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Jeff DeRouen
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*RE: Notice of Express Phone Service Inc.'s Intent to Adopt the
Interconnection Agreement Between BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
and New Talk, Inc.
Case No. 2010-00161*

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed please find an original and ten copies of Express Phone Service, Inc.'s Status Report.

Please indicate receipt of this filing by placing your file stamp on the extra copy and returning to me via the enclosed self-addressed postage paid envelope.

Very truly yours,

STOLL KEENON OGDEN PLLC

Douglas F. Brent

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Enclosures

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF

NOTICE OF EXPRESS PHONE SERVICE INC.'S) Case No. 2010-00161
INTENT TO ADOPT THE INTERCONNECTION)
AGREEMENT BETWEEN BELLSOUTH)
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. AND)
NEW TALK, INC.)

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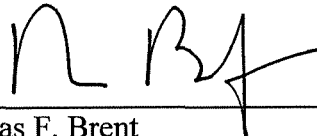
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EXPRESS PHONE'S STATUS REPORT

By orders dated August 17, 2010 and October 19, 2010 the Commission ordered Express Phone Service, Inc. ("Express Phone") to file a status report indicating whether it had settled its dispute with BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. d/b/a AT&T-Kentucky ("AT&T-KY") regarding adoption of the interconnection agreement between AT&T-KY and New Talk, Inc. Express Phone and AT&T-KY have recently executed an interconnection agreement for Kentucky that AT&T-KY has filed, or will file shortly, pursuant to Section 252 of the Telecommunications Act. Once this agreement is either approved by the Commission or otherwise deemed effective, Express Phone anticipates that it will withdraw its adoption request.

Respectfully submitted,



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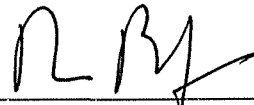
Counsel for Express Phone, Inc.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and accurate copy of the foregoing was served on the following by first-class United State mail, sufficient postage prepaid, this 25th day of October, 2010.

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