

## LOGAN TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE

The World At Your Fingertips

RE /ED

SEP 1 2 2013

PUBLIC CERVICE COMMISSION

September 10, 2013

Mr. Jeff R. Derouen Executive Director Kentucky Public Service Commission 211 Sower Boulevard P. O. Box 615 Frankfort, KY 40602-0615

Re: Affidavit Pursuant to 47 C.F.R § 54.314 Requirements

Dear Mr Derouen:

Please find enclosed our original affidavit supporting the Commission's Annual Certification filing pursuant to 54.313 with the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) and the Universal Service Administration Company (USAC) that Logan Telephone Cooperative is eligible to receive high-cost support in accordance with 47 USC § 254(e).

Should you have any questions regarding our filing, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

hum a. Hale

Gregory A. Hale General Manager/Executive Vice President ghale@loganphone.com

Enclosure

## AFFIDAVIT Certification of Support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314

## STATE OF KENTUCKY COUNTY OF LOGAN

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Gregory A. Hale of Logan Telephone Cooperative, ("the Cooperative"), who on his oath deposed and said:

- My name is Gregory A. Hale. I am employed by Logan Telephone Cooperative in the position of General Manager/Executive Vice President. In this position, I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service support received by the Cooperative and how these funds are used by the Cooperative.
- Logan Telephone Cooperative was designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier by the Kentucky Public Service Commission in PSC Case No. 360 by order dated November 26, 1997. Logan Telephone Cooperative provides service in study area code 260413.
- 3. Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, Logan Telephone Cooperative hereby certifies all federal high-cost support provided to the Cooperative was used in the preceding calendar year (2012) and will be used in the coming calendar year (2014) only for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, as designated by the Federal Communications Commission consistent with Section 254€ of the Federal Telecommunications Act. These funds will be used to provide the following supported services, as outline in 47 CFR § 54.101(a), which are available to any customer in the Cooperative's service area: voice grade access to the public switched network or its functional equivalent; minutes of use for local services provided by local government or other public safety organizations, such as 911 and enhanced 911, to the extent the local government in an eligible carrier's service area has implemented 911 or enhanced 911 systems; and toll limitation services to qualifying low-income customers.

- Logan Telephone Cooperative follows Federal Communications Commission Part 4. 32 accounting requirements for regulated local exchange carriers and Part 36 separations provisions used to determine high cost support amounts. As a regulated utility, Logan Telephone Cooperative's accounting and separations procedures are subject to periodic National Exchange Carrier Association and Kentucky Public Service Commission reviews.
- 5. While continuing to receive Federal Universal Service support as described and using this support for the purposes as described, Logan Telephone Cooperative does not anticipate withdrawing any services; therefore, the comparability of service between the rural areas served by Logan Telephone Cooperative and the urban areas of Kentucky will not be changed because of any action on the part of Logan Telephone Cooperative.
- The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and 6. correct.

Jhmmy G. Cale Gregory A. Hale

Sworn and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority, on this the 10th day of September, 2013.

Notary Public, State of Kentuckv

My Commission expires  $\frac{7/22}{2017}$ 

(SEAL)