 150th day following the Petition Date or waived by the Requisite Holders (other than those conditions that by their nature are to be satisfied on the Effective Date shall not have occurred on or before Pocember 15, 2009;

viii. any of the Chapter 11 Cases of the Company is converted to cases under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code and such event causes the Plan not to be confirmable;

- ix. the Bankruptcy Court shall enter an order in any of the Chapter 11 Cases appointing (i) a trustee under chapter 7 or chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, (ii) a responsible officer or (iii) an examiner, in each case with enlarged powers relating to the operation of the business (powers beyond those set forth in subclauses (3) and (4) of section 1106(a)) under section 1106(b) of the Bankruptcy Code;
- x. any of the Chapter 11 Cases of the Company is dismissed and such event causes the Plan not to be confirmable;
- xi. the Confirmation Order is reversed on appeal or vacated;
- xii. any Party has breached any material provision of this Agreement or the Term Sheet and any such breach has not been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof after a period of five (5) days; *provided*, that any such waiver by the Undersigned Holder shall require the approval of the Requisite Holders;
- xiii. the Company shall withdraw the Plan or publicly announce its intention not to support the Plan;
- xiv. the Effective Date shall have occurred;
- xv. any Other Support Agreement has terminated or any Other Support Party has breached any material provision of its Other Support Agreement or the Term Sheet and any such breach has not been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms of the Other Support Agreement after a period of five (5) days; or
- xvi. the Company shall not have reached agreement with senior management on a compensation program reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Requisite Holders by March 12, 2009.

The foregoing Termination Events are intended solely for the benefit of the Company and the Undersigned Holder; *provided* that no Party may seek to terminate this Agreement based upon a material breach or a failure of a condition (if any) in this Agreement arising out of its own actions or omissions; *provided*, *further*, that such actions or omissions may entitle the other Parties to the remedies described in Section 9(e) hereof.

- (b) Termination Event Procedures.
 - i. Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event contemplated by clause (i) or (ii) of Section 8(a) hereof or clause (xii) of Section 8(a) hereof due to a material breach of this Agreement by the Undersigned Holder, in each case subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, the Company shall have the right to terminate

this Agreement and the Term Sheet by giving written notice thereof to the other Parties.

- ii. Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event contemplated by clause (viii), (xi), (xiv) or (xvi) of Section 8(a) hereof, in each case subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, this Agreement and the Term Sheet shall automatically terminate without further action.
- iii. Except as set forth in Section 8(b)(i) and 8(b)(ii) hereof, upon the occurrence of a Termination Event (including, for the avoidance of doubt, a Termination Event contemplated by clause (i) or (ii) of Section 8(a) hereof), subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, the Undersigned Holder shall have the right to terminate this Agreement and the Term Sheet by giving written notice to the other Parties unless no later than three (3) business days after the occurrence of any such Termination Event, the occurrence of such Termination Event is waived in writing by the Requisite Holders. The Parties hereby waive any requirement under section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code to lift the automatic stay thereunder (the "<u>Automatic Stay</u>") in connection with giving any such notice, if necessary). Any such termination (or partial termination) of the Agreement shall not restrict the Parties' rights and remedies for any breach of the Agreement by any Party, including, but not limited to, the reservation of rights set forth in Section 6 hereof.
- (c) Consent to Termination.

In addition to the Termination Events set forth in Section 8(a) hereof, this Agreement shall be terminable immediately upon written notice to all of the Parties of the written agreement(s) of the Company and the Requisite Holders to terminate all of their restructuring agreements and the written agreement of the Company, CCI and Paul G. Allen to terminate their restructuring agreement.

9. Miscellaneous Terms.

(a) Binding Obligation; Assignment.

Binding Obligation. Subject to the provisions of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, this Agreement is a legally valid and binding obligation of the Parties, enforceable in accordance with its terms, and shall inure to the benefit of the Parties and their representatives. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, shall give to any entity, other than the Parties and their respective members, officers, directors, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, employees, partners, Affiliates, successors, assigns, heirs, executors, administrators



and representatives, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Agreement.

Assignment. No rights or obligations of any Party under this Agreement may be assigned or transferred to any other entity except as provided in Section 3(c) hereof.

(b) Further Assurances.

The Parties agree to execute and deliver such other instruments and perform such acts, in addition to the matters herein specified, as may be reasonably appropriate or necessary, from time to time, to effectuate the agreements and understandings of the Parties, whether the same occurs before or after the date of this Agreement.

(c) Headings.

The headings of all sections of this Agreement are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and are not a part of and are not intended to govern, limit or aid in the construction or interpretation of any term or provision hereof.

(d) Governing Law.

THIS AGREEMENT IS TO BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS MADE AND TO BE PERFORMED IN SUCH STATE, WITHOUT GIVING EFFECT TO THE CHOICE OF LAWS PRINCIPLES THEREOF. By its execution and delivery of this Agreement, each of the Parties hereto hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees for itself that any legal action, suit or proceeding with respect to any matter under or arising out of or in connection with this Agreement for recognition or enforcement of any judgment rendered in any such action, suit or proceeding, shall be brought exclusively in either a state or federal court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York and County of New York. By execution and delivery of this Agreement, each of the Parties hereto hereby irrevocably accepts and submits itself to the exclusive jurisdiction of each such court, generally and unconditionally, with respect to any such action, suit or proceeding. Notwithstanding the foregoing consent to jurisdiction in either a state or federal court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York, upon the commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases, each of the Parties hereto hereby agrees that, if the Petitions have been filed and any of the Chapter 11 Cases are pending, the Bankruptcy Court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all matters arising out of or in connection with this Agreement.

(e) Specific Performance

The Parties hereby acknowledge that the rights of the Parties under this Agreement are unique and that remedies at law for breach or threatened breach of any provision of this Agreement would be inadequate and, in recognition of this fact, agree that, in the event of a breach or threatened breach of the provisions of this Agreement, in addition to any remedies at law, the Parties (with the consent of the Requisite Holders, in the case of the Undersigned Holder) shall, without posting any bond, be entitled to obtain equitable relief in the form of

specific performance, a temporary restraining order, a temporary or permanent injunction or any other equitable remedy which may then be available and the Parties hereby waive any objection to the imposition of such relief.

(f) Complete Agreement, Interpretation and Modification.

- i. Complete Agreement. This Agreement, the Term Sheet and the other agreements, exhibits and other documents referenced herein and therein constitute the complete agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersede all prior agreements, oral or written, between or among the Parties with respect thereto.
- ii. Interpretation. This Agreement is the product of negotiation by and among the Parties. Any Party enforcing or interpreting this Agreement shall interpret it in a neutral manner. There shall be no presumption concerning whether to interpret this Agreement for or against any Party by reason of that Party having drafted this Agreement, or any portion thereof, or caused it or any portion thereof to be drafted.
- iii. Modification of this Agreement and the Term Sheet. Except as set forth in Section 8(b) hereof, as it applies to Termination Events, this Agreement and the Term Sheet may only be modified, altered, amended or supplemented by an agreement in writing signed by the Company and the Requisite Holders.
- (g) Execution of this Agreement.

This Agreement may be executed and delivered (by facsimile or otherwise) in any number of counterparts, each of which, when executed and delivered, shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall constitute the same agreement. Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of a Party has been duly authorized and empowered to execute and deliver this Agreement on behalf of said Party.

(h) Settlement Discussions.

This Agreement and the Restructuring are part of a proposed settlement of a dispute between the Parties. Nothing herein shall be deemed an admission of any kind. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Evidence 408 and any applicable state rules of evidence, this Agreement and all negotiations relating thereto shall not be admissible into evidence in any proceeding other than a proceeding to enforce the terms of this Agreement.

(i) Consideration.

The Company and the Undersigned Holder hereby acknowledge that no consideration, other than that specifically described herein and in the Term Sheet, shall be due or paid to the Undersigned Holder for its agreement to vote to accept the Plan in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, other than the Company's representations, warranties and agreement to use its commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain approval of the Disclosure Statement and to seek to confirm and consummate the Plan in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Term Sheet.

(j) Notices.

All notices hereunder shall be deemed given if in writing and delivered, if sent by facsimile, courier or by registered or certified mail (return receipt requested) to the following addresses and facsimile numbers (or at such other addresses or facsimile numbers as shall be specified by like notice):

i. If to the Company, to:

Charter Communications, Inc. 12405 Powerscourt Drive St. Louis, Missouri 63131 Attention: General Counsel

with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Kirkland & Ellis LLP Citigroup Center 153 East 53rd Street New York, New York 10022 Attention: Richard M. Cieri and Paul Basta;

ii. If to the Undersigned Holder or a transferee thereof, to the addresses or facsimile numbers set forth below following the Undersigned Holder's signature (or as directed by any transferee thereof), as the case may be, with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP 1285 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10019-6064 Attention: Alan W. Kornberg and Kenneth M. Schneider;

vii. Any notice given by delivery, mail or courier shall be effective when received. Any notice given by facsimile shall be effective upon oral or machine confirmation of transmission.

(k) No Obligations following Effective Date.

Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event pursuant to Section 8(a)(xii) hereof and termination of this Agreement in accordance with Section 8(b)(ii) hereof, this Agreement shall forthwith become void, there shall be no liability under this Agreement on the part of any Party and the Undersigned Holder shall have the sole and exclusive power to vote, or to direct the voting of, and to dispose, or to direct the disposition of, any securities received by the Undersigned Holder pursuant to the Plan.

(l) Savings Clause.

Prior to commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases, if and to the extent the Company's execution, agreement, performance, undertaking, or similar arrangement herein or in the Term Sheet (each, a "<u>Undertaking</u>") would cause a default or event of default under the CCO Credit Facility or the CCOH Credit Facility (and for the avoidance of doubt, in each case, including all notes issued thereunder), such Undertaking shall be deemed unenforceable solely to the extent necessary to avoid a default or event of default or event of default and such action shall be void *ab initio* to the extent necessary to avoid a default. To the extent that any Undertaking is unenforceable or void in accordance with the foregoing, the Parties shall use commercially reasonable best efforts to restore equivalent consideration to any affected Party.

(m) Time of the Essence.

The Parties agree that time is of the essence with respect to each and every term and provision of this Agreement.

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[CCH I/CCH II], LLC

Ву:_____

Title:

[Signature Page to Restructuring Agreement]

EXHIBIT 1

TERM SHEET

Charter Communications, Inc. 12405 Powerscourt Drive, Suite 100 St. Louis, MO 63131 Attention: Neil Smit, President and Chief Executive Officer

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We understand that Charter Communications, Inc., together with all of its direct and indirect subsidiaries (collectively, the "<u>Company</u>" or "you") and Charter Investment, Inc., proposes to file a joint plan of reorganization with the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York, incorporating the terms and conditions described in the term sheet attached hereto as <u>Exhibit A</u> (the "<u>Term Sheet</u>"), as required pursuant to the Restructuring Agreement, dated as of the date hereof (the "<u>Restructuring Agreement</u>"), by and between you and the undersigned investor (acting individually or through one or more of its affiliates) ("<u>Investor</u>") attached hereto as <u>Exhibit B</u> (such joint plan of reorganization incorporating <u>Exhibits A</u> and <u>B</u> collectively referred to as the "<u>Plan</u>"). The Term Sheet is hereby incorporated herein in its entirety as if set forth below in its entirety. Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings ascribed to such terms in the Term Sheet.

Investor is pleased to advise you of its commitment to provide financing to the Company on the terms set forth herein and subject to the conditions set forth in Exhibit <u>C</u>. Investor understands that the Company would like to arrange financing in order to (i) refinance the CCH II Notes pursuant to the Exchange, (ii) issue the New CCH II notes, if necessary, and (iii) effectuate the Rights Offering, in each case, as described in the Term Sheet (collectively, the <u>"Financing Transactions"</u>). This letter establishes the terms and conditions under which Investor is committed to provide to the Company, in connection with the Financing Transactions, the portion of the Rollover Commitment, the New Debt Commitment and/or the Equity Backstop, as the case may be, as is set forth on the signature page hereof (the <u>"Commitment"</u>).

1. <u>Commitment</u>. You have requested that Investor commit to provide its Commitment upon the terms set forth or referred to in this commitment letter, subject to the conditions set forth in <u>Exhibit C</u>. Based on the foregoing, Investor is pleased to confirm by this commitment letter its commitment to provide the entire amount of the Commitment. You agree that the closing date of the Financing Transactions and the concurrent funding of the Commitment shall be the Effective Date.

2. <u>Conditions Precedent</u>. The Commitment is subject to the satisfaction of the conditions precedent set forth in <u>Exhibit C</u>, unless waived by Investor. No closing of the Financing Transactions shall take place if the conditions set forth in Exhibit C are not satisfied or waived.

3. Costs, Fees and Expenses. In consideration of this Commitment and recognizing that, in connection herewith, Investor is incurring out-of-pocket costs and expenses

(including, without limitation, reasonable fees and disbursements of outside counsel, filing and recording fees, costs and expenses of due diligence, syndication, transportation, duplication, messenger, appraisal, audit, and consultant costs and expenses), you hereby agree to pay and reimburse Investor for its reasonable documented out-of-pocket fees, costs and expenses in accordance with the Term Sheet, regardless of whether any of the transactions contemplated hereby are consummated.

4. <u>Am's-Length Transaction</u>. In connection with all aspects of each transaction contemplated by this commitment letter, you acknowledge and agree that: (i) the Commitment, the Financing Transactions and any other services described in this commitment letter are an am's-length commercial transaction between you and your affiliates, on the one hand, and Investor, on the other hand, and you are capable of evaluating and understanding and understand and accept the terms, risks and conditions of the transactions contemplated by this commitment letter; (ii) in connection with the process leading to such transaction. Investor is and has been acting solely as principal and is not the financial advisor or fiduciary for you or any of your subsidiaries or affiliates, stockholders, creditors (other than Investor istel) or employees or any other party; (iii) Investor has not assumed nor will it assume an advisory or or fuduciary for you or your subsidiaries ' avor with respect to any of the transactions contemplated hereby or the process leading thereto (irrespective of whether Investor has advised or is currently advising you or your subsidiaries or affiliates on other matters) and Investor has no obligation to you or your subsidiaries or affiliates with respect to the transactions contemplated hereby except those obligations expressly set forth in this letter, the other documents relating to the Financing Transactions and the definitive documentation; (iv) Investor and its respective affiliates may be engaged in a broad range of transactions that involve interests that differ from yours subsidiaries and affiliates and lowestor has no obligation to disclose any of such interests by virtue of any advisory, agency or fiduciary relationship; and (v) Investor has not provided any legal, accounting, regulatory or tax advice with respect to any of the transactions contemplated hereby.

5. Information. You hereby represent and covenant that (i) all written (including in electronic form) information (other than Projections (as defined below), forward looking information and information of a general economic or general industry nature) that has been or will be made available to us by the Company and any of its representatives in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby (the "Information"), is or will be, when furnished and taken as a whole, complete and correct in all material respects and does not or will not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances under which such statements are made, not misleading, and (ii) all financial information and projections ("Projections") that have been or will be made available to us in writing by the Company or its representatives in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby have been or will be prepared in good faith based upon assumptions believed to be reasonable at the time made (it being understood that such projections are not to be viewed as facts and are subject to significant uncertainties and

contingencies, many of which are beyond your control, and that no assurance can be given that any particular projections will be realized and that actual results may differ and such differences may be material). In issuing this commitment letter, Investor is relying on the accuracy of the Information, without independent verification thereof. You agree to supplement the Information and any Projections previously furnished, or that will be furnished, from time to time so that the representations and warranties contained in this paragraph will remain complete and correct in all material respects.

6. <u>Investor Status</u>. Investor hereby represents and warrants that (i) it is either (a) a qualified institutional buyer as defined in Rule 144A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), (b) an institutional accredited investor (as defined in Rule 501(a)(1), (2), (3) or (7) under the Securities Act (the "<u>Rules</u>")) or (c) it is an entity in which all of the equity owners are institutional accredited investors as defined in the Rules; (ii) that any securities purchased or received in connection herewith cannot be resold absent an exemption to the Securities Act or registration of such securities under the Securities Act; and (iii) such securities have been acquired for investment and not with a view to distribution or resale.

7. Indemnification and Exculpation.

(a) You agree to indemnify and hold harmless Investor, and each of its affiliates and each of its affiliates' respective officers, directors, partners, shareholders, members, trustees, controlling persons, employees, agents, advisors, attorneys and representatives (each, an "Indemnified Party") from and against any and all costs and expenses (including, without limitation, reasonable and documented fees and disbursements of outside counsel), that may be incurred by any Indemnified Party in defending any claims arising out of or in connection with or relating to this commitment letter, or any claim, litigation, investigation or proceeding relating to any of the foregoing, regardless of whether any Indemnified Party is a party thereto, and you shall reimburse each Indemnified Party upon demand for all reasonable and documented out-of-pocket legal and other expenses incurred by it in connection with investigation, investigation or provoviding evidence in or preparing to serve or serving as a witness with respect to, any lawsuit, investigation, claim or other proceeding relating to any of the foregoing (including, without limitation, in connection with the enforcement of the indemnification obligations set forth herein), irrespective of whether the transactions contemplated hereby are consummated, except to the extent such cost or expense is found in a final non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction to have resulted from an Indemnified Party's bad faith, gross negligence or willful misconduct or from such Indemnified Party's material breach of the Restructuring Agreement or this commitment letter; provided, that you shall not have to reimburse the legal fees and expenses of more than one outside counsel (and any local counsel) for all Indemnified Persons with respect to any specific matter for which indemnification is sought unless, as reasonably determined by any such Indemnified Person or its counsel, representation of all such Indemnified Persons would be inappropriate or impracticable or crea

(b) You agree that no Indemnified Party shall have any liability (whether direct or indirect, in contract, tort or otherwise) to the Company for or in connection with the transactions contemplated hereby, except to the extent such liability is found in a final

non-appealable judgment by a court of competent jurisdiction to have resulted from such Indemnified Party's bad faith, gross negligence or willful misconduct or from such Indemnified Party's material breach of the Restructuring Agreement or this commitment letter. In no event, however, shall any Indemnified Party be liable on any theory of liability for any special, indirect, consequential or punitive damages. You further agree that, without the prior written consent of Investor, you will not enter into any settlement of any lawsuit, claim or other proceeding arising out of this commitment letter or the transactions contemplated hereby unless such settlement (i) includes an explicit and unconditional release from the party shall be liable for any damages arising from the use by unauthorized persons of any information made available to Investor by you or any of your representatives through electronic, telecommunications or other information transmission systems that is intercepted by such persons.

8. Governing Law, etc. This commitment letter shall be governed by, and construed in accordance with, the law of the State of New York. Each of the parties hereto irrevocably consents to the jurisdiction and venue of the federal and/or state courts located within the City of New York in the Borough of Manhatan. The parties hereto hereby waive, to the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, any objection that they may now or hereafter have to the laying of venue of any suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court, and any claim that any such suit, action or proceeding brought in any such court has been brought in an inconvenient forum; provided, that such waiver shall not be deemed to require any bankruptcy case involving the Company to be filed in such courts, and if the Company becomes a debtor under chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code, during any such case, any claims shall be heard and determined before the Bankruptcy Court. This commitment letter including the Exhibits attached hereto) sets forth the entire agreement between the parties with respect to the an original and all of which, taken together, shall constitute one and the same letter. Delivery of an executed counterpart of a signature page to this letter by fax shall be acfettive as delivery of a manually executed counterpart of this letter. This commitment letter is not assignable by either party without the prior written consent of the other party; provided, however, that Investor may assign it sights, interests or obligations hereunder, without the prior written consent of the States and the soucessors and assigns. Nothing herein, express or implied, is intended to or shall confer upon any other third party any legal or equitable right, benefit, standing or remedy of any nature whatsoever under or by reason of this commitment letter.

9. Waiver of Jury Trial. Each party hereto irrevocably waives all right to trial by jury in any action, proceeding or counterclaim (whether based on contract, tort or otherwise) arising out of or relating to this letter or the transactions contemplated by this

commitment letter or the actions of Investor or any of its affiliates in the negotiation, performance, or enforcement of this commitment letter.

10. Termination. This commitment and undertaking of Investor will expire on the earliest to occur of (i) a termination of the Restructuring Agreement, (ii) the consummation of the Financing Transactions or any component thereof without the use of any portion of the Commitment, (iii) February 15, 2009, unless the Company shall have delivered to Investor written evidence of payment of all accrued interest that was due and payable on January 15, 2009 by CCH1 Holdings, LLC and Chatter Communications Holdings, LLC in respect of certain of their outstanding senior notes, (iv) March 12, 2009, if, on or prior to that date Investor shall have delivered written notice to the Company that the condition set forth in clause (a) of <u>Exhibit C</u> shall not have been satisfied or waived and (v) the Company becoming the subject of an order for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code and the Company failing to obtain an order of the Bankruptcy Court authorizing and approving this commitment letter within 50 days from such order for relief. In addition, all accepted commitments and undertaking of Investor hereunder may be terminated by Investor if you fail to perform your obligations hereunder or under the Restructuring Agreement in any material respect on a timely basis. Upon any such expiration or termination of this commitment letter, regardless of whether any definitive documentation for the Financing Transactions shall be executed and delivered and notwithstanding the expiration or termination of this commitment letter set on the no liability under this commitment letter on the part of Investor or the Company; provided, however, that, unless terminated pursuant to clause (iv) above, the provisions of this commitment letter set forth in Sections 3 (Costs, Fees and Expenses), 7 (Indemnification and Exculpation), 8 (Governing Law, etc.) and 9 (Waiver of Jury Trial) shall remain in full force and effect. Notwithstanding the preceding sentence, your obligations hereunder shall automatically terminate and be superseded by the

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Very truly yours,	
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Accepted and agreed to this <u>day of</u> February, 2009, for and on behalf of all of the companies listed below:

Charter Communications, Inc. CCH I, LLC CCH II, LLC Charter Communications Operating, LLC (only for purposes of Section 7 hereof)

Title: _____

By:

EXHIBIT A

TERM SHEET

(Attached)

EXHIBIT B

RESTRUCTURING AGREEMENT

(Attached)

EXHIBIT C

CONDITIONS

Set forth below are the conditions of the Commitment and the Financing Transactions:

(a) completion of Investor's business, financial and legal due diligence, the results of which are satisfactory to Investor, in its sole discretion; it being understood and agreed that the condition set forth in this clause (a) shall expire and have no force or effect at any time following March 12, 2009, subject to the Company making available information on a basis that allows Investor to complete its due diligence by such date.

(b) the following shall be true and correct: as of the date hereof: each of the Company's filings with the Securities and Exchange commission since January 1, 2008 (the "SEC Filings") is, as of its respective filing date, complete and correct in all material respects and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances under which such statements are made, not misleading;

(c) other than as disclosed in the SEC Filings made prior to the date hereof (or on the date hereof with prior written notice to the Investor), there shall not have occurred any event, development or circumstance since September 30, 2008, which has had, or would reasonably be expected to have, individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse effect on the condition (financial or otherwise), business, results of operation, assets or liabilities of the Company and its subsidiaries taken as a whole (but excluding the fact of the filing of the Chapter 11 Cases and any event, development or circumstance resulting from such filing if such event, development or circumstance is cured on or prior to the Effective Date);

(d) as of the consummation of the Financing Transactions, the Information is, when furnished and taken as a whole, complete and correct in all material respects and does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein, in light of the circumstances under which such statements are made, not misleading, and the representations and warranties in Section 5 of this commitment letter shall have been performed in all material respects;

(e) the Company and its subsidiaries shall have executed and delivered definitive documentation with respect to the Financing Transactions that is consistent with the Term Sheet and this commitment letter and customary for this type of transaction;

(f) all governmental and material third party approvals and consents required by the Term Sheet, including bankruptcy court approval, necessary in connection with the transactions contemplated by the Term Sheet shall have been obtained and be in full force and effect, and all applicable waiting periods shall have expired without any action being taken or threatened by any competent authority that would restrain, prevent or otherwise impose materially adverse conditions on such transactions;

(g) the Plan shall be consummated on the terms and conditions set forth in the Term Sheet, the Restructuring Agreement and that certain Escrow Agreement, dated as of the date hereof, by and among, *inter alia*, the Company, Wells Fargo Bank, N.A. and certain members of the Committee, contemporaneously with the closing of the Financing Transactions; and

(h) Investor shall have received such legal opinions, documents and other instruments as are customary for transactions of this type.

The definitive documentation contemplated by clause (e) above shall not contain (i) any conditions precedent other than the accuracy of the Specified Representations and the conditions precedent set forth herein or (ii) any representation or warranty (other than Specified Representations), affirmative or negative covenant or event of default, the accuracy, compliance or absence, respectively, of or with which would be a condition to the availability of the Commitment on the Effective Date. For purposes hereof, "Specified Representations" means the representations and warranties of the Company relating to corporate power and authority, the enforceability of the definitive documentation, the validity of the securities issued and, in each case as they relate to the entering into and performance of the definitive credit documentation, Federal Reserve margin regulations, and the Investment Company Act.

THIS TERM SHEET IS NOT AN OFFER WITH RESPECT TO ANY SECURITIES OR SOLICITATION OF ACCEPTANCES OF A CHAPTER 11 PLAN.

SUCH OFFER OR SOLICITATION ONLY WILL BE MADE IN COMPLIANCE WITH ALL APPLICABLE SECURITIES LAWS AND/OR PROVISIONS OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE.

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

TERM SHEET FOR PROPOSED JOINT CHAPTER 11 PLAN OF REORGANIZATION

This term sheet (this "Term Sheet") describes the principal terms of a proposed restructuring of Charter Communications, Inc. ("<u>CCI</u>"), together with all of its direct and indirect subsidiaries and Charter Investment, Inc. ("<u>CII</u>") and together with CCI and its direct and indirect subsidiaries, the "<u>Debtors</u>") under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101 <u>et seq</u>. (the "<u>Bankruptcy Code</u>"). Capitalized terms used but not otherwise defined herein shall have the respective meanings ascribed to such terms in <u>Annex A</u>.

PLAN PROPONENTS:	The Debtors.
PLAN OF REORGANIZATION:	The Debtors shall file a joint plan of reorganization (the " <u>Plan</u> ") and related disclosure statement (the " <u>Disclosure Statement</u> ") that are consistent with this Term Sheet and shall use commercially reasonable best efforts to consummate the Plan. ¹
	The Plan and the Disclosure Statement shall be consistent with the terms of this Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Debtors, Paul Allen and any entities controlled by Mr. Allen or any trust of which Mr. Allen is the grantor (together, including Mr. Allen, the " <u>Allen Entities</u> ") and members of the unofficial committee of unaffiliated holders of CCH I Notes and CCH II Notes (the " <u>Committee</u> ") holding a majority in principal amount of the CCH I Notes held by all members of the Committee (the " <u>Requisite Holders</u> ").
	All debt under the Plan that shall be surrendered, redeemed, exchanged or cancelled shall be deemed for all purposes, including income tax purposes, to be outstanding until the Effective Date, and such debt shall not be deemed surrendered, redeemed, exchanged or cancelled on any date earlier than the Effective Date.
PLAN FUNDING AND CAPITAL COMMITMENTS:	The Plan will be funded with cash from operations, an exchange for new debt of CCH II, LLC, the issuance and sale of additional debt of CCH II, LLC, if any, and the proceeds of a rights offering by CCI, as follows:
Exchange for CCH II Notes	CCH II, LLC shall effectuate an offer in conjunction with and pursuant to the Plan (the "Exchange") to existing holders of CCH II Notes to exchange CCH II Notes for new 13.5% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC

¹The Debtors' cases shall not be substantively consolidated.

	and CCH II Capital Corp. to be issued pursuant to a new indenture containing the terms set forth on Annex B (the " <u>New CCH II Notes</u> "). CCH II Notes that are exchanged in the Exchange shall be converted into New CCH II Notes with a principal amount equal to the amount of outstanding principal plus accrued but unpaid interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Holders of CCH II Notes that are not exchanged in the Exchange shall have the right to receive cash in the amount of outstanding principal plus accrued but unpaid interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest and Fees, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties (the aggregate amount to be paid on the Effective Date in cash, the " <u>Cash Amount</u> ").
	The principal amount at maturity of New CCH II Notes to be issued pursuant to the Plan shall be (x) \$1.477 billion plus accrued but unpaid interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest on exchanged CCH II Notes, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties (the " <u>Target Amount</u> ") and (y) an additional \$85 million.
Rollover Commitment by Members of the Committee	Members of the Committee listed on Annex C (collectively, the " <u>Rollover Commitment Parties</u> ") will, severally and not jointly (in the respective amounts set forth on <u>Annex C</u>), commit to exchange on the Effective Date an aggregate of \$1.2098 billion in principal amount of CCH II Notes (plus accrued but unpaid interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties) for New CCH II Notes pursuant to the Exchange, subject to the cutback described below (the " <u>Rollover Commitment</u> ").
Cutback in Exchange	If the aggregate principal amount of New CCH II Notes to be issued to holders (including the Rollover Commitment Parties) electing to participate in the Exchange would exceed the Target Amount, then each participating holder (including the Rollover Commitment Parties) shall receive its <u>pro rata</u> portion of such Target Amount of New CCH II Notes in the same proportion that the principal amount of CCH II Notes sought to be exchanged by such holder bears to the total principal amount of CCH II Notes sought to be exchanged, and the remainder of CCH II Notes shall be converted into the right to receive the Cash Amount.
New Debt Commitment by Members of the Committee	Members of the Committee listed on <u>Annex D</u> (collectively, the " <u>New Debt Commitment Parties</u> ") will, severally and not jointly (in the respective amounts set forth on <u>Annex D</u>), commit to purchase additional New CCH II Notes (the " <u>New Debt Commitment</u> ") in an aggregate principal amount of \$267 million. If the aggregate principal amount of New CCH II Notes to be issued to holders (including the Rollover Commitment Parties) electing to participate in the Exchange is less than the Target Amount, then the New Debt Commitment shall be funded up to the extent of such shortfall.

CCI shall effectuate an offering in conjunction with and pursuant to the Plan (the "<u>Rights Offering</u>") to existing holders of CCH I Notes, each of which shall be accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, as such terms are defined in Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "<u>Securities Act</u>"), of rights to purchase shares of new Class A common stock of the Reorganized Company (the "<u>New Class A Stock</u>"). The Rights Offering to existing holders of CCH I Notes shall generate gross proceeds in an amount equal to (a) \$1.623 billion minus (b) the excess, if any, of \$450 million over the amount of the CCO Swap Agreement Claims.

Each holder of CCH I Notes shall be offered the right (the "<u>Right</u>") to purchase shares of New Class A Stock pro rata in proportion to the principal amount of CCH I Notes held by such holder on the Record Date (the aggregate amount offered to such holder, its "<u>Pro Rata Participation Amount</u>"), in exchange for a cash payment per share reflecting a discount of 25% to the Plan Value (the "<u>Per Share Purchase Price</u>").

The Rights received by the holders of CCH I Notes shall be independently transferable, but only to accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, as such terms are defined in Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act, up through the Record Date, subject to a right of first refusal of members of the Committee, listed on <u>Annex</u> **E**, who agree to provide both the Equity Backstop (as defined below) (the "<u>Equity Backstop Parties</u>") and an Excess Backstop (as defined below). The Rights shall not be listed or quoted on any public or over-the-counter exchange or quotation system. A Rights agent reasonably acceptable to the Requisite Holders and the Debtors shall be appointed by CCI to facilitate the Rights Offering. Fractional shares shall not be issued and no compensation shall be paid in cash in respect of fractional shares. Unexercised Rights will expire without compensation at 5:00 p.m. on the expiration date chosen by CCI, which date shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Requisite Holders and the Debtors. Shares of New Class A Stock issued in connection with the Rights Offering shall be issued on the Effective Date.

Existing holders of CCH I Notes which are not accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, as such terms are defined in Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act, shall not participate in the Rights Offering, but instead shall receive shares of New Class A Stock with a value equal to the value of the Rights such holders would have been offered if they were accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, based on the Plan Value.

Backstop by Members of the Committee

The Equity Backstop Parties will, severally and not jointly (in the respective amounts set forth on <u>Annex E</u>), fully backstop the Rights Offering (the "Equity Backstop"). If any holder of CCH I Notes (or its transferee of Rights) elects not to participate in the Rights Offering, each

Equity Backstop Party who committed to an Equity Backstop in excess of its Pro Rata Participation Amount as set forth on <u>Annex E</u> (the "<u>Excess Backstop</u>.") will assume
its pro rata portion of all Excess Backstops. Notvithstanding the foregoing, no Equity Backstop Party shall assume may refraining party's right to backstop Party (or its affiliates) would then be entitled to purchase shares of New Class A Stock that, together with any other shares of
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New Class A Stock or rights to acquire shares of New Class A Stock to be received by such Equity Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the Equity Threshold.Overallotment OptionThe Equity Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the Equity Threshold.Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Equity Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the Excess Backstops of the Excess Backstop bears to the Excess Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the foregoing, no Equity Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the foregoing, no Equity Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the Excess Backstop bears to the Excess Backstop Party (or its affiliates) violating the the entitled to purchase shares of New Class A Stock or rights to acquire shares of New Class A Stock that, together with any other shares of New Class A Stock or rights to acquire shares of New Class A Stock to be received by such Equity

As consideration for participating in the Exchange, each participating holder (including the Rollover Commitment Parties) shall receive from the Debtors (other than CII) an aggregate commitment fee for the use of capital, payable in cash, in an amount equal to 1.5% of the principal amount plus interest on CCH II Notes exchanged by such holder pursuant to the Exchange (the "Rollover Fee").

As consideration for the New Debt Commitment, each New Debt Commitment Party shall receive from the Debtors (other than CII) an aggregate commitment fee for the use of capital, payable in cash, in an amount equal to the greater of (i) 3.0% of its respective portion of the New Debt Commitment and (ii) 0.83% of its respective portion of the New Debt Commitment for each month beginning April 1, 2009 during which its New Debt Commitment remains outstanding; <u>provided</u>, that if the amount described in clause (ii) exceeds the amount described in clause (i), then a member of the Committee previously identified shall exercise its Overallotment Option in an amount no less than such excess; <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that such New Debt Commitment Party shall not have terminated its commitment letter with respect to the New Debt Commitment on or prior to such date (the "<u>New Debt Fee</u>").

As consideration for the Equity Backstop, each Equity Backstop Party shall receive from the Debtors (other than CII) an aggregate commitment fee for the use of capital, payable in cash, in an amount equal to 3% of its respective Equity Backstop; provided, that such Equity Backstop Party shall not have terminated its commitment letter with respect to the Equity Backstop on or prior to such date (the "Equity Backstop Fee" and, together with the Rollover Fee and the New Debt Fee, the "Commitment Fees").

The Commitment Fees shall be deemed to be earned as of the Confirmation Date and shall be payable on the Effective Date; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that if cash on the balance sheet is less than \$600 million as of the Effective Date (which amount will be reduced by any cash payment of interest on CCH II Notes exchanged pursuant to the Exchange, but will be net of payment of the Allen Management Receivable (as defined herein), the Commitment Fees and the Allen Fee Reimbursement (as defined herein)), then the Commitment Fees shall be payable at the end of the first calendar quarter in which cash on the balance sheet at the end of such quarter is at least \$600 million (reduced by cash payment of interest as described above) net of the Allen Management Receivable (if still outstanding). The Commitment Fees and the Allen Fee Reimbursement shall be paid on a pari passu basis.

TREATMENT OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS: Administrative Expense Claims

Except with respect to Administrative Expense Claims that are professional fee claims and except to the extent that a holder of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim and the Debtors agree to less

	favorable treatment to such holder, each holder of an Allowed Administrative Expense Claim shall be paid in full in cash on the later of the initial distribution date under the Plan and the date such Administrative Expense Claim is Allowed, and the date such Allowed Administrative Claim becomes due and payable, or as soon thereafter as is practicable; <u>provided</u> , <u>however</u> , that Allowed Administrative Expense Claims that arise in the ordinary course of the Debtors' business shall be paid in full in the ordinary course of business in accordance with the terms and subject to the conditions of any agreements governing, instruments evidencing, or other documents relating to, such transactions.
Priority Tax Claims	Except to the extent that a holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim and the Debtors agree to less favorable treatment to such holder, each holder of an Allowed Priority Tax Claim shall be paid in full in cash on the later of the initial distribution date under the Plan, the date such Priority Tax Claim is Allowed and the date such Allowed Priority Tax Claim becomes due and payable, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.
Other Priority Claims	The Allowed Other Priority Claims of all Debtors shall be Unimpaired. Except to the extent that a holder of an Allowed Other Priority Claim and the Debtors agree to less favorable treatment to such holder, each holder of an Allowed Other Priority Claim shall be paid in full in cash plus Post-Petition Interest on the later of the initial distribution date under the Plan, the date such other priority claim is Allowed and the date such Allowed Other Priority Claim becomes due and payable, or as soon thereafter as is practicable; <u>provided</u> , <u>however</u> , that Other Priority Claims that arise in the ordinary course of the Debtors' business and which are not due and payable on or before the Effective Date shall be paid in the ordinary course of business in accordance with the terms thereof.
CCO Credit Facility Claims	CCO Credit Facility Claims shall be Unimpaired. The CCO Credit Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest and Fees, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Each Allowed CCO Credit Facility claim shall be reinstated and rendered Unimpaired in accordance with section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the holder of an Allowed CCO Credit Facility claim to demand or to receive payment of such Allowed CCO Credit Facility claim from and after the occurrence of a default. The Debtors shall waive and/or abjure any right to require any lender to make loans (whether term loans or revolving loans) under the CCO Credit Facility, other than loans outstanding as of the Effective Date.

CCO Swap Agreement Claims	CCO Swap Agreement Claims shall be Impaired and will be Allowed in the aggregate amount determined by the Bankruptcy Court plus Post-Petition Interest, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties.
CCO Note Claims	CCO Note Claims shall be Unimpaired. The CCO Note claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date plus Post- Petition Interest and Fees, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Each Allowed CCO Note claim shall be reinstated and rendered Unimpaired in accordance with section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the holder of an Allowed CCO Note claim to demand or to receive payment of such Allowed CCO Note claim prior to the stated maturity of such Allowed CCO Note claim from and after the occurrence of a default.
CCOH Credit Facility Claims	CCOH Credit Facility Claims shall be Unimpaired. The CCOH Credit Facility Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest and Fees, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Each Allowed CCOH Credit Facility claim shall be reinstated and rendered Unimpaired in accordance with section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the holder of an Allowed CCOH Credit Facility claim to demand or to receive payment of such Allowed CCOH Credit Facility claim prior to the stated maturity of such Allowed CCOH Credit Facility claim from and after the occurrence of a default.
CCOH Note Claims	CCOH Note Claims shall be Unimpaired. The CCOH Note Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest and Fees, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Each Allowed CCOH Note Claim shall be reinstated and rendered Unimpaired in accordance with section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the holder of an Allowed CCOH Note claim to demand or to receive payment of such Allowed CCOH Note claim prior to the stated maturity of such Allowed CCOH Note claim from and after the occurrence of a default.
Other Secured Claims	The Allowed Other Secured Claims shall be Unimpaired. Except to the extent that a holder of an Allowed Other Secured Claim and the Debtors agree to less favorable treatment to such holder, at the sole option of the Debtors, (a) each Allowed Other Secured Claim shall be reinstated and
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	rendered Unimpaired in accordance with section 1124(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, notwithstanding any contractual provision or applicable non-bankruptcy law that entitles the holder of an Allowed Other Secured Claim prior to the stated maturity of such Allowed Other Secured Claim from and after the occurrence of a default, (b) each holder of an Allowed Other Secured Claim shall be paid in full in cash plus Post-Petition Interest on the later of the initial distribution date under the Plan and the date such Other Secured Claim becomes an Allowed Other Secured Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable, or (c) each holder of an Allowed Other Secured Claim becomes an Allowed Other Secured Claim, post-Petition Interest on the later of the initial distribution date under the Plan and the date such Other Secured Claim becomes an Allowed Other Secured Claim, or as soon thereafter as is practicable.
General Unsecured Claims	The Allowed General Unsecured Claims of creditors of the Debtors shall be Unimpaired. Each holder of an Allowed General Unsecured Claim of CCH II and its direct and indirect subsidiaries shall be paid in full in cash when due in the ordinary course of business and the Debtors shall use reasonably commercial efforts to seek an order of the Bankruptcy Court as promptly as practicable following the Petition Date to permit such payments pending the Effective Date. To the extent insurance is available to satisfy an Allowed General Unsecured Claim, such Allowed General Unsecured Claim shall be paid in the ordinary course of business by the Reorganized Debtors to the extent of such insurance, without need for Bankruptcy Court approval, at such time as such claim becomes liquidated and proceeds of the insurance therefor become available. The Debtors shall not establish any bar date or disputed claims reserve for payment of general unsecured claims.
CCH II Note Claims	CCH II Note Claims shall be Impaired. The CCH II Note claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties. Holders of CCH II Note Claims shall receive the New CCH II Notes and/or the Cash Amount pursuant to the Exchange as described above. Holders of CCH II Notes that are not exchanged in the Exchange shall have the right to receive the Cash Amount.
CCH I Note Claims	CCH I Note Claims shall be Impaired. The CCH I Note Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date. On the initial distribution date under the Plan, holders of CCH I Note Claims shall receive (i) shares of New Class A Stock in an aggregate amount equal to 100% of the New Common Stock (as defined below) outstanding as of the Effective Date, prior to giving effect to the Rights Offering, the issuance of warrants or equity-based awards provided for by the Plan or the Allen Entities Settlement (as defined

	below) and (ii) a New CCH II Note with an aggregate principal amount of \$85 million (the " <u>New CCH II \$85M Note</u> "), subject to the Allen Entities Settlement. Each holder of CCH I Note Claims shall receive its pro rata portion of such New Class A Stock in the same proportion that the principal amount of CCH I Notes held by such holder bears to the total principal amount of CCH I Notes (whether or not held by members of the Committee). Certain holders of CCH I Note Claims shall also receive Rights pursuant to the Rights Offering as described above. Existing holders of CCH I Notes which are not accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, as such terms are defined in Rule 144A promulgated under the Securities Act, shall not participate in the Rights Offering, but instead shall receive shares of New Class A Stock with a value equal to the value of the Rights such holders would have been offered if they were accredited investors or qualified institutional buyers, based on the Plan Value.
CIH Note Claims	CIH Note Claims shall be Impaired. The CIH Note Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date. On the initial distribution date under the Plan, holders of CIH Note Claims shall receive warrants to purchase shares of New Class A Stock in an aggregate amount equal to 5% of the fully diluted New Common Stock outstanding as of the Effective Date, after giving effect to the Rights Offering, the issuance of warrants and equity-based awards provided for by the Plan and the Allen Entities Settlement. Each holder of CIH Note Claims shall receive its <u>pro rata</u> portion of such warrants in the same proportion that the principal amount of CIH Notes held by such holder bears to the total principal amount of CIH Notes. The warrants shall have an exercise price per share based on a total equity value of \$5.3 billion and shall expire five years after the date of issuance.
CCH Note Claims	CCH Note Claims shall be Impaired. The CCH Note Claims shall be Allowed in the aggregate amount of principal plus accrued interest to the Petition Date. On the initial distribution date under the Plan, holders of CCH Note Claims shall receive warrants to purchase shares of New Class A Stock in an aggregate amount equal to 1% of the fully diluted New Common Stock outstanding as of the Effective Date, after giving effect to the Rights Offering, the issuance of warrants and equity-based awards provided for by the Plan and the Allen Entities Settlement. Each holder of CCH Note Claims shall receive its <u>pro rata</u> portion of such warrants in the same proportion that the principal amount of CCH Notes held by such holder bears to the total principal amount of CCH Notes. The warrants shall have an exercise price per share based on a total equity value of \$5.8 billion and shall expire five years after the date of issuance.
CCHC Note Claims	CCHC Note Claims shall be Impaired. CCHC Note Claims shall be cancelled, released and extinguished and the holders of the CCHC Note Claims, among others, shall share in the consideration to be provided
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Holdco Claims Holdco Claims shall be Impaired. Holders of such Claims that are Allowed shall be entitled to a pro rata distribution on account of recoveries in respect of (a) Claims under the Mutual Services Agreement and (b) Intercompany Claim recoveries against other Debtors CCI Claims Other Than General Unsecured Claims CCI Claims shall be Impaired. On the initial distribution date under the Plan, holders of CCI Claims shall receive (i) shares of callable perpetual preferred stock with a face amount of \$72 million and entitled to a 15% PIK dividend (the "<u>New Preferred Stock</u>"), (ii) cash in an amount equal to \$5 million and (iii) cash in the amount of valid Claims of CCI against CCO in excess of \$72 million; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that the aggregate amount of cash received pursuant to this clause (iii) shall in no event exceed \$41 million. Each holder of CCI Claims shall receive its pro rata portion of such shares and cash in the same proportion that the principal amount of CCI Claims held by such holder bears to the total principal amount of CCI Claims. CII Claims CII Claims shall be Impaired. Except to the extent that a holder of an Allowed CII Claim and CII agree to less favorable treatment to such holder, holders of Allowed CII Claims shall be paid in full, plus post-petition interest if required under an underlying contract, when due in the ordinary course of business. Intercompany Claims Except as otherwise provided for in this Term Sheet, all other Intercompany Claims shall be Unimpaired and shall be reinstated upon the Effective Date. Section 510(b) Claims Section 510(b) Claims shall be Impaired and the holders thereof shall be deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Section 510(b) Claims shall be cancelled, released and extinguished and the holders of Section 510(b) Claims shall receive no distribution under the Plan on account of such Claims Treatment of Interests in Certain Debtors Interests in CCOH, CCO and CCO's direct and indirect subsidiaries, other than Interests represented by preferred equity in CC VIII, LLC, shall be Unimpaired. Interests in Holdco, CCHC, CCH, CIH, CCH I and CCH II shall be Impaired, but shall remain in place in exchange for new value consideration to be contributed by CCI from the Rights Offering. CC VIII Preferred Units Interests in the CC VIII Preferred Units shall be Impaired. Direct and indirect (through CCH I) holders of CC VIII Preferred Units shall

under the Allen Entities Settlement.

	receive (a) in the case of holders of CCH I Notes, shares of New Class A Stock as described above under "TREATMENT OF CLAIMS AND INTERESTS – CCH I Notes Claims" and (b) in the case of CII, as part of the Allen Entities Settlement, \$150 million in cash, in each case on the initial distribution date under the Plan.
Interests in CCI	Interests in CCI, whether represented by stock, preferred share purchase rights or otherwise, shall be Impaired and the holders thereof shall be deemed to have rejected the Plan pursuant to section 1126(g) of the Bankruptcy Code. Such Interests shall be cancelled, released and extinguished and the holders of such Interests shall receive no distribution under the Plan on account thereof.
CII Interests	Interests in CII shall be Unimpaired. Mr. Allen shall retain 100% of the interests in CII which interests shall remain freely transferable and shall not be subject to liquidate CII.
REORGANIZED COMPANY EQUITY INTERESTS:	The Reorganized Company's equity interests shall consist of New Class A Stock, new Class B common stock (the " <u>New Class B Stock</u> " and, together with the New Class A Stock, the " <u>New Common Stock</u> "), New Preferred Stock and warrants to purchase New Class A Stock.
New Class A Common Stock	Shares of New Class A Stock shall be issued to (a) participants in the Rights Offering upon the exercise of Rights, (b) Equity Backstop Parties upon the exercise of the Overallotment Option (if exercised), (c) holders of Claims with respect to the CCH I Notes, (d) holders of CCH I Notes with respect to their indirect interest in CC VIII Preferred Units, and (e) the Allen Entities upon exercise of warrants and exchange of Holdco interests issued to the Allen Entities as part of the Allen Entities Settlement, in each case in the respective amounts described herein. Each share of New Class A Stock shall be entitled to one vote.
	CCI shall cause the New Class A Stock to be listed on the NASDAQ Global Select Market as promptly as practicable but in no event prior to the later of (x) the 46th day following the Effective Date, and (y) October 15, 2009 (unless the Allen Entities and the Reorganized Company agree to an earlier date) and the Reorganized Company shall maintain such listing thereafter.
New Class B Common Stock	The New Class B Stock shall be identical to the New Class A Stock except with respect to certain voting, transfer and conversion rights. Each share of New Class B Stock shall be entitled to a fixed number of votes such that the aggregate number of votes attributable to the shares of New Class B Stock held by the Allen Entities shall equal 35% of the combined voting power of the New Common Stock. Each share of New Class B Stock shall be convertible into one share of New Class A Stock at the option of the holder or, following September 15, 2014 (the "Lock-

	<u>Up Date</u> "), the members of the Board of Directors (as defined below) nominated by stockholders other than the Allen Entities. New Class B Stock shall be subject to significant transfer restrictions (it being understood that New Class A Stock issued to the Allen Entities upon exercise of warrants and exchange of Holdco interests issued to the Allen Entities as part of the Allen Entities Settlement shall not be subject to contractual transfer restrictions). Certain restrictions on conversion and transfer of New Class B Stock shall be set forth in a lock-up agreement among the Reorganized Company, Mr. Allen and the Allen Entities (the "Lock-Up Agreement"), as described below.
	Shares of New Class B Stock shall be issued to the Allen Entities as part of the Allen Entities Settlement.
New Preferred Stock	Shares of New Preferred Stock shall be issued to holders of CCI Claims in the respective amounts described above. If the New Preferred Stock is to be publicly traded, such shares shall be subject to the same restrictions on listing and quotation as the New Class A Stock.
Warrants	Warrants to be issued pursuant to the Plan shall consist solely of: (i) warrants to purchase shares of New Class A Stock issued to holders of Claims with respect to the CIH Notes and CCH Notes in the respective amounts described above and (ii) warrants to purchase shares of New Class A Stock issued to the Allen Entities as part of the Allen Entities Settlement as described below.
REGISTRATION RIGHTS:	Holders of New Common Stock shall be entitled to registration rights as set forth below. The registration rights agreement shall contain customary terms and provisions, including customary indemnification provisions.
	Demand Registrations. The holders of New Common Stock shall each be entitled to demand registration rights, which may, at the option of the applicable holder, be a "shelf" registration pursuant to Rule 415 under the Securities Act. All registrations will be subject to customary "windows" and "black out" periods and other customary limitations to be agreed upon. Except as permitted by the Lock-Up Agreement, any New Class B Stock shall be converted into New Class A Stock prior to any public or private sale.
	Piggyback Registrations. In addition, the holders of Registrable Securities (defined below) shall be entitled to piggyback registration rights, subject to customary pro rata cut-back provisions for underwritten offerings.
	Registrable Securities. All shares of New Class A Stock and New Class B Stock held from time to time by members of the Committee or the Allen Entities. Such shares shall cease to be Registrable Securities upon sale to the public pursuant to a registration statement or Rule 144, or

	when such shares may be transferred without restriction pursuant to Rule 144 or are otherwise freely saleable under securities laws.
ALLEN ENTITIES SETTLEMENT:	The Plan shall incorporate a compromise and settlement under Rule 9019 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure by and between the Debtors (other than CII) and the Allen Entities that fully resolves any and all legal, contractual and equitable rights, claims and remedies between such parties in exchange for the consideration to be given to such parties as described in this Term Sheet and the attachments hereto. For the avoidance of doubt, Intercompany Claims, CCH I Claims and CIH Claims held by the Allen Entities shall be treated identical to similar Claims held by persons other than the Allen Entities, but not rights in the CC VIII Preferred Units, which shall be treated as described above, and except as specifically provided otherwise herein.
TREATMENT OF EXECUTORY CONTRACTS:	Each Executory Contract, including the Management Agreement and the Mutual Services Agreement, shall be deemed assumed as of the Effective Date, unless otherwise mutually agreed to by the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities.
TREATMENT OF SUBORDINATION AGREEMENTS:	Except as expressly provided otherwise, the Plan shall give effect to any subordination rights as required by section 510(a) of the Bankruptcy Code.
CONDITIONS TO EFFECTIVE DATE:	The Plan shall contain the following conditions to the Effective Date:
	(a) the Plan shall be in form and substance consistent in all material respects with this Term Sheet;
	(b) the Bankruptcy Court shall enter the Confirmation Order, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities, and such order shall not have been stayed or modified or vacated on appeal;
	(c) all governmental and material third party approvals and consents, including bankruptcy court approval, necessary in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Term Sheet shall have been obtained and be in full force and effect, and all applicable waiting periods shall have expired without any action being taken or threatened by any competent authority that would restrain, prevent or otherwise impose materially adverse conditions on such transactions; and
	(d) all consents, approvals and waivers necessary in connection with the transactions contemplated by this Term Sheet with respect to Franchises (as defined in the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C Sections 151 et seq.) or similar authorizations for the provision of cable television service in areas serving no less than 80% of CCI's individual basic subscribers in the aggregate at such time shall have been obtained, unless the condition set forth in this clause (d) shall have been

waived by the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities.

The certificate of incorporation of the Reorganized Company shall provide that the Reorganized Company's board of directors (the " <u>Board of Directors</u> ") shall consist of 11 members unless otherwise determined by the Board of Directors, and that each holder of 10% or more of the voting power of the New Common Stock on the Effective Date shall have the right to nominate one member of the Board of Directors. So long as the Allen Entities hold New Class B Stock, the Allen Entities shall have the right to nominate 35% of the members of the Board of Directors, except to the ext whole number) with such members having no less than proportionate representation on each committee of the Board of Directors except to the extent such proportionate representation is expressly prohibited by applicable stock exchange rules. All other members of the Board of Directors shall be elected by holders of the majority of shares of New Class A Stock then outstanding.
Subject to the Reorganized Company's by-laws relating to the filling of vacancies, if any, on the Board of Directors, the members of the Board of Directors as constituted on the Effective Date will continue to serve at least until the first annual meeting of stockholders after the Effective Date, which meeting shall not take place until at least 12 months after the Effective Date.
The Chief Executive Officer (the " <u>CEO</u> ") and the Chief Operating Officer (the " <u>COO</u> ") of the Reorganized Debtors shall be the same as the CEO and COO of the Debtors on the date hereof. The CEO and COO shall receive (i) cash and bonus compensation and severance on substantially the same terms as (but not less economically favorable than) those contained in their respective employment agreements in effect on the date hereof, (ii) with respect to the CEO, long-term incentive compensation having substantially the same value as the long-term incentive compensation contained in his employment agreement in effect on the date hereof and (iii) with respect to the CEO, a waiver with respect to the retention bonus clawback provision contained in his employment agreement in effect on the date hereof.
Other Key Executives of the Reorganized Debtors shall be determined by the Board of Directors in consultation with the CEO. The Reorganized Debtors shall provide such key executives with cash and bonus compensation and severance consistent with (but not less economically favorable than) such key executives' respective employment agreements in effect on the date hereof.
The Plan shall provide for a management incentive plan, which shall include, among other things, an allocation of equity-based awards representing no less than 3% of the fully diluted New Common Stock outstanding on the Effective Date, after giving effect to the Rights

	Offering and the issuance of warrants provided for by the Plan, 50% of which shall be distributed as determined by the Board of Directors no later than one month after Effective Date.
POST-EFFECTIVE DATE GOVERNANCE:	The Plan shall provide that (a) the Reorganized Debtors shall enter into such agreements and amend their corporate governance documents to the extent necessary to implement the terms and conditions of the Plan; and (b) on and as of the Effective Date, the Rights Agreement between CCI and Mellon Investor Services LLC, dated as of August 14, 2007, as amended thereafter, shall be terminated.
POST-EFFECTIVE DATE STANDSTILL:	The certificate of incorporation of the Reorganized Company shall, for a period commencing on the Effective Date and continuing until the Lock-Up Date unless approved by the Board of Directors, prohibit any person or group (other than the Allen Entities and their affiliates) from acquiring any New Common Stock if and to the extent that such New Common Stock, together with any other shares of New Common Stock held by such person or group, would result in such person or group violating the Equity Threshold.
RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS:	The certificate of incorporation of the Reorganized Company shall include provisions with respect to any business combination with or into any related party, requiring that the consideration received by the other stockholders in connection with such business combination is at fair value as determined by the unrelated members of the Board of Directors and approved by the vote of a majority of disinterested stockholders.
FEES AND EXPENSES:	The Debtors (other than CII) shall pay the reasonable, documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses of Paul, Weiss, Rifkind, Wharton & Garrison LLP, Houlihan Lokey Howard & Zukin Capital, Inc. and UBS Securities LLC, the legal and financial advisors engaged by the Committee.
	The Debtors (other than CII) shall pay (i) the reasonable, documented out-of-pocket fees and expenses incurred by the members of the Committee in connection with the negotiation of the proposed restructuring, their due diligence review and the approval and consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Term Sheet, and (ii) up to \$20 million to the Allen Entities for their fees and expenses in connection with the proposed restructuring (this clause (ii), the " <u>Allen Fee Reimbursement</u> "). The Debtors (other than CII) shall pay the Commitment Fees as described above.
	The Debtors (other than CII) shall pay the reasonable fees and expenses of indenture trustees in accordance with the terms of their respective indentures.

On the Effective Date and effective as of the Effective Date, for the good and valuable consideration provided by each of the Debtor Releasees (as defined below), including: (a) the discharge of debt and all other good and valuable consideration paid pursuant to the Plan; (b) the obligations of the holders of Claims party to plan support agreements to provide the support necessary for Consummation of the Plan; and (c) the services of the Debtors' present and former officers and directors in facilitating the expeditious implementation of the restructuring contemplated by the Plan, each of the Debtors shall provide a full discharge and release to each Releasing Party and each of their respective members, officers, directors, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, employees, partners, affiliates and representatives (collectively, the "Debtor Releasees" (and each such Debtor Releasee so released shall be deemed released and discharged by the Debtors)) and their respective properties from any and all Causes of Action, whether known or unknown, whether for tort, fraud, contract, violations of federal or state securities laws, or otherwise, arising from or related in any way to the Debtors, including those that any of the Debtors or Reorganized Debtors would have been legally entitled to assert on behalf of any of the Debtors or any of their Estates, including those in any way related to the Chapter 11 Cases or the Plan to the fullest extent of the law; <u>provided, further</u>, that the foregoing "Debtor Release" shall not operate to waive or release any person or entity other than a Releasing Party from any causes of action expressly set forth in and preserved by the Plan. Notwithstanding anything in the Plan to the contrary, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors will not release any Causes of Action that they may have now or in the future against the Non-Released Parties.

THIRD PARTY RELEASES:

On the Effective Date and effective as of the Effective Date, the holders of Claims and Interests shall be deemed to provide a full discharge and release to the Debtor Releases and their respective property from any and all Causes of Action, whether known or unknown, whether for tort, fraud, contract, violations of federal or state securities laws, or otherwise, arising from or related in any way to the Debtors, including those in any way related to the Chapter 11 Cases or the Plan; <u>provided</u>, <u>further</u>, that the foregoing "Third Party Release" shall not operate to waive or release any person or entity (other than a Debtor Releasee) from any Causes of Action that they, the Debtors or the Reorganized Debtors may have now or in the future against the Non-Released Parties. Entry of the Confirmation Order shall constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval, pursuant to Bankruptcy Rule 9019, of the Third Party Release, which includes by reference each of the related provisions and definitions contained in this Term Sheet, and further, shall constitute its

	finding that the Third Party Release is: (a) in exchange for the good and valuable consideration provided by the Debtor Releasees, a good faith settlement and compromise of the claims released by the Third Party Release; (b) in the best interests of the Debtors and all holders of Claims; (c) fair, equitable and reasonable; (d) given and made after due notice and opportunity for hearing; and (e) a bar to any of the Releasing Parties asserting any claim released by the Third Party Release against any of the Debtor Releasees.
	Notwithstanding anything to the contrary herein, the Debtors shall use commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain approval by the Bankruptcy Court of the "Third Party Releases"; provided, that, failure to obtain such "Third Party Releases" shall not constitute a breach under the Restructuring Agreement.
INJUNCTION:	From and after the Effective Date, all entities are permanently enjoined from commencing or continuing in any manner, any Cause of Action released or to be released pursuant to the Plan or the Confirmation Order.
EXCULPATION:	The Exculpated Parties shall neither have, nor incur any liability to any entity for any pre-petition or post-petition act taken or omitted to be taken in connection with, or related to formulating, negotiating, preparing, disseminating, implementing, administering, confirming or effecting the Consummation of the Plan, the Disclosure Statement or any contract, instrument, release or other agreement or document created or entered into in connection with the Plan or any other pre-petition act taken or omitted to be taken in connection with or in contemplation of the restructuring of the Company; provided, that the foregoing provisions of this exculpation shall have no effect on the liability of any entity that results from any such act or omission that is determined in a final order to have constituted gross negligence or willful misconduct; provided, further, that each Exculpated Party shall be entitled to rely upon the advice of counsel concerning his, her or its duties pursuant to, or in connection with, the Plan; provided still further, that the foregoing "Exculpation" shall not apply to any acts or omissions expressly set forth in and preserved by the Plan, the Plan Supplement or related documents, except for acts or omissions of Releasing Parties.
INDEMNIFICATION OF PRE-PETITION OFFICERS AN DIRECTORS:	D Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, all indemnification provisions currently in place (whether in the by-laws, certificates of incorporation, limited liability company agreements, articles of limited partnership, board resolutions, contracts or otherwise) for the directors, officers, employees, attorneys, other professionals and agents of the Debtors as of the Petition Date and such directors' and officers' respective affiliates shall be reinstated (or assumed, as the case may be), and shall survive effectiveness of the Plan.

DIRECTOR AND OFFICER LIABILITY POLICY:	The Debtors will obtain prior to the Petition Date reasonably sufficient tail coverage under a directors and officers' liability insurance policy for the current and former directors and officers for a reasonable period following the Effective Date so long as the annual premium therefor is not in excess of 175% of the last annual premium paid prior to the date hereof. As of the Effective Date, the Debtors shall assume all of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies pursuant to section 365(a) of the Bankruptcy Code. Entry of the Confirmation Order will constitute the Bankruptcy Court's approval of the Debtors' foregoing assumption of each of D&O Liability Insurance Policies. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Plan, Confirmation of the Plan shall not discharge, impair or otherwise modify any indemnity obligations assumed by the foregoing assumption of the D&O Liability Insurance Policies, and each such indemnity obligation will be deemed and treated as an Executory Contract that has been assumed by the Debtors under the Plan as to which no proof of Claim need be filed; provided, that the D&O Liability Insurance Policies will not cover any of the Non-Released Parties for any matter.
DISCHARGE OF DEBTORS:	Except as otherwise provided in the Plan, on the Effective Date and effective as of the Effective Date: (a) the rights afforded in the Plan and the treatment of all Claims and Interests shall be in exchange for and in complete satisfaction, discharge and release of all Claims and Interests of any nature whatsoever, including any interest accrued on such Claims from and after the Petition Date, against the Debtors, or any of their assets, property or Estates; (b) the Plan shall bind all holders of Claims and Interests, notwithstanding whether any such holders failed to vote to accept or reject the Plan or voted to reject the Plan; (c) all Claims against and Interests in the Debtors' liability with respect thereto shall be extinguished completely, including any liability of the kind specified under section 502(g) of the Bankruptcy Code; and (d) all entities shall be precluded from asserting against the Debtors, instruments or any act or omission, transaction or other activity of any kind or nature that occurred prior to the Effective Date.
ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS REGARDING ALLEN ENTITIES SETTLEMENT:	Joint Filing/Joint Administration: CCI, Holdco, CCO, CII and the other Debtors shall concurrently and jointly file petitions for relief with the Bankruptcy Court to commence the Chapter 11 Cases.
	Each of the Debtors shall file an identical motion in their respective Chapter 11 Cases (including but not limited to any such supporting declarations, exhibits or other documentation) and proposed form of order, seeking joint administration of their bankruptcy cases pursuant to Federal Rule of Bankruptcy Procedure 1015 and any applicable local rule or administrative or procedural order (the "Joint Administration Motion"). The Debtors shall fully prosecute the Joint Administration

Motion and shall not compromise, settle, withdraw or otherwise dispose of the Joint Administration Motion, other than by nonconsensual order of the Bankruptcy Court, without the prior written consent of the Allen Entities and the Requisite Holders.

Except as otherwise set forth herein, CCI and all of its direct and indirect subsidiaries shall consult and cooperate in good faith with the Allen Entities to the extent practicable with respect to the preparation and filing of motions (including first-day motions) for the Chapter 11 Cases, which motions shall not be substantially inconsistent with the terms hereof.

Confirmation: The Debtors shall not seek to schedule, and shall use all commercially reasonable efforts to avoid scheduling, the hearing to confirm the Plan during the month of December.

Independent Appraisal: Within 30 days of the Effective Date, at the Allen Entities' request, CCI, Holdco and CCO shall obtain an independent appraisal of the fair market value of Holdco's and CCO's tangible and intangible assets as of the Effective Date that will include a reasonable allocation of value on an asset-by-asset basis, including any and all below market financing arrangements as may be appropriate. The appraisal firm and procedures shall be reasonable acceptable to the Allen Entities and the Debtors, but shall at all times be retained by and act under the direction of CCI, Holdco and CCO. CCI, Holdco and CCO agree to consult with the Allen Entities regarding the directions provided to the appraisal firm.

Retention of Stub Equity: Preservation of Exchange Right: Liquidation of CII: CII's equity interests in Holdco to the extent of a 1% direct equity interest in reorganized Holdco shall not be cancelled, released or extinguished, and CII shall retain such interest in reorganized Holdco under the Plan as part of the Allen Entities Settlement. CCI shall receive all remaining equity interests in reorganized Holdco. CCI's pre-filing equity interests in Holdco shall not be cancelled, released or extinguished and the Reorganized Company shall retain such pre-filing equity interests under the Plan.

After the Effective Date, the Allen Entities shall have the right to exchange all or a portion of its Holdco equity for an equivalent amount of New Class A Stock (*i.e.*, 1% of the equity value of the Reorganized Company after giving effect to the Rights Offering, but prior to giving effect to the issuance of warrants and equity-based awards provided for by the Plan) in a taxable transaction in the calendar year that includes the Effective Date. The Parties agree to use reasonable best efforts to ensure that Plan confirmation and the Effective Date occur in the same calendar year. To the extent the Allen Entities do not exchange all of their Holdco equity in such transaction in the year of the Effective Date, the Allen Entities hall have the right, in the future, to exchange such remaining Holdco equity (or CII stock) in a taxable or tax-free transaction, at the Allen Entities' election, such exchange right to be on

terms and conditions reasonably acceptable to the Allen Entities and the Reorganized Company.

If any such post-restructuring exchange is consummated, the Allen Entities shall have the right to require CCI, Holdco and CII to utilize a "closing of the books" or "pro rata" method with respect to Holdco income allocations for the taxable year in which the exchange occurs and, if applicable, CII's income allocations for such taxable year. However, all COD income shall be allocated on a closing of the books method.

There shall be no restrictions on the Allen Entities' ability to liquidate or sell CII following consummation of the Plan; provided, that CII shall have transferred all shares of New Class B Stock and interests in reorganized Holdco to one or more Allen Entities prior or pursuant to such liquidation or sale.

Post-Confirmation Restrictions: The Plan shall provide that, for a period of at least 6 months following the Effective Date, the Reorganized Company, Holdco, CCO and its direct or indirect subsidiaries shall not negotiate, enter into agreements, understandings or arrangements or consummate transactions in excess of \$500 million in total value to the extent that such transactions shall occur at a price in excess of 110% of the value implied by the Plan or appraised values. Any transactions occurring at a price that implies a value of 110% or lower of the Plan value and appraised values shall not be subject to restriction and shall not be taken into account in determining whether the \$500 million limitation has been exceeded.

Post-Effective Date Lock-Up Agreement Additional Consideration: Other Matters

Until the repayment, replacement, refinancing or substantial modification of the CCO Credit Facility, the Allen Entities shall not transfer or sell shares of New Class B Stock received by the Allen Entities under the Plan or convert shares of New Class B Stock received by the Allen Entities under the Plan into New Class A Stock if, immediately after such transfer, sale or conversion, the Allen Entities would cease to own at least 35% of the combined voting power of New Common Stock. The foregoing provisions will be set forth in a Lock-Up Agreement acceptable to CCI, Allen and the Requisite Holders, which will automatically terminate upon a change of control (to be defined) of the Reorganized Company.

As part of the Allen Entities Settlement, on the initial distribution date under the Plan, the Allen Entities shall receive (1) shares of New Class B Stock representing, as of the Effective Date, 2% of the equity value of the Reorganized Company, after giving effect to the Rights Offering, but prior to the issuance of warrants and equity-based awards provided for by the Plan, and 35% of the combined voting power of the New Common Stock, (2) warrants to purchase shares of New Class A Stock in an aggregate amount equal to 4% of the equity value of the

Reorganized Company, after giving effect to the Rights Offering, but prior to the issuance of warrants and equity-based awards provided for by the Plan, (3) the New CCH II \$85M Note, (4) payment of \$25 million for amounts owing to CII under the Management Agreement, which shall constitute payment in full thereunder (the "<u>Allen</u> <u>Management Receivable</u>"), (5) \$150 million in cash for the CC VIII Preferred Units held by CII described above and (6) the 1% interest in reorganized Holdco described above. The Allen Management Receivable shall be paid out of cash in excess of \$600 million (which amount will be reduced by any cash payment of interest on CCH II Notes exchanged pursuant to the Exchange). After the Allen Management Receivable is paid in full, the Commitment Fees and the Allen Fee Reimbursement shall be paid on a pari passu basis.

The warrants described above shall have an exercise price per share based on a total equity value equal to the sum of the Plan Value plus the gross proceeds of the Rights Offering, and shall expire seven years after the date of issuance.

For 36 months following the Effective Date, the warrants issued to the Allen Entities as part of the Allen Entities Settlement shall be subject to adjustment for stock dividends, splits or combinations (but not with respect to below market issuances; <u>provided</u>, that the Allen Entities shall have a preemptive right with respect to future below market rights offerings to the extent necessary to maintain the percent equity interest represented by the warrants immediately prior to any such rights offering). The warrants shall in no event contain other terms and provisions less favorable to the Allen Entities than the terms and provisions of any other warrants or similar rights to be issued under the Plan.

ANNEX A

DEFINED TERMS

"Administrative Expense Claim" means a Claim for costs and expenses of administration of the Estates under sections 503(b), 507(b) or 1114(e)(2) of the Bankruptcy Code, including: (a) the actual and necessary costs and expenses incurred after the Petition Date of preserving the Estates and operating the businesses of the Debtors; (b) Allowed Claims of retained professionals in the Chapter 11 Cases; and (c) all fees and charges assessed against the Estates under chapter 123 of title 28 of the United States Code, 28 U.S.C. §§ 1911-1930.

"Affiliate" is as defined in section 101(2) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Allowed" means with respect to any Claim, except as otherwise provided herein: (a) a Claim that is scheduled by the Debtors in their Schedules as neither disputed, contingent nor unliquidated, and as to which the Debtors or other party in interest have not filed an objection by the Claims Objection Bar Date; (b) a Claim that either is not a Disputed Claim or has been Allowed by a Final Order; (c) a Claim that is Allowed (i) pursuant to the Plan, (ii) in any stipulation that is approved by the Bankruptcy Court or (iii) pursuant to any contract, instrument, indenture or other agreement entered into or assumed in connection herewith; (d) a Claim relating to a rejected Executory Contract or Unexpired Lease that either (i) is not a Disputed Claim or (ii) has been Allowed by a Final Order; (e) a Claim that is Allowed pursuant to the terms of the Plan; or (f) a Disputed Claim as to which a proof of Claim has been timely filed and as to which no objection has been filed by the Claims Objection Bar Date.

"Bankruptcy Court" means the United States Bankruptcy Court.

"Causes of Action" means all actions, causes of action, Claims, liabilities, obligations, rights, suits, debts, damages, judgments, remedies, demands, setoffs, defenses, recoupments, crossclaims, counterclaims, third party claims, indemnity claims, contribution claims or any other claims disputed or undisputed, suspected or unsuspected, foreseen or unforeseen, direct or indirect, choate or inchoate, existing or hereafter arising, in law, equity or otherwise, based in whole or in part upon any act or omission or other event occurring prior to the Petition Date or during the course of the Chapter 11 Cases, including through the Effective Date.

"CC VIII Preferred" means the Class A preferred units of CC VIII, LLC.

"CCH" means Charter Communications Holdings, LLC.

"CCH Notes" means:

- (a) the 9.625% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due November 15, 2009 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of May 15, 2001, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp, as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee;
- (b) the 9.92% Senior Discount Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, Marcus Cable Holdings, LLC, as guarantor, and Harris Trust and Savings Bank, as trustee;

- (c) the 10.00% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due April 1, 2009 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 12, 2000, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and Harris Trust and Savings Bank, as trustee;
- (d) the 10.00% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due May 15, 2011 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of May 15, 2001, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee;
- (e) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due January 15, 2010 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 12, 2000, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and Harris Trust and Savings Bank, as trustee;
- (f) the 10.75% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due October 1, 2009 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 10, 2001, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee;
- (g) the 11.125% Senior Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due January 15, 2011 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 10, 2001, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee;
- (h) the 11.75% Senior Discount Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due January 15, 2010 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 12, 2000, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp, as issuers, and Harris Trust and Savings Bank, as trustee;
- (i) the 11.75% Senior Discount Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp. as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee;
- (j) the 12.125% Senior Discount Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp due January 15, 2012 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 14, 2002, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp, as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee; and
- (k) the 13.50% Senior Discount Notes of CCH and Holdings Capital Corp. due January 15, 2011 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of January 10, 2001, among CCH and Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and BNY Midwest Trust Company, as trustee.

"CCH I Notes" means the 11.00% Senior Secured Notes of CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp. due 2015 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of September 28, 2005, among CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp., as issuers, CCH, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee.

"CCH II Notes" means:

- (a) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., due 2010 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of September 23, 2003, among CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee;
- (b) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp. due 2010 issued pursuant to the First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of January 30, 2006, among CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee;



- (c) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp. due 2010 issued pursuant to the Second Supplemental Indenture, dated as of September 14, 2006, among CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee;
- (d) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp. due 2013 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of September 14, 2006, among CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, CCH, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee; and
- (e) the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issued pursuant to the First Supplemental Indenture, dated as of July 2, 2008, among CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, CCH, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee.

"CCHC" means CCHC, LLC.

"CCHC Note" means the 14% Subordinated Accreting Note, dated as of October 31, 2005, issued by CCHC in favor of CII.

"CCI Notes" means

(a) the 5.875% Convertible Senior Notes of CCI due 2009 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of November 22, 2004, among CCI and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee; and

(b) the 6.50% Convertible Senior Notes of CCI due 2027 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of October 2, 2007, among CCI and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee.

"CCO" means Charter Communications Operating, LLC.

"CCO Credit Facility" means the Amended and Restated Credit Agreement, dated as of March 18, 1999, as amended and restated on March 6, 2007, among CCO, CCO Holdings, LLC, the several banks and other financial institutions or entities from time to time parties thereto, J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A., as administrative agent, J.P. Morgan Chase Bank, N.A. and Bank of America, N.A., as syndication agents, Citicorp North America, Inc., Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., General Electric Capital Corporation and Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, as revolving facility co-documentation agents, and Citicorp North America, Inc., Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, General Electric Capital Corporation and Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., as term facility co-documentation agents.

"CCO Notes" means:

- (a) the 8% Senior Second Lien Notes of CCO and CCOC due April 30, 2012 and the 8 3/8% Senior Second Lien Notes of CCO and CCOC due April 30, 2014 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of April 27, 2004, among CCO and CCOC, as issuers, each of the guarantors from time to time party thereto, as guarantors, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee; and
- (b) the 10.875% Senior Second Lien Notes of CCO and CCOC due September 15, 2014 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of March 19, 2008, among CCO and CCOC, as issuers, each of the guarantors from time to time party thereto, as guarantors, and Wilmington Trust Company, as trustee.

"CCO Swap Agreements" means interest rate swaps entered into under ISDA Master Agreements with counterparties who were at the time of the relevant transaction lenders or affiliates of under the CCO Credit Facility and which constitute Specified Hedge Agreements under the CCO Credit Facility that share in the collateral pledged to the CCO Credit Facility lenders.

"CCOC" means Charter Communications Operating Capital Corp.

"CCOH Credit Facility." means the Credit Agreement, dated as of March 6, 2007, among CCO Holdings, LLC, the several banks and other financial institutions or entities from time to time parties thereto, Bank of America, N.A., as administrative agent, Banc of America Securities LLC and J.P. Morgan Securities Inc., as co-syndication agents, and Citigroup Global Markets Inc., Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC and Deutsche Bank Securities Inc., as co-documentation agents.

"CCOH Notes" means the 8.75% Senior Notes of CCO Holdings, LLC and CCO Holdings Capital Corp. due November 15, 2013 issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of November 10, 2003, among CCO Holdings, LLC and CCO Holdings Capital Corp., as issuers, and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A., as trustee.

"Chapter 11 Cases" mean (a) when used with reference to a particular Debtor, the chapter 11 case to be filed for that Debtor under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the Bankruptcy Court and (b) when used with reference to all Debtors, the procedurally consolidated chapter 11 cases for all of the Debtors.

"CIH" means CCH I Holdings, LLC.

"CIH Capital" means CCH I Holdings Capital Corporation.

"CIH Notes" means the following notes issued pursuant to the Indenture, dated as of September 28, 2005, among CIH and CIH Capital, as issuers, CCH, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee:

(a) 9.920% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due April 1, 2014;

(b) 10.00% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due May 15, 2014;

(c) 11.125% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due January 15, 2014;

- (d) 11.75% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due May 15, 2014;
- (e) 12.125% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due January 15, 2015; and
- (f) 13.50% Senior Accreting Notes of CIH and CIH Capital due January 15, 2014.

"Claim" means any claim against a Debtor as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Claims Objection Bar Date" means, for each Claim, the later of (a) 180 days after the Effective Date and (b) such other period of limitation as may be specifically fixed by an order of the Bankruptcy Court for objecting to such Claims.

"Confirmation" means the entry of the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Chapter 11 Cases, subject to all conditions specified having been satisfied or waived.

"Confirmation Date" means the date upon which the Bankruptcy Court enters the Confirmation Order on the docket of the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Confirmation Order" means the order of the Bankruptcy Court confirming the Plan pursuant to, among others, section 1129 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"<u>Consummation</u>" means the occurrence of the Effective Date.

"Creditor" means any holder of a Claim.

"D&O Liability Insurance Policies" mean all insurance policies for directors and officers' liability maintained by the Debtors as of the Petition Date.

"Debtor" means one of the Debtors, in its individual capacity as a debtor and debtor in possession in the Chapter 11 Cases.

"Disclosure Statement" means the disclosure statement for the Plan, as amended, supplemented or modified from time to time, that is prepared and distributed in accordance with sections 1125, 1126(b) and 1145 of the Bankruptcy Code, Bankruptcy Rule 3018 and other applicable law.

"Disputed Claim" means, with respect to any Claim, any Claim that is not yet Allowed pursuant to this Term Sheet.

"Effective Date" means the date that all conditions to the effectiveness of the Plan have been satisfied or waived.

"Equity Threshold" means, at all times, (i) the Allen Entities shall have the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or direct the voting of Interests having at least 35% (determined on a fully diluted basis) of the ordinary voting power for the management of CCO, (ii) there shall be no consummation of any transaction (including, without limitation, any merger or consolidation) the result of which is that any "person" or "group" (as such terms are used in Section 13(d) and 14(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended), other than the Allen Entities has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or direct the voting of Interests having a greater percentage (determined on a fully diluted basis) of the ordinary voting power for the management of CCO, unless the Allen Entities has the power, directly or indirectly, to vote or direct the voting of Interests having a greater percentage (determined on a fully diluted basis) of the ordinary voting power for the management of the CCO than such "person" or "group" and (iii) there shall be no consummation of any transaction (including, any merger or consolidation) the result of which is that any "Section 13 Person" other than Mr. Allen or a "Related Party" becomes the "Beneficial Owner," directly or indirectly, to fissuer or a "Parent," measured by voting power rather than number of shares, unless Mr. Allen or a "Related Party" "Beneficial Owner," directly or group of the count system or a "Barent," measured by voting power rather than number of shares, than such "Section 13 Person" (as such terms are defined in the indentures governing the CCO Nices and CCOM Indenture and the CCOM Credit Facility).

"Estate" means, as to each Debtor, the estate created for the Debtor in its Chapter 11 case pursuant to section 541 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Exchange Agreement" means the exchange agreement, dated as of November 12, 1999, by and among CCI, CII and Vulcan Cable III Inc, as amended.

"Executory Contract" means a contract or lease to which one or more of the Debtors is a party that is subject to assumption or rejection under sections 365 or 1123 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Exculpated Parties" means the Debtors and each party who signs a plan support agreement, and each of their respective members, officers, directors, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, employees, partners, Affiliates and representatives.

"Fees" means the reasonable fees, costs or charges provided for under the applicable agreement.

"Final Order" means an order or judgment of the Bankruptcy Court, or other court of competent jurisdiction with respect to the subject matter, as entered on the docket in any Chapter 11 Case or the docket of any court of competent jurisdiction, that has not been reversed, stayed, modified or amended, and as to which the time to appeal, or seek certiorari or move for a new trial, reargument or rehearing has expired and no appeal or petition for certiorari or other proceedings for a new trial, reargument or rehearing been timely taken, or as to which hay appeal that has been taken or any petition for certiorari the been timely filed has been withdrawn or resolved by the highest court to which the order or judgment was appealed or from which certiorari as sought or the new trial, reargument or rehearing shall have been denied, resulted in no modification of such order or has otherwise been dismissed with prejudice.

"General Unsecured Claims" mean any and all Claims against any of the Debtors that are not a/an (a) Administrative Expense Claim; (b) Priority Tax Claim; (c) Other Priority Claim; (d) CCO Credit Facility Claim; (e) CCO Swap Agreement Claim; (f) CCO Note Claim; (e) CCOH Credit Facility Claim; (f) CCOH Note Claim; (g) Other Secured Claim; (h) CCH II Note Claim; (i) CCH I Note Claim; (j) CIH Note Claim; (k) CCH Note Claim; (l) CCH Note Claim; (m) Holdco Claim; (n) CCI Claim; and (o) Intercompany Claim.

"Holdco" means Charter Communications Holding Company, LLC.

"Holdco Notes" means:

(a) the 5.875% Mirror Convertible Senior Note of Holdco due November 16, 2009 issued pursuant to the Holdco Mirror Notes Agreement, dated as of November 22, 2004, among CCI and Holdco; and

(b) the 6.50% Mirror Convertible Senior Note of Holdco due October 1, 2027 issued pursuant to the Holdco Mirror Notes Agreement, dated as of October 2, 2007, among CCI and Holdco.

"Holdings Capital Corp" means Charter Communications Holdings Capital Corporation.

"Impaired" means Claims in an Impaired Class.

"Impaired Class" means an Impaired Class within the meaning of section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Intercompany Claims" mean any and all Claims of a Debtor against another Debtor.

"Interest" means any: (a) equity security in a Debtor, including all issued, authorized, or outstanding shares of stock together with any warrants, equity-based awards, or contractual rights to purchase or acquire such equity securities at any time and all rights arising with respect thereto or (b) partnership, limited liability company, or similar interest in a Debtor.

"Key Executives" means the Chief Financial Officer, Chief Marketing Officer, Chief Technical Officer, General Counsel & Secretary, Chief Accounting Officer, Treasurer, SVP – IT, SVP – Business

Development, SVP - Customer Operations, SVP - Media, President - West Division and President - East Division.

"Management Agreement" means the Amended and Restated Management Agreement, dated as of June 19, 2003, between CCO and CCI.

"Mutual Services Agreement," means the Second Amended and Restated Mutual Services Agreement, dated as of June 19, 2003, between CCI and Holdco.

"Non-Released Parties" means those entities (other than Releasing Parties) identified in the Plan Supplement as Non-Released Parties.

"Other Priority Claims" mean any and all Claims accorded priority in right of payment under section 507(a) of the Bankruptcy Code, other than a Priority Tax Claim.

"Other Secured Claims" mean any secured Claim, other than CCO Credit Facility Claims, CCO Swap Agreement Claims and CCOH Credit Facility Claims.

"Petition Date" means the date on which the Debtors file their voluntary petitions commencing cases in the Bankruptcy Court under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Plan Supplement" means the compilation of documents and forms of documents, schedules and exhibits to be filed prior to the hearing at which the Bankruptcy Court considers whether to confirm the Plan, as amended, supplemented or modified from time to time in accordance with the terms hereof and the Bankruptcy Code and the Bankruptcy Rules.

"Plan Value" means \$665 million.

"Post-Petition Interest" means with respect to:

- (a) the CCO Credit Facility, accrued and unpaid interest pursuant to the CCO Credit Facility from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the non-default or default rate, as mutually agreed to by Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities;
- (b) the CCO Notes, accrued and unpaid interest pursuant to the applicable indenture from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the non-default rate unless (1) otherwise mutually agreed to by the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities or (2) the Bankruptcy Court orders otherwise;
- (c) the CCOH Credit Facility, accrued and unpaid interest pursuant to the CCOH Credit Facility from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the non-default rate unless (1) otherwise mutually agreed to by the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities or (2) the Bankruptcy Court orders otherwise;
- (d) the CCOH Notes, accrued and unpaid interest pursuant to the applicable indenture from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the non-default rate unless (1) otherwise mutually agreed to by the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities or (2) the Bankruptcy Court orders otherwise;

(e) Other Secured Claims, interest accruing on such Claims from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the rate set forth in the contracts or other applicable documents giving rise to

such Claims (to the extent lawful) or, if the applicable instruments do not specify a rate of interest, at the federal judgment rate as provided for in 28 U.S.C. § 1961 as in effect on the Petition Date; and

(f) the CCH II Notes, accrued and unpaid interest pursuant to the applicable indenture from the Petition Date through the Effective Date at the non-default rate unless (1) otherwise mutually agreed to by the Debtors, the Requisite Holders and the Allen Entities or (2) the Bankruptcy Court orders otherwise.

For the avoidance of doubt, except as required under applicable non-bankruptcy law, Post-Petition Interest will not be paid on Allowed Administrative Expense Claims (including professional fee Claims).

"Priority Tax Claims" mean any and all Claims of a governmental unit of the kind specified in section 507(a)(8) of the Bankruptcy Code.

"Releasing Parties" means the Debtors and the parties who sign plan support agreements.

"Record Date" means a date prior to the date chosen by CCI on which the Rights Offering shall commence, which record date shall be reasonably satisfactory to the Debtors and the Requisite Holders.

"Reorganized Company" means CCI after the Effective Date.

"Reorganized Debtors" means, collectively, the Debtors after the Effective Date.

"Section 510(b) Claims" means any Claim arising from rescission of a purchase or sale of security (including any Interest) of the Debtors, for damages arising from the purchase or sale of such a security, or for reimbursement or contribution allowed under section 502 of the Bankruptcy Code on account of such a Claim, shall be subordinated to all Claims or Interests that are senior to or equal the Claim or Interest represented by such security, except that if such security is common stock, such Claim has the same priority as common stock.

"Unimpaired" means Claims in an Unimpaired Class.

"Unimpaired Class" means an unimpaired Class within the meaning of section 1124 of the Bankruptcy Code.

ANNEX B

TERMS OF NEW CCH II INDENTURE

Issuers	CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp.
Amount	\$1.477 billion (plus accrued but unpaid interest to the Petition Date plus Post-Petition Interest (in each case unless paid in cash) on exchanged CCH II Notes, but excluding any call premiums or any prepayment penalties) plus \$85 million for the New CCH II \$85M Note.
Maturity	Seven years
Interest	Interest will accrue from and including the settlement date and will be payable in cash semi-annually, in arrears, on February 15 and August 15 of each year, beginning on February 15, 2010.
Interest Rate	The per annum interest rate on the New CCH II Notes will be 13.5%.
Ranking	The New CCH II Notes will be the senior unsecured obligations of CCH II and will rank pari passu to all of CCH II's existing and future unsecured senior indebtedness.
Guarantee	CCI and/or any other parent company may, at the option of such parties, guarantee the New CCH II Notes.
Optional Redemption	CCH II may redeem, at its option, the New CCH II Notes in whole or in part from time to time beginning on the third anniversary of the issuance thereof at par plus 1/2 of coupon dropped down to 1/4 and 1/8 annually thereafter. Prior to then, CCH II can be redeemed via a make-whole (T+50) and equity clawback (up to 35%), excluding any equity issuance associated with the Financing Transactions.
Financial Reporting	The financial reporting shall be satisfied by the filings of CCI or another parent company, to the extent such filings do not reflect the financials or assets of other material operations.
Change of Control	Upon the occurrence of a Change of Control, each holder of the New CCH II Notes will have the right to require CCH II to repurchase all or any part of that holder's New CCH II Notes at a repurchase price equal to 101% of the aggregate principal amount of the New CCH II Notes repurchased plus accrued and unpaid interest thereon, if any, to the date of purchase. Change of Control shall be standard HY with a trigger at 50.1%. The Committee Members shall be "Related Persons" (<i>i.e.</i> , do not count towards 50.1%) (carve out for Paul Allen as well). Current clause (6) (maintaining holding company structure) will be removed.
Restrictive Covenants	The indenture shall contain the following covenants substantially similar to current CCH II 2013 (September 2006) indenture as follows with the leverage ratio indicated.
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Events of Default

Debt Incurrence

Restricted Payments

Securities Act

Restrictions on the ability of CCH II and CCH II's restricted subsidiaries to: (1) incur indebtedness; (2) create liens; (3) pay dividends or make distributions in respect of capital stock and other restricted payments; (4) make investments; (5) sell assets; (6) create restrictions on the ability of restricted subsidiaries to make certain payments; (7) enter into transactions with affiliates; or (8) consolidate, merge or sell all or substantially all assets. However, such covenants will be subject to a number of important qualifications and exceptions including, without limitation, provisions allowing CCH II and its restricted subsidiaries, as long as CCH II's leverage ratio is not greater than 5.75 to 1.0, to incur additional indebtedness and make investments.

The events of default will be substantially similar as those contained in the current CCH II notes.

For the avoidance of doubt, the indenture will confirm the fact that the credit facility debt was incurred as ratio debt.

RPs shall be reset at emergence and will build per 2006 indenture. COD income is excluded from any calculation of RPs and will start at \$500 million. Existing carve outs remain and carve out for preferred stock issued in the Financing Transactions dividends to be added.

The New CCH II Notes shall be issued under 4(2) for committee members (such holders will sell under Rule 144A or Rule 144) and 1145 for non-committee members. Customary registration rights for holders of 4(2) securities to be granted.

ANNEX C

ROLLOVER COMMITMENT PARTIES AND COMMITMENT AMOUNTS

(Previously provided)

ANNEX D

NEW DEBT COMMITMENT PARTIES AND COMMITMENT AMOUNTS

(Previously provided)

ANNEX E

EQUITY BACKSTOP PARTIES AND COMMITMENT AMOUNTS

(Previously provided)

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RESTRUCTURING AGREEMENT

This RESTRUCTURING AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into as of February 11, 2009 by and between the following parties:

(a) Paul G. Allen (the "<u>Undersigned Holder</u>");

- (b) Charter Investment, Inc. ("CII"); and
- (c) Charter Communications, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("CCI" or the "Company" and the Undersigned Holder, CII and the Company, each, a "Party", and collectively, the "Parties").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, the Company has determined that a restructuring of certain of its obligations is in the best interests of its stakeholders;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 11% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 28, 2005 (each, a "<u>Consenting 11% Old Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>11% Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 11% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 14, 2006 (each, a "<u>Consenting 11% New Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>11% Supplemental Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 10.25% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 14, 2006 (each, a "<u>Consenting 10.25% Old Senior Note Holder</u>"), by and between CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>10.25% Indenture</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, other holders of certain claims under that certain 10.25% Senior Notes Supplemental Indenture dated as of July 2, 2008 (each, a "<u>Consenting 10.25% New Senior Note Holder</u>" and together with the Undersigned Holder, the Consenting 11% Old Senior Note Holders, the Consenting 11% New Senior Note Holders and the Consenting 10.25% Old Senior Note Holders, the "<u>Consenting Holders</u>"), between CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp., as

issuers, Charter Communications Holdings, LLC, as parent guarantor, and The Bank of New York Mellon Trust Company, N.A., as trustee (the "<u>Supplemental 10.25% Indenture</u>" and together with the 11% Indenture, the 11% Supplemental Indenture and the 10.25% Indenture, the "<u>Indentures</u>"), each of whom are unaffiliated parties, are party to other restructuring agreements with the Company;

WHEREAS, each Consenting Holder is the holder of a claim, as defined in section 101(5) of the Bankruptcy Code, 11 U.S.C. §§ 101-1532 (the "Bankruptcy Code") arising out of, or related to the 11% Indenture and/or the 11% Supplemental Indenture (each, a "<u>11% Senior Note Claim</u>") and/or the 10.25% Indenture and/or the 10.25% Supplemental Indenture (each, a "<u>10.25% Senior Note Claim</u>" and together with the 11% Senior Note Claims, the "Charter Claims");

WHEREAS, the Parties now desire to implement a financial restructuring (the "<u>Restructuring</u>") of the Company and the Debtors (as defined in the Term Sheet (as defined below)) on the terms and conditions set forth in the term sheet (including all exhibits and financing commitments referenced therein, the "<u>Term Sheet</u>") attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 1</u>:1

WHEREAS, the Parties intend to implement the Restructuring through a confirmed joint plan of reorganization, consistent in all material respects with the terms and conditions set forth in this Agreement, the Term Sheet and the joint plan of reorganization contemplated thereby (as the same may be amended from time to time in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, the "<u>Plan</u>"), for the Debtors in voluntary cases (the "<u>Chapter 11 Cases</u>") to be commenced by the Debtors by jointly filing petitions (the "<u>Petitions</u>") under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code (the date of that event being the "<u>Petition Date</u>") in the United States Bankruptcy Court (the "<u>Bankruptcy Court</u>");

WHEREAS, the Parties have engaged in good faith negotiations with the objective of reaching an agreement with regard to restructuring the outstanding claims of, and interests in, the Company in accordance with the terms set forth in this Agreement and the Term Sheet;

WHEREAS, each Party has reviewed, or has had the opportunity to review, this Agreement and the Term Sheet with the assistance of professional legal advisors of its own choosing;

WHEREAS, each Consenting Holder desires to support and vote to accept the Plan and may enter into an agreement with the Company substantially similar in form and substance to this Agreement;

WHEREAS, the Company desires to obtain the commitment of the Consenting Holders to support and vote to accept the Plan, in each case subject to the terms and conditions set forth herein and in the other restructuring agreements to which the other Consenting Holders are party; and

Capitalized terms not otherwise defined herein shall have the meaning ascribed to them in the Term Sheet.

WHEREAS, subject to the execution of definitive documentation and appropriate approvals by the Bankruptcy Court of the Plan and the associated disclosure statement (as the same may be amended from time to time, the "Disclosure Statement"), each of which, including as amended, shall be consistent with the Term Sheet, the following sets forth the agreement between the Parties concerning their respective obligations.

AGREEMENT

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the promises and the mutual covenants and agreements set forth herein, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the Parties hereby agree as follows:

1. Term Sheet.

The Term Sheet is incorporated by reference herein and is made part of this Agreement as if fully set forth herein. The general terms and conditions of the Restructuring are set forth in the Term Sheet; *provided*. *however*, that the Term Sheet is supplemented by the terms and conditions of this Agreement. In the event of any inconsistencies between the terms of this Agreement and the Term Sheet, the Term Sheet shall govern.

2. Effectuating the Restructuring.

To implement the Term Sheet, the Parties have agreed, on the terms and conditions set forth herein, that the Company shall use its commercially reasonable best efforts to:

- (a) solicit the requisite acceptances of the Plan (i) in accordance with section 1125 of the Bankruptcy Code; and (ii) if solicited after the Chapter 11 Cases have commenced, the Bankruptcy Court has approved the Disclosure Statement;
- (b) move the Bankruptcy Court to confirm the Plan as expeditiously as practicable under the Bankruptcy Code, including under section 1129(b) thereof, the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and the Bankruptcy Court's local rules (the federal and local rules being the "Bankruptcy Rules"); and

(c) consummate the Plan;

provided, however, that the form and substance of the Plan (including any Plan Supplement filed in connection therewith) and the Disclosure Statement shall be consistent in all material respects with the Term Sheet.



3. <u>Commitments of the Undersigned Holder Under this Agreement and the Term Sheet.</u>

(a) Voting by Undersigned Holder.

As long as a Termination Event (as defined herein) has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the Undersigned Holder agrees for itself that, so long as it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claims and has been properly solicited pursuant to sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, it shall timely vote its Charter Claims (and not revoke or withdraw its vote) to accept the Plan, subject to the proviso in Section 2 hereof.

(b) Support of Plan.

As long as a Termination Event has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the Undersigned Holder, agrees for itself that, so long as it remains the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claims, subject to the proviso in Section 2 hereof, by having executed and become party to this Agreement, it will:

- i. from and after the date hereof not directly or indirectly seek, solicit, support or vote in favor of any other plan, sale, proposal or offer of dissolution, winding up, liquidation, reorganization, merger or restructuring of the Company that could reasonably be expected to prevent, delay or impede the Restructuring of the Company as contemplated by the Term Sheet, the Plan or any other document filed with the Bankruptcy Court in furtherance of confirming the Plan;
- ii. agree to permit disclosure in the Disclosure Statement and any filings by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission of the contents of this Agreement; *provided* that the amount of the Charter Claims held by the Undersigned Holder shall be disclosed only to the Company and shall not be disclosed by the Company to any other person or entity;
- iii. cooperate with the Company to secure consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to the transfer or change in control of Franchises (as defined in the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Sections 151 et seq.), licenses and permits; provided that the Company shall reimburse the Undersigned Holder for all reasonable out-of-pocket expenses incurred in connection with this Section 3(b)(iii); and

iv. forbear from exercising, directly or indirectly, any right to accelerate or commence any action to collect indebtedness outstanding under any indenture to which the Company and/or any of its subsidiaries (each, a "<u>Company Indenture</u>") is a party or to file or join in an involuntary petition for relief under the Bankruptcy Code against the Company based upon the failure to pay any such indebtedness.

As long as a Termination Event has not occurred, or has occurred but has been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof, the Company and the Undersigned Holder, so long as it is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager of or with power and/or authority to bind any Charter Claim, further agree that they shall not:

- i. object to or otherwise commence any proceeding opposing any of the terms of this Agreement, the Term Sheet, the Disclosure Statement or the Plan; or
- ii. take any action that is inconsistent with, or that would delay approval of the Disclosure Statement or Confirmation of the Plan.
- (c) Transfer of Claims, Interests and Securities.

The Undersigned Holder hereby agrees, for so long as this Agreement shall remain in effect (such period, the "<u>Restricted Period</u>"), not to sell, assign, transfer, hypothecate or otherwise dispose of, directly or indirectly (each such transfer, a "<u>Transfer</u>"), all or any of its Charter Claims (or any right related thereto and including any voting rights associated with such Charter Claims), *unless* the transfere thereof (a) agrees in an enforceable writing to assume and be bound by this Agreement and the Term Sheet, and to assume the rights and obligations of the Undersigned Holder under this Agreement and (b) promptly delivers such writing to the Company (each such transfere becoming, upon the Transfer, and Loresigned Holder hereunder). The Company shall promptly acknowledge any such Transfer in writing and provide a copy of that acknowledgement to the transferee By its acknowledged that its obligations to the Undersigned Holder hereunder shall be deemed to constitute obligations in favor of the relevant transfere as an Undersigned Holder hereunder. Any sale, transfer or assignment of any Relevant Claim (as defined below) that does not comply with the procedure set forth in the first sentence of this Subsection 3(c) shall be deemed void *ab initio*. To extent permitted by law, the Undersigned Holder shall be permitted to Transfer Class A Common Stock of the Company so long as an ownership change under section 382 of the Internal Revenue Code would not occur as a result of the Transfer. Houldersigned Holder of whether it will consent to or waive certain restrictions with respect to the proposed Transfer, which consent and/or waiver shall not be unreasonably withheld.

(d) Further Acquisition of Charter Claims.

This Agreement shall in no way be construed to preclude the Undersigned Holder or any of its respective subsidiaries from acquiring additional Charter Claims; *provided* that any such additional Charter Claims acquired by the Undersigned Holder or any subsidiary thereof shall automatically be deemed to be subject to the terms of this Agreement. Upon the request of the Company, the Undersigned Holder shall, in writing and within five (5) business days, provide an accurate and current list of all Charter Claims that it and any subsidiary holds at that time, subject to any applicable confidentiality restrictions and applicable law.

(e) Representation of the Undersigned Holder's holdings.

The Undersigned Holder represents that, as of the date hereof:

- i. CII is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or the investment advisor or manager for the legal or beneficial owner of such Charter Claims set forth on its respective signature page (collectively, the "Relevant Claims");
- ii. there are no Charter Claims of which CII is the legal owner, beneficial owner and/or investment advisor or manager for such legal or beneficial owner that are not part of CII's Relevant Claims unless CII does not possess the full power to vote and dispose of such claims; and

iii. CII has full power to vote, dispose of and compromise the aggregate principal amount of the Relevant Claims, subject to applicable securities laws.

(f) Representation of Capacity

The Undersigned Holder is executing this Agreement solely in his capacity as the beneficial owner of claims against the Debtors and of equity interests in the Debtors. No covenant, agreement or understanding made by the Undersigned Holder in this Agreement is made in his capacity as a chairperson or director of CCI or shall prevent or in any way limit the Undersigned Holder from taking any action or refraining from taking any action in his capacity as a chairperson or director of CCI or shall prevent or in any way limit the Undersigned Holder from taking any action or refraining from taking any action in his capacity as a chairperson or director of CCI.

4. The Company's Responsibilities.

Bondholder Support Agreements.

(a) The Company represents and warrants that it has entered into (or concurrently herewith is entering into) binding restructuring, plan support or lock-up agreements consistent in all material respects with the terms and provisions of this Agreement and the Plan ("Bondholder Support Agreements") with:

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- i. more than two thirds in amount of holders of claims arising out of, or related to, the 11% Senior Notes Indenture dated as of September 14, 2006 and the 11% Senior Notes of CCH I, LLC and CCH I Capital Corporation due 2015 other than the Undersigned Holder or CII (the "<u>CCH I Claims</u>", each holder of such a claim other than the Undersigned Holder or CII, and
- ii. more than two thirds in principal amount of holders of claims held by the Committee (as defined in the Term Sheet) arising out of or related to the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp. due 2010 and the 10.25% Senior Notes of CCH II, LLC and CCH II Capital Corp. due 2013 (the "<u>CCH II Claims</u>," together with the CCH I Claims, the "<u>Charter Claims</u>", and each holder of CCH II Claim a "<u>CCH II Bondholder</u>" and each CCH I Bondholder and each CCH II Bondholder, a "<u>Charter Bondholder</u>"),

pursuant to which, except as previously disclosed to the Undersigned Holder in writing, each Charter Bondholder has agreed to be bound to a Bondholder Support Agreement substantially similar to this Agreement, including without limitation, to be bound by the substantially similar provisions set forth in Section 3(a), (b), (c) (excluding the last sentence thereof), (d) and (e) above and Section 8 below.

The Company shall maintain in full force and effect and enforce each Bondholder Support Agreement to the fullest extent possible and as long as this Agreement remains in effect.

The Company shall give prompt written notice and description to the Undersigned Holder of, in each case of which the Company has knowledge, (i) any termination of a Bondholder Support Agreement, (ii) any breach by a Charter Bondholder of a material provision of its Bondholder Support Agreement or the Term Sheet and of any waiver or cure of such breach and (iv) if at any time Bondholder Support Agreements are no longer in full force and effect with at least two thirds in amount of holders of CCH I Claims or more than two thirds in principal amount of holders of CCH II claims held by the Committee.

Implementation of Plan.

(b) The Company shall use its commercially reasonable best efforts to:

- i. effectuate and consummate the Restructuring on the terms described in the Term Sheet and the Plan;
- ii. commence the Chapter 11 Cases on or before April 1, 2009;
- iii. file the Plan and Disclosure Statement, consistent with the terms of the Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Undersigned Holder, and implement all steps necessary and desirable to obtain



from the Bankruptcy Court an order confirming the Disclosure Statement (the "Disclosure Statement Order"), which Disclosure Statement Order shall be entered by the Bankruptcy Court no later than on or before the 50th day following the Petition Date;

- iv. implement all steps necessary and desirable to obtain from the Bankruptcy Court an order confirming the Plan, which order shall be in form and substance consistent with the Term Sheet and reasonably acceptable to the Undersigned Holder (the "<u>Confirmation Order</u>"), which Confirmation Order shall be entered by the Bankruptcy Court no later than on or before the 130th day following the Petition Date; and
- v. cause the Effective Date of the Plan to occur no later than on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date but notwithstanding the following proviso in no event shall the Confirmation Date occur in December; *provided*, that if consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to Franchises (as defined in the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. Sections 151 <u>et seq.</u>), licenses and permits covering areas serving at least 80% of the basic subscribers have not been obtained on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date, then cause the Effective Date of the Plan to occur no later than on or before December 15, 2009.

The Company shall take no actions inconsistent with this Agreement, the Term Sheet and the Plan or the expeditious Confirmation and Consummation of the Plan.

5. Mutual Representations, Warranties, and Covenants.

Each Party makes the following representations, warranties and covenants to each of the other Parties, each of which are continuing representations, warranties and covenants:

(a) Enforceability.

Subject to the provisions of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, this Agreement is a legal, valid and binding obligation of the Party, enforceable against it in accordance with its terms, except as enforcement may be limited by applicable laws relating to or limiting creditors' rights generally or by equitable principles relating to enforceability.

(b) No Consent or Approval.

Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, no consent or approval is required by any other entity in order for it to carry out the provisions of this Agreement.

(c) Power and Authority.

It has all requisite power and authority to enter into this Agreement and to carry out the transactions contemplated by, and perform its respective obligations under, this Agreement, the Term Sheet and the Plan.

(d) Authorization.

The execution and delivery of this Agreement and the performance of its obligations hereunder have been duly authorized by all necessary action on its part.

(e) No Conflicts.

The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement does not and shall not: (a) violate any provision of law, rule or regulations applicable to it or any of its subsidiaries; (b) violate its certificate of incorporation, bylaws or other organizational documents or those of any of its subsidiaries; or (c) conflict with, result in a breach of or constitute (with due notice or lapse of time or both) a default under any material contractual obligation to which it or any of its subsidiaries is a party.

6. No Waiver of Participation and Preservation of Rights.

This Agreement and the Plan are part of a proposed settlement of disputes among the Parties. Without limiting the foregoing sentence in any way, if the transactions contemplated by this Agreement or otherwise set forth in the Plan are not consummated as provided herein, if a Termination Event occurs, or if this Agreement is otherwise terminated for any reason, the Parties each fully reserve any and all of their respective rights, remedies, claims and interests.

7. Acknowledgement.

This Agreement and the Term Sheet and the transactions contemplated herein and therein are the product of negotiations between the Parties and their respective representatives. This Agreement is not and shall not be deemed to be a solicitation of votes for the acceptance of a plan of reorganization for the purposes of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code or otherwise. The Company will not solicit acceptances of the Plan from the Undersigned Holder in any manner inconsistent with the Bankruptcy Code or applicable nonbankruptcy law.

8. Termination.

(a) Termination Events.

The term "Termination Event," wherever used in this Agreement, means any of the following events (whatever the reason for such Termination Event and whether it is voluntary or involuntary):

i. the commitments set forth in that certain commitment letter, dated February 11, 2009 (the "Commitment Letter"), expire or terminate



pursuant to Section 9 of the Commitment Letter or are otherwise no longer in effect;

- ii. the Company's board of directors is advised in writing by its outside counsel that continued pursuit of the Plan is inconsistent with its fiduciary duties because, and the board of directors determines in good faith that, (A) a proposal or offer from a third party is reasonably likely to be more favorable to the Company than is proposed under the Term Sheet, taking into account, among other factors, the identity of the third party, the likelihood that any such proposal or offer will be negotiated to finality within a reasonable time, and the potential loss to the company if the proposal or offer were not accepted and consummated, or (B) the Plan is no longer confirmable or feasible;
- iii. the Plan or any subsequent plan filed by the Debtors with the Bankruptcy Court (or a plan supported or endorsed by the Company) is not in a form and substance that is reasonably consistent in all material respects with the Term Sheet;
- iv. the Debtors shall not have filed for chapter 11 relief with the Bankruptcy Court on or before April 1, 2009;
- v. a Disclosure Statement Order reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Undersigned Holder is not entered by the Bankruptcy Court on or before the 50th day following the Petition Date;
- vi. a Confirmation Order reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Undersigned Holder is not entered by the Bankruptcy Court on or before the 130th day following the Petition Date;
- vii. either (a) the Effective Date shall not have occurred on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date or (b) if consents, approvals or waivers required to be obtained from governmental authorities in connection with the Plan with respect to Franchises, licenses and permits covering areas serving at least 80% of the basic subscribers have not been obtained on or before the 150th day following the Petition Date, and all other conditions precedent to the Effective Date shall have been satisfied before the 150th day following the Petition Date or waived by the Undersigned Holder (other than those conditions that by their nature are to be satisfied on the Effective Date shall not have occurred on or before December 15, 2009;

viii. any of the Chapter 11 Cases of the Company is converted to cases under chapter 7 of the Bankruptcy Code and such event causes the Plan not to be confirmable;

- ix. the Bankruptcy Court shall enter an order in any of the Chapter 11 Cases appointing (i) a trustee under chapter 7 or chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code, (ii) a responsible officer or (iii) an examiner, in each case with enlarged powers relating to the operation of the business (powers beyond those set forth in subclauses (3) and (4) of section 1106(a)) under section 1106(b) of the Bankruptcy Code;
- x. any of the Chapter 11 Cases of the Company is dismissed and such event causes the Plan not to be confirmable;
- xi. the Confirmation Order is reversed on appeal or vacated;
- xii. any Party has breached any material provision of this Agreement or the Term Sheet and any such breach has not been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms hereof after a period of five (5) days;
- xiii. the Company shall withdraw the Plan or publicly announce its intention not to support the Plan;
- xiv. the Effective Date shall have occurred;
- xv. any Bondholder Support Agreement has terminated, any Charter Bondholder has breached any material provision of its Bondholder Support Agreement or the Term Sheet and any such breach has not been duly waived or cured in accordance with the terms of the Bondholder Support Agreement after a period of five (5) days, or if at any time Bondholder Support Agreements are no longer in full force and effect with at least two thirds in amount of holders of CCH I Claims or more than two thirds in principal amount of holders of CCH II claims held by the Committee; or

xvi. the Company shall not have reached agreement with senior management on a compensation program reasonably acceptable to the Company and the Requisite Holders by March 12, 2009.

The foregoing Termination Events are intended solely for the benefit of the Company and the Undersigned Holder; *provided* that no Party may seek to terminate this Agreement and the Term Sheet based upon a material breach or a failure of a condition (if any) in this Agreement arising out of its own actions or omissions; *provided*, *further*, that such actions or omissions may entitle the other Parties to the remedies described in Section 9(e) hereof.

(b) Termination Event Procedures.

- i. Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event contemplated by clause (ii) of Section 8(a) hereof or clause (xii) of Section 8(a) hereof due to a material breach of this Agreement by the Undersigned Holder, in each case subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, the Company shall have the right to terminate this Agreement and the Term Sheet by giving written notice thereof to the other Parties.
- ii. Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event contemplated by clause (viii), (xi), (xiv) or (xvi) of Section 8(a) hereof, in each case subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, this Agreement and the Term Sheet shall automatically terminate without further action.
- iii. Except as set forth in Section 8(b)(i) and 8(b)(ii) hereof, upon the occurrence of a Termination Event (including, for the avoidance of doubt, a Termination Event contemplated by clause (i) or (ii) of Section 8(a) hereof), subject to the last sentence of Section 8(a) hereof, the Undersigned Holder shall have the right to terminate this Agreement and the Term Sheet by giving written notice to the other Parties unless no later than five (5) business days after the occurrence of any such Termination Event, the occurrence of such Termination Event is waived in writing by the Undersigned Holder. The Parties hereby waive any requirement under section 362 of the Bankruptcy Code to lift the automatic stay thereunder (the "<u>Automatic Stay</u>") in connection with giving any such notice (and agree not to object to any non-breaching Party seeking to lift the Automatic Stay in connection with giving any such notice, if necessary). Any such termination (or partial termination) of the Agreement shall not restrict the Parties' rights and remedies for any breach of the Agreement by any Party, including, but not limited to, the reservation of rights set forth in Section 6 hereof.

(c) Consent to Termination.

In addition to the Termination Events set forth in Section 8(a) hereof, this Agreement shall be terminable immediately upon written notice to all of the Parties of the written agreement(s) of the Company and the Requisite Holders to terminate all of their restructuring agreements and the written agreement of the Company and the Undersigned Holder to terminate their restructuring agreement.

9. Miscellaneous Terms.

(a) Binding Obligation; Assignment.

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Binding Obligation. Subject to the provisions of sections 1125 and 1126 of the Bankruptcy Code, this Agreement is a legally valid and binding obligation of the Parties, enforceable in accordance with its terms, and shall inure to the benefit of the Parties and their representatives. Nothing in this Agreement, express or implied, shall give to any entity, other than the Parties and their respective members, officers, directors, agents, financial advisors, attorneys, employees, partners, Affiliates, successors, assigns, heirs, executors, administrators and representatives, any benefit or any legal or equitable right, remedy or claim under this Agreement.

Assignment. No rights or obligations of any Party under this Agreement may be assigned or transferred to any other entity except as provided in Section 3(c) hereof.

(b) Further Assurances.

The Parties agree to execute and deliver such other instruments and perform such acts, in addition to the matters herein specified, as may be reasonably appropriate or necessary, from time to time, to effectuate the agreements and understandings of the Parties, whether the same occurs before or after the date of this Agreement.

(c) Headings.

The headings of all sections of this Agreement are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and are not a part of and are not intended to govern, limit or aid in the construction or interpretation of any term or provision hereof.

(d) Governing Law.

THIS AGREEMENT IS TO BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK APPLICABLE TO CONTRACTS MADE AND TO BE PERFORMED IN SUCH STATE, WITHOUT GIVING FFFECT TO THE CHOICE OF LAWS PRINCIPLES THEREOF. By its execution and delivery of this Agreement, each of the Parties hereto hereby irrevocably and unconditionally agrees for itself that may legal action, suit or proceeding with respect to any matter under or arising out of or in connection with this Agreement or for recognition or enforcement of any judgment rendered in any such action, suit or proceeding, shall be brought exclusively in either a state or federal court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York and County of New York. By execution and delivery of this Agreement, each of the Parties hereto hereby irrevocably accepts and submits itself to the exclusive jurisdiction of each such court, generally and unconditionally, with respect to any such action, suit or proceeding. Notwithstanding the foregoing consent to jurisdiction in either a state or federal court of competent jurisdiction in the State of New York, upon the commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases, each of the Parties hereto hereby agrees that, if the Petitions have been filed and any of the Chapter 11 Cases are pending, the Bankruptcy Court shall have exclusive jurisdiction of all matters arising out of or in connection with this Agreement.

(e) Specific Performance

The Parties hereby acknowledge that the rights of the Parties under this Agreement are unique and that remedies at law for breach or threatened breach of any provision of this Agreement would be inadequate and, in recognition of this fact, agree that, in the event of a breach or threatened breach of the provisions of this Agreement, in addition to any remedies at law, the Parties (with the consent of the Undersigned Holder, in the case of the Undersigned Holder) shall, without posting any bond, be entitled to obtain equitable relief in the form of specific performance, a temporary restraining order, a temporary or permanent injunction or any other equitable remedy which may then be available and the Parties hereby waive any objection to the imposition of such relief.

- (f) Complete Agreement, Interpretation and Modification.
 - i. Complete Agreement. This Agreement, the Term Sheet and the other agreements, exhibits and other documents referenced herein and therein constitute the complete agreement between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersede all prior agreements, oral or written, between or among the Parties with respect thereto.
 - ii. Interpretation. This Agreement is the product of negotiation by and among the Parties. Any Party enforcing or interpreting this Agreement shall interpret it in a neutral manner. There shall be no presumption concerning whether to interpret this Agreement for or against any Party by reason of that Party having drafted this Agreement, or any portion thereof, or caused it or any portion thereof to be drafted.
 - iii. Modification of this Agreement and the Term Sheet. Except as set forth in Section 8(b) hereof, as it applies to Termination Events, this Agreement and the Term Sheet may only be modified, altered, amended or supplemented by an agreement in writing signed by the Company and the Undersigned Holder.
- (g) Execution of this Agreement.

This Agreement may be executed and delivered (by facsimile or otherwise) in any number of counterparts, each of which, when executed and delivered, shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall constitute the same agreement. Except as expressly provided in this Agreement, each individual executing this Agreement on behalf of a Party has been duly authorized and empowered to execute and deliver this Agreement on behalf of said Party.

(h) Settlement Discussions.

This Agreement and the Restructuring are part of a proposed settlement of a dispute among the Parties. Nothing herein shall be deemed an admission of any kind. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Evidence 408 and any applicable state rules of evidence, this Agreement and all negotiations relating thereto shall not be admissible into evidence in any proceeding other than a proceeding to enforce the terms of this Agreement.

(i) Consideration.

The Company and the Undersigned Holder hereby acknowledge that no consideration, other than that specifically described herein and in the Term Sheet, shall be due or paid to the Undersigned Holder for its agreement to vote to accept the Plan in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement, other than the Company's representations, warranties and agreement to use its commercially reasonable best efforts to obtain approval of the Disclosure Statement and to seek to confirm and consummate the Plan in accordance with the terms and conditions of the Term Sheet.

(j) Notices.

All notices hereunder shall be deemed given if in writing and delivered, if sent by facsimile, courier or by registered or certified mail (return receipt requested) to the following addresses and facsimile numbers (or at such other addresses or facsimile numbers as shall be specified by like notice):

i. If to the Company, to:

Charter Communications, Inc. 12405 Powerscourt Drive St. Louis, Missouri 63131 Attention: General Counsel

with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Kirkland & Ellis LLP Citigroup Center 153 East 53rd Street New York, New York 10022 Attention: Richard M. Cieri and Paul Basta; ii. If to the Undersigned Holder, to:

Charter Investments, Inc. 505 Fifth Avenue S Suite 900 Seattle, WA 98104 Attention: William McGrath, Esq. Facsimile: (206) 342-2347 email: <u>billmc@vulcan.com</u>:

with copies (which shall not constitute notice) to:

Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP 300 South Grand Avenue Los Angeles, CA 90071 Attention: Nicholas P. Saggese, Esq. Facsimile: (213) 687-5550 email: <u>nick.saggese@skadden.com</u>

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Skadden, Arps, Slate, Meagher & Flom LLP 4 Times Square New York, NY 10036 Attention: Jay M. Goffman, Esq. Facsimile: (917) 777-2120 email: jay.goffman@skadden.com

Any notice given by delivery, mail or courier shall be effective when received. Any notice given by facsimile shall be effective upon oral or machine confirmation of transmission.

(k) No Obligations following Effective Date.

Upon the occurrence of a Termination Event pursuant to Section 8(a)(xiv) hereof and termination of this Agreement in accordance with Section 8(b)(ii) hereof, this Agreement shall forthwith become void, there shall be no liability under this Agreement on the part of any Party and the Undersigned Holder shall have the sole and exclusive power to vote, or to direct the voting of, and to dispose, or to direct the disposition of, any securities received by the Undersigned Holder pursuant to the Plan.

(l) Savings Clause.

Prior to commencement of the Chapter 11 Cases, if and to the extent the Company's execution, agreement, performance, undertaking, or similar arrangement herein or in the Term Sheet (each, a "<u>Undertaking</u>") would cause a default or event of default under the CCO Credit Facility or the CCOH Credit Facility (and for the avoidance of doubt, in each case, including all notes issued thereunder), such Undertaking shall be deemed unenforceable solely to

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the extent necessary to avoid a default or event of default and such action shall be void ab initio to the extent necessary to avoid a default or event of default. To the extent that any Undertaking is unenforceable or void in accordance with the foregoing, the Parties shall use commercially reasonable best efforts to restore equivalent consideration to any affected Party.

(m) Time of the Essence.

The Parties agree that time is of the essence with respect to each and every term and provision of this Agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties have entered into this Agreement on the day and year first above written.

Dated: February 11, 2009

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						By: Name: Its:	
						PAUL G. ALLEN	
&	#	1	6	0	;		CHARTER INVESTMENT, INC.
						Name:	

<u>EXHIBIT 1</u> TERM SHEET



FOR RELEASE: Thursday, February 12, 2009

NEWS

CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS REACHES AGREEMENT IN PRINCIPLE WITH CERTAIN DEBT HOLDERS TO REDUCE DEBT

Refinancing and New Capital to Total \$3 Billion

Company has \$800 Million in Cash and Cash Equivalents

Operations Expected to Continue As Usual

St. Louis, MO - Charter Communications, Inc. (NASDAQ: CHTR) ("Charter," the "Company") and its subsidiaries announced that they have reached an agreement-in-principle with an *ad hoc* committee of certain of the Company's debt holders on the terms of a financial restructuring to reduce the Company's debt by approximately \$8 billion. In the context of its agreement, Charter also announced that two of its subsidiaries, CCH I Holdings, LLC ("CH") and Charter Communications Holdings, LLC ("Charter Holdings") will make within the allotted grace period, interest payments totaling approximately \$74 million in the aggregate on certain of their outstanding senior notes that were due January 15, 2009.

"We are pleased to have reached an agreement with such a significant portion of our bondholders on a long-term solution to improve our capital structure," said Neil Smit, President and Chief Executive Officer. "We are committed to continuing to provide our 5.5 million customers with quality cable, Internet and phone service, and through this agreement, we will be even better positioned to deliver the products and services our customers demand now and in the future. Moreover, the interest and support provided by our stakeholders with their new capital investment underscores their confidence in Charter and our business."

Charter's operations are strong and the Company remains focused on continuing to provide its customers with quality service and support today and going forward. Preliminary fourth quarter 2008 results reflect pro

forma¹ revenue growth of approximately 7% and pro-forma adjusted EBITDA² growth of more than 10%, on a year-over-year basis. As of February

¹ Adjusted EBITDA is defined in the "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics" section and is reconciled to net cash flows from operating activities in the addendum of this news release. ² Pro forma results are described below in the "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics" section of this news release. 11, Charter had approximately \$800 million in cash and cash equivalents available to it. Charter believes its liquidity, combined with its cash from operating activities, will be sufficient to meet its projected cash needs, including the payment of normal operating costs and expenses, as it proceeds with its financial restructuring.

The funding required by the financial restructuring contemplated by the agreement-in-principle is expected to be satisfied by cash on hand, an exchange of debt of CCH II, LLC ("CCH II") and CCH I, LLC ("CCH II") for new notes issued by CCH II, the issuance of additional debt, and the proceeds of an equity offering for which the Company has received a back-stop commitment from certain of its noteholders. The agreement further contemplates that (i) the notes and bank debt of Charter Communications Operating, LLC and CCO Holdings, LLC will remain outstanding, (ii) holders of notes issued by CCH II will receive new notes issued by CCH II or cash on account of their claims, (iii) holders of notes issued by CCH I will receive the new notes issued by CCH II and shares of common stock in Charter (iv) holders of notes issued by CHI will receive warrants to purchase shares of common stock of Charter, (vi) holders of convertible notes issued by Charter will receive cash and preferred stock issued by CCH I noteholders to other entities participating in the financial restructuring. As part of the agreement, Paul Allen will continue as an investor, and will retain the largest voting interest in the Company.

The agreement-in-principle is subject to numerous closing conditions and there is no assurance that the treatment of creditors outlined above will not change significantly. Under the terms of the agreement, the Company intends to implement its financial restructuring through a Chapter 11 filing to be initiated on or before April 1, 2009. The purpose of Charter's financial restructuring is to strengthen its balance sheet in order to fully support the Company's operations and service its debt. As such, the agreement-in-principle contemplates paying trade creditors in full.

Important Note

The transaction described above is subject to numerous closing conditions and is not an offer to sell securities or a solicitation of an offer to purchase any securities. Any securities to be issued pursuant to the backstop commitment described above and the new CCH II notes issued to

the ad-hoc committee of noteholders will be issued pursuant to an exemption under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

The Company issued a separate release today announcing preliminary results for the quarter and year ended December 31, 2008.

Notably, the agreement-in-principle contains an agreement by the parties that the Company shall not be required to comply with any terms if such compliance would trigger a default under one or more of the debt instruments to

remain outstanding. All of the summaries of the provisions of the agreement-in-principle are qualified entirely by the terms in the definitive documentation.

About Charter Communications

Charter Communications, Inc. is a leading broadband communications company and the third-largest publicly traded cable operator in the United States. Charter provides a full range of advanced broadband services, including advanced Charter Digital Cable(R) video entertainment programming, Charter High-Speed(R) Internet access, and Charter Telephone(R). Charter Business(TM) similarly provides scalable, tailored, and cost-effective broadband communications solutions to business organizations, such as business-to-business Internet access, data networking, video and music entertainment services, and business telephone. Charter's advertising sales and production services are sold under the Charter Media(R) brand. More information about Charter can be found at www.charter.com.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics

The Company uses certain measures that are not defined by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP") to evaluate various aspects of its business. We have provided *pro forma* results in this release for the three months ended December 31, 2008. We believe these *pro forma* results facilitate meaningful analysis of the results of operations. *Pro forma* results in this release reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2008 and 2007 as if they had occurred as of January 1, 2007.

Pro forma adjusted EBITDA is a non-GAAP financial measure and should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for, net cash flows from operating activities reported in accordance with GAAP. These terms, as defined by Charter, may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies. Adjusted EBITDA is defined as income from operations before depreciation and amortization, impairment charges, stock compensation expense, and other operating expenses, such as special charges and loss on sale or retirement of assets. As such, it eliminates the significant non-cash depreciation and amortization expense that results from the capital-intensive nature of the Company's businesses as well as other non-cash or non-recurring items, and is unaffected by the Company's capital structure or investment activities. Adjusted EBITDA are liquidity measures used by Company management and its board of directors to measure the Company's ability to fund operations and its financing obligations. For this reason, it is a significant component of Charter's annual incentive compensation program. However, this measure is limited in that it does not reflect the periodic costs of certain capitalized tangible and intangible assets used in generating revenues and the cash cost of financing for the Company. Company management evaluates these costs through other financial measures.

The Company believes that *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA provides information useful to investors in assessing Charter's ability to service its debt, fund operations, and make additional investments with internally generated funds. In addition, adjusted EBITDA generally correlates to the leverage ratio calculation under the Company's credit facilities or outstanding notes to determine compliance with the covenants contained in the facilities and notes (all such documents have been previously filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission). *Pro forma* adjusted EBITDA, as presented, include management fee expenses in the amount of \$32 million and \$31 million for the three months ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively, which expense amounts are excluded for the purposes of calculating compliance with leverage covenants.

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements:

This release includes forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, regarding, among other things, our plans, strategies and prospects, both business and financial. Although we believe that our plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by these forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that we will achieve or realize these plans, intentions or expectations. Forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that we will in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). Many of the forward-looking statements contained in this release may be identified by the use of forward-looking words such as "believe," "expect," "anticipate," "should," "plans," "will," "may," "intend," "estimated," "aim," on track," "target," "opportunity" and "potential," among others. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements we make in this release are set forth in other reports or documents that we file from time to time with the SEC, including our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q filed in 2008 and our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and include, but are not limited to:

- the outcome of our discussions with our bondholders and the completion of the Company's announced restructuring including the outcome and impact on our business of any resulting proceedings under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code;
- the availability and access, in general, of funds to meet interest payment obligations under our debt and to fund our operations and necessary capital expenditures, either through cash on hand, cash flows from operating activities, further borrowings or other sources and, in particular, our ability to fund debt obligations (by dividend, investment or otherwise) to the applicable obligor of such debt;
 our ability to comply with all covenants in our indentures and credit facilities, any violation of which, if not cured in a timely manner, could trigger a default of our other obligations under cross-default provisions;
- our ability to comply with all covenants in our indentures and credit facilities, any violation of which, if not cured in a timely manner, could trigger a default of our other obligations under cross-default provisions;
 our ability to repay debt prior to or when it becomes due and/or successfully access the capital or credit markets to refinance that debt through new issuances, exchange offers or otherwise, including restructuring our balance sheet
- On admity to repay deep prior to or when in becomes due and/or successionly access the capital or credit markets to remarkets to remarket and leverage position, especially given recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets;
 the impact of competition from other distributors, including incumbent telephone companies, direct broadcast satellite operators, wireless broadband providers, and digital subscriber line ("DSL") providers;
- the impact of competition from other distributors, including incumbent telephone companies, direct broadcast satellite operators, wireless broadband providers, and digital subscriber line ("DSL") predifficulties in growing, further introducing, and operating our telephone services, while adequately meeting customer expectations for the reliability of voice services;
- our ability to adequately meet demand for installations and customer service;

• our ability to sustain and grow revenues and cash flows from operating activities by offering video, high-speed Internet, telephone and other services, and to maintain and grow our customer base, particularly in the face of increasingly aggressive competition;

our ability to obtain programming at reasonable prices or to adequately raise prices to offset the effects of higher programming costs;
 general business conditions, economic uncertainty or downturn, including the recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets and the significant downturn in the housing sector and overall economy; and
 the effects of governmental regulation on our business.

All forward-looking statements attributable to us or any person acting on our behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement. We are under no duty or obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this release.

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CHARTER COMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES UNAUDITED RECONCILIATION OF NON-GAAP MEASURES TO GAAP MEASURES (DOLLARS IN MILLIONS)

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	Thre	e Months End	led December	r 31,
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Net cash flows from operating activities Less: Purchases of property, plant and equipment	\$	(12) (264)	\$	(3) (354)
Less: Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		2		49
Free cash flow		(274)		(308)
Interest on cash pay obligations (b)		470		457
Purchases of property, plant and equipment Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		264		354
Change in accrued expenses related to capital experionities Other, net		(2) 17		(49) 7
Change in operating assets and liabilities		144		101
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	619	\$	562

(a) Pro forma results reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2007 and 2008 as if they occurred as of January 1, 2007.

(b) Interest on cash pay obligations excludes accretion of original issue discounts on certain debt securities and amortization of deferred financing costs that are reflected as interest expense in our consolidated statements of operations.

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NEWS

Charter Communications Reports Preliminary Financial and Operating Results for Fourth Quarter 2008

Fourth-quarter results reflect double digit pro-forma Adjusted EBITDA growth for the 9th consecutive quarter

St. Louis, MO - Charter Communications, Inc. (Nasdaq:CHTR) (along with its subsidiaries, the "Company" or "Charter") today announced preliminary results for the fourth quarter of 2008, which reflect solid revenue growth and the 9th consecutive quarter of double digit adjusted EBITDA¹ growth on a *pro forma*² as reported basis.

Charter currently expects *pro forma* revenues for the fourth quarter of 2008 of \$1.653 billion, which represents an increase of approximately 7.0% compared to the same period in 2007 on a *pro forma* basis. Charter expects actual revenues of \$1.656 billion, an increase of approximately 6.6% for the period. Charter currently expects *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA for the fourth quarter of 2008 to be approximately \$619 million, an increase of approximately 10.1% compared to the same period in 2007 on a *pro forma* basis. Actual adjusted EBITDA is expected to be \$620 million, an increase of approximately 9.7% compared to 2007.

Charter currently expects *pro forma* annual revenues for 2008 of \$6.467 billion, which represents an increase of 8.5% compared to *pro forma* 2007, and actual annual revenues to be approximately \$6.479 billion, an increase of 7.9% compared to 2007. Charter currently expects *pro forma* annual adjusted EBITDA for 2008 of \$2.315 billion, which represents an increase of 10.3% compared to 2007, and actual annual adjusted EBITDA of \$2.319 billion, an increase of 9.9% compared to 2007.

¹Adjusted EBITDA is defined in the "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics" section and is reconciled to net cash flows from operating activities in the addendum of this news release.

² Pro forma results are described below in the "Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics" section of this news release.

"We are pleased with our operational results during the fourth quarter, particularly in this challenging economic environment," said Neil Smit, President and Chief Executive Officer. "We remain committed to delivering value to our customers through our bundle of quality video, high-speed Internet, and telephone services. We are continuously expanding our high-definition offering, we've recently launched 60Mbps high-speed Internet service, and later this month we'll upgrade Charter High-Speed Internet Max from 16 Mbps speed to 20 Mbps. Our operational results continue to reflect the underlying potential of our business, and our talented employees remain focused on offering enhanced products and service for our customers."

Charter added 45,300 revenue generating units (RGUs) during the fourth quarter of 2008 and 650,900 RGUs during the full year. Approximately 53% of Charter's customers subscribe to a bundle, up from 47% in the fourth quarter of 2007. Charter's *pro forma* average monthly revenue per basic video customer for the fourth quarter of 2008 was \$108.27, an increase of 10.2% compared to fourth quarter 2007, primarily as a result of higher bundled penetration and an increase in advanced services.

Fourth quarter expected RGU additions (on a pro forma basis for 2008 and 2007) consisted of the following:

Fourth quarter 2008 net losses of basic video customers were approximately 75,100 compared to a net loss of approximately 65,800 in the fourth quarter of 2007;

Fourth quarter 2008 net gains of digital video customers were approximately 22,300 compared to a net gain of approximately 59,500 in the fourth quarter of 2007;

· Fourth quarter 2008 net gains of high-speed Internet customers were approximately 22,900 compared to a net gain of approximately 50,500 in the fourth quarter of 2007; and

• Fourth quarter 2008 net gains of telephone customers were approximately 75,200, compared to a net gain of approximately 155,300 in the fourth quarter of 2007. Telephone homes passed were approximately 10.4 million as of December 31, 2008.

Capital expenditures for the fourth quarter of 2008 are currently expected to be approximately \$264 million, which would be lower than capital expenditures of \$354 million during the same quarter in the prior year. Capital expenditures for the full year 2008 are expected to be approximately \$1.202 billion, compared to \$1.244 billion in 2007. Approximately 77% of Charter's 2008 capital expenditures were success-based.

In the fourth quarter the Company expects to record approximately \$1.5 billion of impairment for the year ended December 31, 2008. The Company intends to finalize its franchise impairment analysis, as

required by SFAS No. 142, "Goodwill and Other Intangible Assets," prior to the release of its 2008 financial results.

Because the fourth quarter has only recently ended, the information in this release is, by necessity, preliminary in nature and based only upon preliminary, unaudited information available to Charter as of the date of this release. Investors should be aware that the information in this release is subject to change upon the release of Charter's audited results and therefore should exercise caution in relying on the information in this release. Information regarding certain financial performance measures not discussed in this release is not provided because the fourth quarter has only recently ended and final estimates of certain items used in the calculations of such measures are not yet available. Investors should not draw any inferences from this information regarding financial or operating data that is not discussed in this release.

Use of Non-GAAP Financial Metrics

The Company uses certain measures that are not defined by Generally Accepted Accounting Principles ("GAAP") to evaluate various aspects of its business. Adjusted EBITDA and *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA are non-GAAP financial measures and should be considered in addition to, not as a substitute for, net cash flows from operating activities reported in accordance with GAAP. These terms, as defined by Charter, may not be comparable to similarly titled measures used by other companies.

Adjusted EBITDA is defined as income from operations before depreciation and amortization, impairment charges, stock compensation expense, and other operating expenses, such as special charges and loss on sale or retirement of assets. As such, it eliminates the significant non-cash depreciation and amortization expense that results from the capital-intensive nature of the Company's businesses as well as other non-cash or non-recurring items, and is unaffected by the Company's capital structure or investment activities. Adjusted EBITDA and *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA are liquidity measures used by Company management and its board of directors to measure the Company's ability to fund operations and its financing obligations. For this reason, it is a significant component of Charter's annual incentive compensation program. However, this measure is limited in that it does not reflect the periodic costs of certain capitalized tangible and intangible assets used in generating revenues and the cash cost of financing for the Company. Company management evaluates these costs through other financial measures. The Company believes that adjusted EBITDA and *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA provide information useful to investors in assessing Charter's ability to service its debt, fund operations, and make additional investments with internally generated funds. In addition, adjusted EBITDA generally correlates to the leverage ratio calculation under the Company's credit facilities or outstanding notes to determine compliance with the covenants contained in the facilities and notes (all such documents have been previously filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission). Adjusted EBITDA and *pro forma* adjusted EBITDA, as presented, include management fee expenses in the amount of \$32 million and \$31 million for the three months ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively, and \$131 million and \$129 million for the years ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, respectively, which expense amounts are excluded for the purposes of calculating compliance with leverage covenants.

In addition to the actual results for the three months and year ended December 31, 2008 and 2007, we have provided *pro forma* results in this release for the three months and year ended December 31, 2007. We believe these *pro forma* results facilitate meaningful analysis of the results of operations. *Pro forma* results in this release reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2008 and 2007 as if they had occurred as of January 1, 2007.

About Charter Communications

Charter Communications, Inc. is a leading broadband communications company and the third-largest publicly traded cable operator in the United States. Charter provides a full range of advanced broadband services, including advanced Charter Digital Cable® video entertainment programming, Charter High-Speed® Internet access, and Charter Telephone®. Charter Business™ similarly provides scalable, tailored, and cost-effective broadband communications solutions to business organizations, such as business-to-business Internet access, data networking, video and music entertainment services, and business telephone. Charter's advertising sales and production services are sold under the Charter Media® brand. More information about Charter can be found at <u>www.charter.com</u>

Cautionary Statement Regarding Forward-Looking Statements:

This release includes forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, regarding, among other things, our plans, strategies and prospects, both business and financial. Although we believe that our plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by these forward-looking statements are reasonable, we cannot assure you that we will achieve or realize these plans, intentions or expectations. Forward-looking statements are inherently subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions including, without limitation, the factors described under "Risk Factors" from time to time in our filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission ("SEC"). Many of the forward-looking statements contained in this release may be identified by the use of forward-looking stated," "aim," "on track," "articipate," "anticipate," "should," "plans," "will," "may," "intend," "estimated," "aim," "on track," "artegt," "opportunity" and "potential," among others. Important factors that could cause actual results to differ materially from the forward-looking statements we make in this release are set forth in other reports or documents that we file from time to time with the SEC, including our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q filed in 2008 and our most recent annual report on Form 10-K and include, but are not limited to:

- the outcome and impact on our business of our proceedings under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code;
- the availability and access, in general, of funds to meet interest payment obligations under our debt and to fund our operations and necessary capital expenditures, either through cash on hand, cash flows from operating activities, further borrowings or other sources and, in particular, our ability to fund debt obligations (by dividend, investment or otherwise) to the applicable obligor of such debt;
- our ability to comply with all covenants in our indentures and credit facilities, any violation of which, if not cured in a timely manner, could trigger a default of our other obligations under cross-default provisions;
 our ability to repay debt prior to or when it becomes due and/or successfully access the capital or credit markets to refinance that debt through new issuances, exchange offers or otherwise, including restructuring our balance sheet
- our ability to repay debt prior to or when it becomes due and/or successfully access the capital or credit markets to refinance that debt through new issuances, exchange offers or otherwise, including restructuring our balance sheet and leverage position, especially given recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets;
 the impact of competition from other distributors, including incumbent telephone companies, direct broadcast satellite operators, wireless broadband providers, and digital subscriber line ("DSL") providers;
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 difficulties in growing, further introducing, and operating our telephone services, while adequately meeting customer expectations for the reliability of voice services;
- our ability to adequately meet demand for installations and customer service;
- our ability to sustain and grow revenues and cash flows from operating activities by offering video, high-speed Internet, telephone and other services, and to maintain and grow our customer base, particularly in the face of increasingly aggressive competition;
- our ability to obtain programming at reasonable prices or to adequately raise prices to offset the effects of higher programming costs;
- the outcome of our discussions with our bondholders;
- general business conditions, economic uncertainty or downturn, including the recent volatility and disruption in the capital and credit markets and the significant downturn in the housing sector and overall economy; and
 the effects of governmental regulation on our business.

All forward-looking statements attributable to us or any person acting on our behalf are expressly qualified in their entirety by this cautionary statement. We are under no duty or obligation to update any of the forward-looking statements after the date of this release.

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	Three Months Ended December 31,			Year Ended December 31,			
		008 ctual		2007 Actual	 2008 Actual		2007 Actual
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$	(11)	\$	-	\$ 399	\$	327
Less: Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(264)		(354)	(1,202)		(1,244)
Less: Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		2		49	 (39)		(2)
Free cash flow		(273)		(305)	(842)		(919)
Interest on cash pay obligations (b)		470		457	1,844		1,811
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		264		354	1,202		1,244
Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		(2)		(49)	39		2
Other, net		17		7	65		33
Change in operating assets and liabilities		144		101	 11		(60)
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	620	\$	565	\$ 2,319	\$	2,111

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	2008		2007		2008			2007	
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Net cash flows from operating activities	\$	(12)	\$	(3)	\$	395	\$	314	
Less: Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(264)		(354)		(1,202)		(1,244)	
Less: Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		2		49		(39)		(2)	
Free cash flow		(274)		(308)		(846)		(932)	
Interest on cash pay obligations (b)		470		457		1,844		1,811	
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		264		354		1,202		1,244	
Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		(2)		(49)		39		2	
Other, net		17		7		65		33	
Change in operating assets and liabilities		144		101		11		(60)	
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	619	\$	562	\$	2,315	\$	2,098	

(a) Pro forma results reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2007 and 2008 as if they occurred as of January 1, 2007.

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	2005 (a)					2006 (a)						
	4th Quarter			1st Quarter 2nd		2nd Quarter		3rd Quarter		4th Quarter		
Not each flor to from operating activities	¢	116	¢	183	¢	(24)	¢	136	¢	(20)		
Net cash flows from operating activities	\$		\$		Э		\$		\$	(28)		
Less: Purchases of property, plant and equipment		(262)		(233)		(290)		(254)		(308)		
Less: Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		(28)	_	(7)	_	(2)		13		20		
Free cash flow		(174)		(57)		(316)		(105)		(316)		
		()		()		(0-0)		(200)		(0-0)		
Interest on cash pay obligations (c)		377		406		424		445		448		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		262		233		290		254		308		
Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		28		7		2		(13)		(20)		
Other, net		5		5		9		3		(2)		
Change in operating assets and liabilities		(46)	_	(159)		74		(124)		82		
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	452	\$	435	\$	483	\$	460	\$	500		

			2007 (1))		2008 (b)							
	_	1st Quarter	lst Quarter 2nd Quarter		4th Quarter	1st Quarter	2nd Quarter	3rd Quarter	4th Quarter				
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Net cash flows from operating activities Less: Purchases of property, plant and equipment	2	263 \$ (298)	(153) \$ (281)	207 5	\$ (3) \$ (354)	203 (334)	\$ (37) \$ (316)	241 (288)	\$ (12) (264)				
Less: Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		(32)	(7)	(12)	49	(31)	(10)		2				
Free cash flow		(67)	(441)	(116)	(308)	(162)	(363)	(47)	(274)				
Interest on cash pay obligations (c)		453	452	449	457	452	460	462	470				
Purchases of property, plant and equipment		298	281	311	354	334	316	288	264				
Change in accrued expenses related to capital expenditures		32	7	12	(49)	31	10	-	(2)				
Other, net		2	18	6	7	10	25	13	17				
Change in operating assets and liabilities		(225)	218	(154)	101	(121)	142	(154)	144				
Adjusted EBITDA	\$	493 \$	535 \$	508 5	\$ 562 \$	544	§ <u>590</u> \$	562	\$ 619				

(a) Pro forma results for the fourth quarter ended December 31, 2005 and the first, second, third and fourth quarters ended December 31, 2006 reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2006 and 2007 as if they occurred as of January 1, 2005.

(b) Pro forma results for the first, second, third and fourth quarters ended December 31, 2007 and 2008 reflect certain sales and acquisitions of cable systems in 2007 and 2008 as if they occurred as of January 1, 2007.

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