

BEFORE THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

AN INVESTIGATION INTO THE INTRASTATE)	ADMINISTRATIVE
SWITCHED ACCESS RATES OF ALL)	CASE NO.
KENTUCKY INCUMBENT AND COMPETITIVE)	2010-00398
LOCAL EXCHANGE CARRIERS)	

**WINDSTREAM’S MOTION FOR COUNSEL TO APPEAR
PRO HAC VICE**

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Come Windstream Kentucky West, LLC and Windstream Kentucky East, LLC (collectively, “Windstream”), by counsel, and, move the Commission for permission for Edward B. Krachmer, an attorney with Windstream Kentucky West, LLC and Windstream Kentucky East, LLC, 4001 Rodney Parham Road, Little Rock, Arkansas 72212-2442 to appear pro hac vice for Windstream, as co-counsel in the above-styled appeal

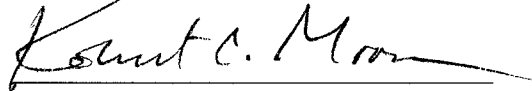
As reflected in the attached affidavit identified as Attachment A, Mr. Krachmer is currently an attorney licensed to practice in the states of Iowa and New York, as well as in the District of Columbia. He is currently and has been in good standing and has not been subject to disciplinary action by the bar or any court. Furthermore, he has not been denied admission to the courts of any state or to any federal court at any time. He has obtained the necessary authorization from the Kentucky Bar Association to practice in this case, and agrees to subject himself to the jurisdiction and rules of the court governing professional conduct during the pendency of the above-styled appeal (See Attachment B).

Windstream has retained local counsel, Robert C. Moore, Esquire, of Hazelrigg & Cox,

LLP, who is currently licensed as an attorney at law in good standing with the State Bar of Kentucky to assist as co-counsel in this case.

WHEREFORE, the Commission is requested to grant Edward B. Krachmer permission to appear as Windstream's co-counsel in the above-styled appeal.

Respectfully Submitted,



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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the electronic version of this filing made with the Commission this - 29th day of December, 2010 is a true and accurate copy of the documents filed herewith in paper form on December 29, 2010 and the electronic version of the filing has been transmitted to the Commission. A paper copy of the Read1st document has been mailed to parties of record and an electronic copy has been served electronically on parties for whom an email address is available.

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Comes the Affiant, Edward B. Krachmer, having been duly sworn, and states the following:

1. The Affiant is employed by Windstream Communications, Inc. as Director & Regulatory Counsel, located at 4001 Rodney Parham Road, Little Rock, Arkansas 72212.
2. The Affiant obtained his Juris Doctor degree from the Northwestern University School of Law.
3. The Affiant is admitted to practice before in the following jurisdictions: District of Columbia (No. 451916), State of Iowa (No. 16041), and New York (No. 2699650).
4. The Affiant is a member in good standing of all of the above referenced courts, and has never been suspended or disbarred in any court nor had any grievance or disciplinary proceeding filed or pending against him.
5. The Affiant hereby consents to subject himself to the jurisdiction and rules of the Franklin County Circuit Court, Franklin County, Kentucky.
6. Further Affiant sayeth not.

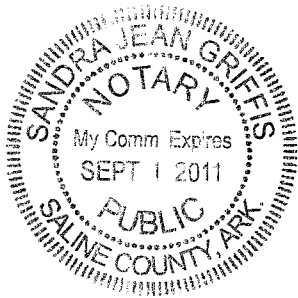


EDWARD B. KRACHMER

STATE OF ARKANSAS)
)SS.
COUNTY OF PULASKI)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me by Edward B. Krachmer on this the 15th day
of December, 2010.

My commission expires: September 1, 2011



Sandra Jean Griffis
NOTARY PUBLIC



KENTUCKY BAR ASSOCIATION
OUT-OF-STATE CERTIFICATION REQUEST FORM



PLEASE PROVIDE THIS OFFICE WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

NAME: EDWARD B. KRACHMER (PLEASE PRINT)

DATE OF BIRTH: 08/05/68

ADDRESS TO BE USED FOR KBA RECORDS:

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STATE BARS OF WHICH YOU ARE A MEMBER IN GOOD STANDING: (Please include membership number)

New York (2699650), District of Columbia (4571916), Iowa (16041)

KY COURT AND CASE NUMBER FOR WHICH YOU SEEK CERTIFICATION:

Public Service Commission Admin. Case No. 2010-00398 (REQUIRED)

KENTUCKY CO-COUNSEL / BAR #: Robert C. Moore, 49761 12/28/10 (REQUIRED)

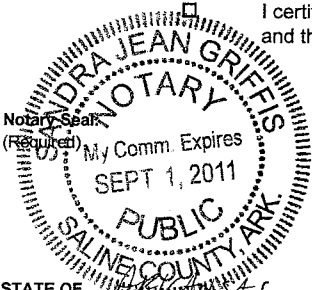
Since January 1, 2005, have you practiced a case in Kentucky under SCR 3.030? YES NO

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 \$100.00 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.

I have read and agree to comply with the requirements set forth in SCR 3.030(2), including submitting to the Rules of Professional Conduct of The Kentucky Supreme Court.

I certify by signing this form that I am a member in good standing in my state(s) of licensure, and that the information provided by me on this form is true and correct.



SIGNATURE

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI COUNTY OF PULASKI

Acknowledged, subscribed & sworn to by Edward B. Krachmer (Attorney's Name)

who personally appeared before me on the 3rd day of December, 2010.

Sandra Jean Griffis NOTARY PUBLIC My Commission expires: September 1, 2011

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ATTACHMENT B