

Annual Reporting for High-Cost Recipients
47 C.F.R. §54.313(h)



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RE: Docket No. 140119TP, Annual Certifications Related to Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETC) Use of the Federal Universal Support

Pursuant to Section 54.313 and 54.422 of the Federal Communications Commission's rules, all reports pursuant to this section shall be filed with the FCC, Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) and relevant state commissions. I have enclosed a copy of the 2014 annual report and certification that has been filed with the Administrator for the following:

SAC 210336 - Windstream Florida, Inc.

This filing contains CONFIDENTIAL information which is not readily ascertainable to Windstream's competition. Release of this information would cause Windstream to reveal proprietary information and trade secrets and cause damage to its competitive position. Windstream requests that this data be treated as trade secret information. Windstream seeks a protective order of non-disclosure to prevent disclosure of sensitive outage reports (section 200) filed with the FCC for the calendar year 2013.

The FCC in Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 04-188, ¶ 3 (rel. August 19, 2004) concluded that "The disclosure of outage reporting information to the public could present an unacceptable risk of more effective terrorist activity. We therefore will treat the information that will be provided as confidential. This information will be withheld from disclosure to the public in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act."

Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at jeff.l.heacox@windstream.com or by phone at 501-748-5390.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff Heacox". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Jeff Heacox
Staff Manager Regulatory Compliance

Enclosures