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Mr. Jeff DeRouen, Executive Director
Kentucky Public Service Commission
211 Sower Boulevard
Frankfort, Kentucky 40602

Re: Case No.: 2015-00081
Windstream Norlight, Inc.'s Notice of Intent to Relinquish Designation as an
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

Dear Mr. DeRouen:

This letter serves as formal notice that Windstream Norlight, Inc. ("Windstream") is relinquishing its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") designation in Kentucky pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 214(e)(4). Windstream currently does not have any customers receiving Lifeline benefits. In addition all of Windstream's residential customers will be transferred to Talk America Services, LLC ("TAS") as part of the spin-off transaction discussed in its Asset Transfer Application filed with the Kentucky Public Service Commission ("PSC") on August 7, 2014. The PSC approved the transfer on December 4, 2014. Windstream requests that its ETC designation be relinquished as of March 31, 2015.

If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Cesar Caballero". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Cesar Caballero