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July 24, 2017

**PARTIES OF RECORD**

RE: Case No. **2017-00248**

The Commission staff has reviewed the application in the above case and finds that it meets the minimum filing requirements and has been accepted for filing.

Enclosed 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John S. Lyons".

John S. Lyons  
Acting Executive Director

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**COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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In the matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF EAST KENTUCKY NETWORK,	)	
LLC FOR THE ISSUANCE OF A CERTIFICATE OF	)	
PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO	)	CASE NO. 2017-00248
CONSTRUCT A TOWER IN BREATHITT COUNTY,	)	
KENTUCKY	)	

East Kentucky Network, LLC d/b/a Appalachian Wireless was granted authorization to provide cellular service in the KY-10 Cellular Market Area (CMA452) 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 No. 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 Breathitt County, East Kentucky Network, LLC, pursuant to KRS 278.020 Subsection 1 and 807 KAR 5:001, is seeking the Commission’s approval to construct a 200 foot telecommunications tower on a tract of land located at 435 Steel Fork Road, Jackson, Breathitt County, Kentucky (37°37’57.5280”N 83°18’35.5299”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 and all property owners who own property contiguous to the property upon which construction is proposed in accordance with the records of the Property Valuation Administrator.

Pursuant to 807 KAR 5:063 Section 1(1)(l), Section 1(1)(m), and Section 2, all affected property owners according to the Property Valuation Administrator’s records who reside or own

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