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October 23, 2014

Jeff DeRouen  
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*RE: Application of Windstream Kentucky East, LLC and Windstream Kentucky West, LLC (1) for a Declaratory Ruling That Approval is Not Required for the Transfer of a Portion of Their Assets; (2) Alternatively for Approval of the Transfer of Assets; (3) for a Declaratory Ruling That Communications Sales and Leasing, Inc. is Not Subject to KRS 278.020(1); and (4) for All Other Required Approvals and Relief  
Case No. 2014-00283*

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

Enclosed please find an original and ten copies of Kentucky Cable Telecommunications Association's Notice of Kentucky Bar Association Out-of-State Certification Form for Gardner F. Gillespie. Please add Mr. Gillespie to the service list in this case. His address is:

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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,

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In the Matter of:

The Application Of Windstream Kentucky )  
East, LLC And Windstream Kentucky West, )  
LLC For A Declaratory Ruling That Approval Is )  
Not Required For The Transfer Of A Portion Of )  
Their Assets; (2) Alternatively For Approval Of ) CASE NO. 2014-00283  
The Transfer Of Assets; (3) For A Declaratory )  
Ruling That Communications Sales and Leasing, )  
Inc. Is Not Subject To KRS 278.020(1); and (4) )  
For All Other Required Approvals And Relief )

**NOTICE OF KENTUCKY BAR ASSOCIATION  
OUT-OF-STATE CERTIFICATION FORM**

Please take notice that the Kentucky Bar Association has issued its Out-of-State Certification Form pursuant to the application of Gardner Gillespie, Esq., to practice the above-referenced case. The Kentucky Bar Association Out-of-State Certification Form is attached hereto.

Dated: October 23, 2014

By   
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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing motion has been served by first class mail on those persons whose names appears below this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2014.

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### KENTUCKY BAR ASSOCIATION OUT-OF-STATE CERTIFICATION FORM

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CASE NO. 2014-00283

#### SCR 3.030 Membership, practice by nonmembers and classes of membership

(2) A person admitted to practice in another state, but not in this state, shall be permitted to practice a case in this state only if that attorney subjects himself or herself to the jurisdiction and rules of the court governing professional conduct, pays a per case fee of \$270.00 to the Kentucky Bar Association and engages a member of the association as co-counsel, whose presence shall be necessary at all trials and at other times when required by the court. No motion for permission to practice in any state court in this jurisdiction shall be granted without submission to the admitting court of a certification from the Kentucky Bar Association of receipt of this fee.

The Kentucky Bar Association certifies that Gardner Gillespie has paid the per-case fee of \$270.00 in the above referenced case as required in SCR 3.030(2).

Michele M. Pogrotsky, Deputy Registrar