

1 P R O C E E D I N G S

2 CHAIRMAN FAY: Next, we'll move on to Item 2,
3 presented by staff.

4 MR. WENDEL: Good morning, Commissioners.
5 Brandon Wendel on behalf of the Office of Industry
6 Development and Market Analysis staff.

7 Item 2 is staff's recommendation on Bright
8 House's request for partial relinquishment of its
9 eligible telecommunications carrier, or ETC,
10 designation in Florida.

11 Federal rules allow a carrier to relinquish
12 its ETC designation, provided the area is served by
13 more than one ETC and that the remaining ETCs
14 ensure the Commission that any existing customers
15 will continue to be served.

16 After staff's review of Bright House's
17 requested relinquishment areas, staff has
18 determined that Bright House has met the federal
19 requirements to relinquish its ETC designation;
20 therefore, staff recommends the Commission grant
21 Bright House's request for partial E- --
22 relinquishment of its ETC designation.

23 A representative from Bright House and staff
24 are available to answer any of your questions.

25 Thank you.

1 CHAIRMAN FAY: Great. Thank you, Mr. Wendel,
2 for that summary.

3 Commissioners, I will take a motion on this
4 item.

5 COMMISSIONER CLARK: Move to approve staff's
6 recommendation, Mr. Chairman.

7 COMMISSIONER GRAHAM: Second.

8 CHAIRMAN FAY: Great. We have a motion and
9 second.

10 All that approve, say aye.

11 (Chorus of ayes.)

12 CHAIRMAN FAY: Nay?

13 With that, the item passes.

14 Thank you so much, Mr. Wendel.

15 (Agenda item concluded.)

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