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Dear Mr. Hughes:

We received your letter of August 15, 2002, in which you notified Regional Forester Harv Forsgren that Crown Castle International was withdrawing its appeal of Forest Service decisions to award leases for the I-17 wireless corridor across the Prescott and Coconino National Forests.

The Crown Castle International appeal is hereby dismissed.

This decision is the final administrative decision of the Department of Agriculture and is not subject to further review under 36 CFR 251, Subpart C or 36 CFR Part 215.

Sincerely,

/s/ Lucia M. Turner LUCIA M. TURNER Appeal Reviewing Officer, Deputy Regional Forester

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