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Mr. F.J. Pollak  
CEO, TracFone  
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Dear Mr. Pollak:

I am writing to follow up on my previous letters dated May 20, 2013, and October 30, 2014, asking for information regarding your company's activities relating to the Lifeline mobile phone program and efforts to promote it. TracFone is the largest recipient of funding from the Lifeline program, which has been plagued by claims of fraud and abuse that cost taxpayers, including small business owners, billions of dollars. As you are well aware, these allegations compelled me to look into this matter. Accordingly, I again ask that you please answer the following questions:

1. Last year, Pre-Paid Wireless Users of America ran advertisements in support of Lifeline. Is TracFone a member of Pre-Paid Wireless Users of America and, if so, how much money has TracFone contributed to Pre-Paid Wireless Users of America? Please provide copies of all documents associated with these transactions.
2. Have any executives at TracFone donated to Pre-Paid Wireless Users of America? If so, how much? Please provide copies of all documents associated with these transactions.
3. How much does it cost TracFone to provide a customer with a phone through the Lifeline program? Please provide copies of all documents discussing or otherwise providing financial analysis of the return on such transactions.

I ask that you reply by Tuesday, March 10, 2015. Please deliver your answers to the majority office of the Senate Committee on Small Business and Entrepreneurship, Room 428A of the Russell Senate Office Building. Should you have any questions, please contact my staff at 202-224-5175.

Regards,



David Vitter

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