Determinations Committee Decision

| Date: | October 08, 2009 |
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| Determinations Committee: | Americas |
| Meeting Date: | October 08, 2009 |

| DC Issue 2009100602: | Has a Failure to Pay Credit Event occurred with respect to Fairpoint Communications, Inc.? | |
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| 1st Question for vote: | Has a Failure to Pay Credit Event occurred with respect to Fairpoint Communications, Inc.? | |
| Vote result: | Yes | |
| Votes: | 15 'Yes' votes and 0 'No' votes | |
| | Bank of America / Merrill Lynch | Yes |
| | Barclays | Yes |
| | Citibank | Yes |
| | Credit Suisse | Yes |
| | Deutsche Bank AG | Yes |
| | Elliott Management Corporation | Yes |
| | Goldman Sachs | Yes |
| | JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. | Yes |
| | Legal & General Investment Management Limited | Yes |
| | Morgan Stanley | Yes |
| | Pacific Investment Management Company LLC | Yes |
| | Primus Asset Management, Inc. | Yes |
| | Rabobank International | Yes |
| | The Royal Bank of Scotland | Yes |
| | UBS | Yes |

| 2nd Question for vote: | If a Credit Event did occur, is the date of the Credit Event October 5, 2009? | |
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| Vote result: | Yes | |
| Votes: | 15 'Yes' votes and 0 'No' votes | |
| | Bank of America / Merrill Lynch | Yes |
| | Barclays | Yes |
| | Citibank | Yes |
| | Credit Suisse | Yes |
| | Deutsche Bank AG | Yes |
| | Elliott Management Corporation | Yes |
| | Goldman Sachs | Yes |
| | JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. | Yes |
| | Legal & General Investment Management Limited | Yes |
| | Morgan Stanley | Yes |

| Pacific Investment Management Company LLC | Yes |
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| Primus Asset Management, Inc. | Yes |
| Rabobank International | Yes |
| The Royal Bank of Scotland | Yes |
| UBS | Yes |

| 3rd Question for vote: | Is the date on which the DC Secretary first effectively | |
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| | received both a request to convene the Committee and | |
| | Publicly Available Information that satisfies the | |
| | requirements of Section 2.1(b) for the Credit Event | |
| | with respect to Fairpoint Communications, Inc. | |
| | October 6, 2009? (This question is asked to determine | |
| | the Event Determination Date.) | |
| Vote result: | Yes | |
| Votes: | 15 'Yes' votes and 0 'No' votes | |
| | Bank of America / Merrill Lynch | Yes |
| | Barclays | Yes |
| | Citibank | Yes |
| | Credit Suisse | Yes |
| | Deutsche Bank AG | Yes |
| | Elliott Management Corporation | Yes |
| | Goldman Sachs | Yes |
| | JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. | Yes |
| | Legal & General Investment Management Limited | Yes |
| | Morgan Stanley | Yes |
| | Pacific Investment Management Company LLC | Yes |
| | Primus Asset Management, Inc. | Yes |
| | Rabobank International | Yes |
| | The Royal Bank of Scotland | Yes |
| | UBS | Yes |

| 4th Question for vote: | Should ISDA hold one or more auctions to settle Relevant Transactions with respect to which a Credit Event Resolution has occurred in accordance with the terms set out in the form of Credit Derivatives Auction Settlement Terms with respect to Fairpoint Communications, Inc.? | |
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| Vote result: | No | |
| Votes: | 0 'Yes' votes and 15 'No' votes | |
| | Bank of America / Merrill Lynch | No |
| | Barclays | No |
| | Citibank | No |

| Credit Suisse | No |
|---|----|
| Deutsche Bank AG | No |
| Elliott Management Corporation | No |
| Goldman Sachs | No |
| JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A. | No |
| Legal & General Investment Management Limited | No |
| Morgan Stanley | No |
| Pacific Investment Management Company LLC | No |
| Primus Asset Management, Inc. | No |
| Rabobank International | No |
| The Royal Bank of Scotland | No |
| UBS | No |