## COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN	)	
WINDSTREAM KENTUCKY EAST, LLC AND	)	CASE NO.
PEOPLES TELECOM, LLC	)	2016-00296

## ORDER

On August 9, 2016, Windstream Kentucky East, LLC ("Windstream East") filed with the Commission a notice of Peoples Telcom, LLC's ("Peoples Telecom") adoption, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252(e)(1), of the negotiated interconnection agreement between Windstream East and Centurylink Communications, LLC ("Centurylink"). The agreement was negotiated pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252 and became effective on July 17, 2016. On August 17, 2016, Peoples Telecom moved for expedited approval of the adoption of the agreement.

The Commission has reviewed Peoples Telecom's adoption of the agreement between Windstream East and Centurylink and finds that adoption of the agreement does not discriminate against a telecommunications carrier not a party to the agreement. The Commission also finds that approval of the adoption of the interconnection agreement is consistent with the public interest, convenience and necessity.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> PSC Reference No. 01174.

The Commission, having been otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that Peoples Telecom's adoption of the interconnection agreement between Windstream East and Centurylink is effective as of the date of this Order.

By the Commission

**ENTERED** 

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KENTUCKY PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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