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SouthEast Telephone, Inc.
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RE: Case No. 2009-00005
SouthEast Telephone, Inc.
(Telecommunications Act of 1996)
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

This letter is to acknowledge receipt of initial application in the above case. The application was date-stamped received January 7, 2009 and has been assigned Case No. 2009-00005. In all future correspondence or filings in connection with this case, please reference the above case number.

If you need further assistance, please contact my staff at (502) 564-3940.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff Derouen".

Jeff Derouen
Executive Director

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