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ACC of Kentucky LLC Attention: Timothy J. Duffy 14201 Wireless Way Oklahoma City, OK 73134-2512

Highland Telephone Cooperative Attention: James Hamby 7480 Morgan County Highway Sunbright, TN 37872

Re:

Interconnection Agreement Negotiated by ACC of Kentucky LLC and Highland Telephone Cooperative, Pursuant to Sections 251, 252 and 271 of the Telecommunications Act of 1996 - PSC Reference No. 00516

Gentlemen:

This is to notify you that Commission Staff has completed its review of your agreement submitted on April 12, 2002, and has concluded that it is in compliance with federal and state law and with previous Commission orders. Accordingly, it is unnecessary for Staff to refer this matter for formal Commission action. The agreement will be maintained in this office and, pursuant to 47 U.S.C. 252, shall be effective on July 11, 2002.

If you have not already done so, the Commission requests that ACC of Kentucky LLC submit the subject agreement in Microsoft® Word 97 format on 3.5-inch high-density diskette.

If you have questions regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Howell Brady at Extension 265.

Sincerely yours,

Thomas M. Dorman Executive Director

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