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## RE: Talk America Services, LLC Notice to Discontinue Services

Dear Ms. Pinson:

Please accept the original and three (3) copies of this letter and attached Notice submitted on behalf of Talk America Services, LLC informing the Kentucky Public Service Commission that Talk America Services, LLC is voluntarily relinquishing its authority to provide Competitive local exchange and interexchange telecommunications services effective June 1, 2019. A copy of the customer notice is included.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3031 or via email to Sthomas@inteserra.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/Sharon Thomas

Sharon Thomas Consultant

tms: KYx1901

Enclosures ST/im



#### Talk America Services, LLC Notice of Intention to Provide Competitive Local Exchange and Interexchange Telecommunications Services in Kentucky

Talk America Services, LLC ("TAS" or "Applicant"), hereby provides notice of its intention to provide competitive local exchange service and interexchange service in Kentucky, and submits the following information:

# 1. The name, address and telephone and fax numbers of the applicant corporation are:

Talk America Services, LLC 4001 North Rodney Parham Road Little Rock, AR 72212

## 2. A copy of the Company's Articles of Organization:

Please see Attachment I for TAS' Kentucky Certificate of Authority and its Articles of Organization.

# 3. The name, street address, telephone and fax numbers of the responsible contact person(s) for customer complaints and regulatory issues:

Regulatory Contact:Jeffery W. Small, Senior Vice President - Corporate DevelopmentTalk America Services, LLC4001 North Rodney Parham RoadLittle Rock, AR 72212Telephone:(501) 748-5870Facsimile:(330) 425-0881E-Mail:jeffery.w.small@windstream.com

4. A notarized statement that the company has not provided or collected for intrastate service in Kentucky prior to filing this notice of intent.

Please see Attachment II.

5. A statement that the utility does not seek to provide operator assisted services to traffic aggregators as defined in Administrative Code No. 330.

Talk America Services, LLC does not seek to provide operator assisted services to traffic aggregators.

6. Tariffs

The Company does not intend to offer Basic Services as defined by KRS 278.541. Further, the Company intends to initially operate as a pure reseller and will not directly provide or bill for Switched Access Services. Accordingly, it is not filing a Switched Access Services tariff at this time. The Company's rates, terms and conditions for non-basic and non-access services will be posted on the Company's website once it is operational. The Company will file a Switched Access Services Tariff with the Commission thirty (30) prior to offering switched access services.

