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Via E-mail & U. S. Mail

Ms. Ann Cole
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Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

Re: Easy Telephone Services Company – Amendment to Petition for Supplemental Authority; Docket No. 090337-TX

Dear Ms. Cole:

Please find enclosed for filing an original of the Amendment to Petition of Easy Telephone Services Company for Supplemental Authority in the State of Florida regarding its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier status. I have also enclosed an additional copy of this filing that we ask that you stamp "Filed" and return in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided.

Please do not hesitate to call me if you have any questions relating to this matter. Thank you for your usual courtesy and assistance.

Sincerely,

WATKINS LUDLAM WINTER & STENNIS, P.A.


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**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF FLORIDA**

**EASY TELEPHONE SERVICES
COMPANY**

Docket No. 090337-TX

**IN RE: PETITION OF EASY
TELEPHONE SERVICES
COMPANY FOR DESIGNATION
AS AN ELIGIBLE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS
CARRIER IN THE STATE OF
FLORIDA**

Amendment to Petition for Supplemental Authority

Easy Telephone Services Company ("Easy Tel" or "Company") hereby submits to the Florida Public Service Commission (the "Commission") this amendment to its Petition for Supplemental Authority to Order PSC-10-0125-PAA-TX issued in this Docket on March 2, 2010. This proposed amendment does not materially affect the Commission's designation decision but will clarify the wireless Link-Up service to be offered by Easy Tel and how those services are provided. Easy Tel incorporates herein by reference the information previously filed with the Commission in its original Application in this Docket No. 090337-TX, and in the Petition for Supplemental Authority filed with the Commission on August 11, 2010.

Easy Tel's Amended Link-Up Plan

Like Lifeline, Link Up is also a component of one of four separate federal universal service fund mechanisms known as the "low-income support mechanism", and it is defined in 47 C.F.R. § 54.411 as an "assistance program for qualifying low-income consumers, *which an eligible telecommunications carrier shall offer as part of its obligations set forth in §§ 54.101(a)(9) and 54.101(b)*" (emphasis added). Assistance is in the form of a "reduction in the carrier's customary charge for commencing telecommunications service for a single telecommunications connection" and "shall be half of the customary charge or \$30.00, whichever is less". Consistent with FCC requirements, Easy Tel will use Link Up support to

reduce the company's "customary charge for commencing service" of \$60.00 by "half of the customary charge...", which will result in a reduction of the Company's activation charge by \$30.00.

Qualifying subscribers in the State of Florida will be charged the remaining balance, or \$30.00 to activate service.

Easy Tel, therefore, requests that this Amendment to Petition for Supplemental Authority be accepted, and that the Commission grant Easy Telephone Services Company a supplemental ETC designation for purposes of providing low income support for its wireless service.

Easy Telephone Services Company

By: 
Stanley Q. Smith
Its Attorney

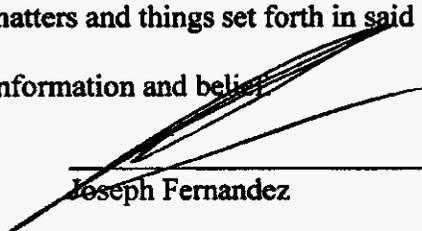
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF FLORIDA

COUNTY OF MARION

PERSONALLY came and appeared before me, the undersigned party in and for the jurisdiction aforesaid, the within named Joseph Fernandez who after being duly sworn by me stated under oath as follows: that I am President of Easy Telephone Services Company ("Easy Tel"); that I executed the foregoing pleading for and on behalf of Easy Tel; that I am authorized to execute and file said pleading; and that the matters and things set forth in said pleading are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.



Joseph Fernandez

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this the 26TH day of January, 2011.

My Commission Expires:

Aug. 13, 2012

NOTARY PUBLIC





CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, STANLEY Q. SMITH, do hereby certify that I have this day caused to be filed with the Public Service Commission of Florida via electronic filing an original of the enclosed Amendment to Petition for Supplemental Authority at the following address:

filings@psc.state.fl.us

Attn: Ann Cole
Commission Clerk
Florida Public Service Commission
2540 Shumard Oak Blvd.
Tallahassee, FL 32399

This the 26th day of January, 2011.



Stanley Q. Smith