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Hon. Beth O'Donnell
Executive Director
Public Service Commission
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Re: Petition of Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. for Arbitration of Certain Terms and Conditions of Proposed Interconnection Agreement with Celco Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless, GTE Wireless of the Midwest Incorporated d/b/a Verizon Wireless, and Kentucky RSA No. 1 Partnership d/b/a Verizon Wireless; Case No. 2006-00296

Dear Ms. O'Donnell:

As legal counsel to Mountain Rural Telephone Cooperative Corporation, Inc. ("Mountain Rural") in the above-referenced action, we hereby notify the Public Service Commission of the Commonwealth of Kentucky (the "Commission") that Mountain Rural hereby generally adopts the testimony of Steven E. Watkins filed today in Cases No. 2006-00215; 2006-00217; 2006-00218; 2006-00220, in compliance with the July 25th procedural order requiring RLECs to file and serve TELRIC-based cost studies as well as written testimony in support of those cost studies.

Thank you, and if you have any questions, please call me.

Very truly yours,

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