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DATE: September 12, 2014
TO: Dorothy E. Menasco, Commission Deputy Clerk II, Office of Commission Clerk
FROM: Gregory D. Fogleman, Economic Analyst, Office of Telecommunications *GF*
RE: Please file the attached documents in Docket 140119-TP

Please file the attached letter from Chairman Graham with corresponding e-mail receipts from the Universal Service Administrative Company and the Federal Communications Commission in Docket 140119-TP entitled, "2015 State certification § 54.313 and § 54.314, annual reporting requirements for high-cost recipients, and certification of support for eligible telecommunications carriers."

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call. Thank you for your assistance.

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September 10, 2014

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

USAC
Vice President, High Cost and Low Income Division
2000 L Street NW, Suite 200
Washington, DC 20036

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 10-90, Annual State-Certification of Support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, the Florida Public Service Commission hereby certifies to the Federal Communications Commission and the Universal Service Administrative Company that the telecommunications carriers included in this letter are eligible to receive federal high-cost support for the program years cited.

The Florida Public Service Commission certifies for the carriers listed below that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within Florida was used in the preceding calendar year (2013) and will be used in the coming calendar year (2015) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.¹

¹ 47 C.F.R. §54.314(a) ("Certification. States that desire eligible telecommunications carriers to receive support pursuant to the high-cost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within that State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. High-cost support shall only be provided to the extent that the State has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.")

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Company Name	Study Area Code
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Florida	215191
Embarq Florida, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink	210341
Frontier Communications of the South, LLC	210318
GTC, Inc. d/b/a FairPoint Communications	210291, 210329, 210339
ITS Telecommunications Systems, Inc.	210331
Knology of Florida, Inc. d/b/a WOW! Internet, Cable, and Phone	219904
Northeast Florida Telephone Company d/b/a NEFCOM	210335
Quincy Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom/Quincy Telephone	210338
Smart City Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a Smart City Telecom	210330
Verizon Florida LLC	210328
Windstream Florida, Inc.	210336

If you have any questions regarding this certification, please contact Greg Fogleman at (850) 413-6574, or Curtis Williams at (850) 413-6924.

Sincerely,



Art Graham
Chairman

GF/bl

Greg Fogleman

From: Greg Fogleman
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 11:20 AM
To: hccerts@usac.org
Cc: Beth Salak; Bob Casey; Mark Long; Adam Teitzman; Curtis Williams
Subject: USF High-Cost Certification for Florida Telecommunications Carriers
Attachments: 2014 FPSC ETC Certification.pdf

I am attaching the Florida High-Cost certification letter for Florida telecommunications carriers.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

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From: hc certs <hccerts@usac.org>
Sent: Wednesday, September 10, 2014 11:20 AM
To: Greg Fogleman
Subject: *Email Receipt* HC Certs

Thank you for your certification submission to the HC Certs inbox. This is to confirm that USAC has received your email containing an electronic version of your certification, and it will be reviewed within 48 hours. Should any follow-up be required, a member of our High Cost team will contact you.

If you need additional support, you may contact HCCerts@usac.org or via telephone at 202-776-0200 and ask to speak about High Cost Certifications.

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