

FLORIDA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Item 4

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March 2, 2021

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**Docket No. 20210011-TP** – Application for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) for purposes of receiving rural digital opportunities fund support, or request to decline jurisdiction, and request for expedited consideration, by Starlink Services, LLC.

**Issue 1:** Should the Commission grant Starlink Services LLC ETC status in Florida to receive Rural Digital Opportunity Fund Auction (Auction 904) support for Satellite voice and broadband services?

**Recommendation:** No. Staff recommends that the Commission lacks jurisdiction to grant Starlink Services, LLC ETC status in Florida. Staff further recommends that, as a facilities-based provider of non-jurisdictional satellite broadband service, Starlink Services, LLC should apply directly to the FCC for a Florida ETC designation. Since staff is recommending that the Commission lacks jurisdiction, Starlink Services LLC's alternative request for an affirmative statement declining jurisdiction is moot.

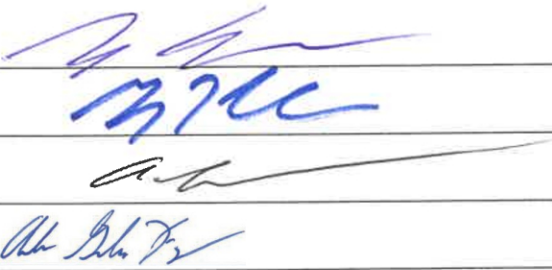
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COMMISSIONERS ASSIGNED: All Commissioners

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**Issue 2:** Should this docket be closed?

**Recommendation:** Yes. If no person whose substantial interests are affected by the proposed agency action files a protest within 21 days of the issuance of the Proposed Agency Action Order, this docket should be closed upon the issuance of a Consummating Order.

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