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February 12, 2016

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PARTIES OF RECORD

RE: Case No. 2015-00391

East Kentucky Network, LLC dba Appalachian Wireless (Construct Cell Site - No P&Z Commission)
Lenarue Site; located near the Intersection of 421 and Wampus Creek Road, Harlan County, KY

The Commission Staff has reviewed the filing submitted February 08, 2016 and has determined that the application in the above case now meets the minimum filing requirements. Attached please find a stamped filed copy of the first page of your filing. This case has been docketed and will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at 502-564-3940.

Sincerely,

Linda Faulkner

Filings Division Director

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In the matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF EAST KENTUCKY NETWORK

LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR THE ISSUANCE

OF A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND

NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT A TOWER IN HARLAN

COUNTY, KENTUCKY).

East Kentucky Network, LLC, d/b/a Appalachian Wireless, was granted authorization to provide Personal Communications Service ("PCS") in the Middlesboro-Harlan, KY Basic Trading Area (BTA295) by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). FCC license is included as Exhibit 1. East Kentucky Network, LLC merger documents were filed with the Commission on February 2, 2001 in Case # 2001-022. East Kentucky Network, LLC is a Kentucky Limited Liability Company that was organized on June 16, 1998. East Kentucky Network, LLC is in good standing with the state of Kentucky.

In an effort to improve service in Harlan County, East Kentucky Network, LLC pursuant to KRS 278.020 Subsection 1 and 807 KAR 5:001 Section 9 is seeking the Commission's approval to construct a 300 foot self-supporting tower on a tract of land located on Highway 421, Lenarue, Harlan County, Kentucky (36°48'32.7775"N 83°16'06.6443"W). A map and detailed directions to the site can be found in Exhibit 7.

Exhibit 2 is a list of all Property owners or residents according to the property valuation administrator's record who reside or own property within 500 feet of the proposed tower in accordance with the Public Valuation Administrator. No other properties are contiguous with East Kentucky Network's property.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:063 Section 1 (1)(L) and Section 1(1)(n)(1) all affected property owners according to the property valuation administrator's record who reside or own property

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