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Attached please find the executed Affidavit requested by Commission for Connect Paging, Inc. d/b/a Get A Phone
- Docket No. 070178-TX.

Thank You -

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Tallahassee, FL 32399

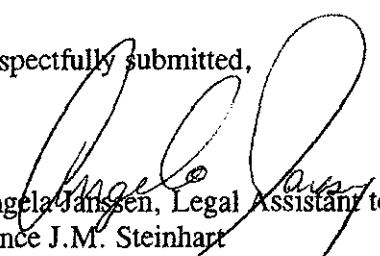
Re: Connect Paging, Inc. d/b/a Get A Phone
ETC Designation - Docket No. 070178-TX

Dear Mr. Casey:

Attached please find for filing an executed Affidavit requested on July 3, 2008 for the above-referenced docket.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,


Angela Janssen, Legal Assistant to
Lance J.M. Steinhart
Attorney for Connect Paging, Inc. d/b/a Get A Phone

Enclosure

cc: Byron Young

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AFFIDAVIT

State of Texas
County of Tarrant

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, appeared Byron Young,
who deposed and said:

My name is Byron Young. I am employed by Connect Paging, Inc. located at 112 E. Seminary Drive, Suite B, Ft. Worth, Texas 76115 as its President. I am an officer of the Company and am authorized to give this affidavit on behalf of the Company. This affidavit is being given to support the Eligible Telecommunications Carrier petition filed by my Company with the Florida Public Service Commission (PSC).

Company hereby certifies the following:

1. Company will follow all Florida Statutes, Florida Administrative Rules, and Florida PSC Orders relating to Universal Service, Eligible Telecommunications Carriers, and the Florida Link-Up and Lifeline Program.
2. Company will follow all FCC rules, FCC Orders, and regulations contained in the Telecommunications Act of 1996 regarding Universal Service, ETCs, Link-Up and Lifeline, and toll limitation service.
3. Company agrees that the Florida PSC may revoke a carrier's ETC status for good cause after notice and opportunity for hearing, for violations of any applicable Florida Statutes, Florida Administrative Rules, Florida PSC Orders, failure to fulfill requirements of Sections 214 or 254 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, or if the PSC determines that it is no longer in the public interest for the company to retain ETC status.
4. Company understands that if its petition for ETC status is approved, it will be for limited ETC status to provide Link-Up, Lifeline, and toll-limitation service only, and the Company will be eligible only to receive low-income support from the Universal Service Fund.
5. Company understands that it may only receive reimbursement from the Universal Service Administrative company (USAC) for active customer Link-Up and Lifeline access lines which are provided using its own facilities or using access lines obtained as wholesale local platform lines (formerly UNE lines) from another carrier. The Company shall not apply to USAC for reimbursement of Link-Up and Lifeline access lines obtained from an underlying carrier which already receive a Lifeline and/or Link-Up credit provided by the underlying carrier.
6. Company understands that the PSC shall have access to all books of account, records and property of all eligible telecommunications carriers.
7. Company understands that low income support reimbursed by USAC for toll limitation service is available only for the incremental costs that are associated exclusively with toll limitation service.

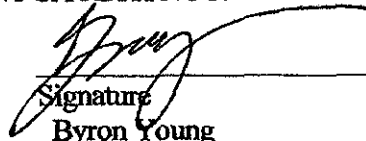
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8. Company agrees that upon request, it will submit to the PSC a copy of Form 497 forms filed with USAC to:
Florida Public Service Commission
Division of Regulatory Compliance, Market Practices Section
2540 Shumard Oak Drive
Tallahassee, Florida 32303
9. Company understands that in accordance with the Florida Lifeline program, eligible customers will receive a \$13.50 monthly discount on their phone bill, \$3.50 of which is provided by the ETC, and \$10.00 of which is reimbursable from the Federal Universal Service Fund.

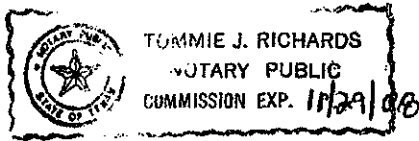
FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

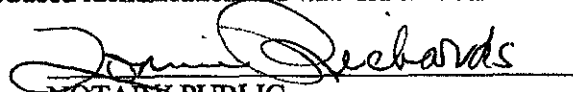
 July 3, 2008
Signature Date
Byron Young
Printed Name

Business Address:
112 E. Seminary Dr., Suite B
Ft. Worth, Texas 76115

State of Texas
County of Tarrant

Acknowledged before me this 3rd day of July, 2008, by Byron Young, as President of Company, who is personally known to me or produced identification and who did take an oath.




NOTARY PUBLIC
Tommy Richards
Printed Name of Notary

Personally Known XX
Produced Identification _____
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