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May 23, 2017

## VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Rosemary Chiavetta
Secretary
Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
Commonwealth Keystone Building
Second Floor – Room N201
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania 17120

Re:

Application of ITC Global Networks, LLC for Competitive Local Exchange Carrier ("CLEC") Certification in Pennsylvania

Dear Secretary Chiavetta:

Enclosed please find one original plus four (4) copies of an Application by, ITC Global Networks, LLC for a statewide competitive local exchange carrier (CLEC) certificate, and an additional copy on CD-ROM. Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$250 for the filing fee. Provisional authority is requested.

Because the Application is for statewide CLEC service authority, it is being served on all incumbent local exchange carriers in Pennsylvania, as shown by the service list attached to the Application. The Application is also being served by regular mail on representatives of the interest of consumers (Office of Consumer Advocate) and business customers (Office of Small Business) as well as the Pennsylvania Attorney General. As shown in the Affidavit provided in response to Application Question 22, certified mail letters have been sent to each applicable 911 coordinator.

Applicant is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Ironton Telephone Company ("ITC"), a Pennsylvania incumbent local exchange carrier, and will be relying on ITC for financial backing. Accordingly, with regard to financial fitness, please see ITC's financial statements already on file with the Commission in response. Because ITC's financial statements are already on file at the Commission under seal (i.e. not open to public review), there is no need to separately request confidential treatment of those materials – it is simply requested that the existing confidential treatment of those materials be maintained for purposes of their consideration in support of this Application.

Finally, we have included an additional copy of the Application and attachments and ask that you please stamp it as received and return it in the postage pre-paid envelope provided.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

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Sincerely,

BIRCH, HORTON, BITTNER & CHEROT, P.C.

Enclosures

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I have this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of May, 2017, served a true and correct copy of the foregoing Application of ITC Global Networks, LLC for Expansion of Competitive Local Exchange Carrier ("CLEC") Service in Pennsylvania, upon the persons, listed below, via first class mail:

Office of Consumer Advocate 555 Walnut Street 5th Floor, Forum Place Harrisburg, PA 17101-1923

Office of Small Business Advocate 300 North Second Street, Suite 202 Harrisburg, PA 17101

Verizon Pennsylvania LLC 1717 Arch Street Floor 3SE Philadelphia, PA 191013

Armstrong Telephone Company - North One Armstrong Place Butler, PA 16001

Bentleyville Telephone Company d/b/a FairPoint Communications 1 Davis Farm Road Portland, ME 04103

Citizens Telephone Company of Kecksburg 2748 State Route 982, P.O. Box 156 Mammoth, PA 15666-0156

Hickory Telephone Company 75 Main St. Hickory, PA 15340

Lackawaxen Telecommunications Services 104 Hotel Road, P.O. Box 8 Rowland, PA 18457

North-Eastern Pennsylvania Telephone Co. 720 Main Street, P.O. Box D Forest City, PA 18421-0150 Office of Attorney General Office of Consumer Protection Strawberry Square Harrisburg, PA 17120

Consolidated Communications of PA Co. 4008 Gibsonia Road Gibsonia, PA 15044-9311

Verizon North LLC 1717 Arch Street Floor 3SE Philadelphia, PA 191013

Armstrong Telephone Company - PA 1755 Rte. 30 Clinton, PA 15026

Marianna & Scenery Hill Telephone Company d/b/a FairPoint Communications 1 Davis Farm Road Portland, ME 04103

Frontier Communications Companies 37 Dillard Avenue New Holland, PA 17557

Ironton Telephone Company 4242 Mauch Chunk Road Coplay, PA 18037

Laurel Highland Telephone Company 4157 Main Street, P.O. Box 168 Stahlstown, PA 15687

North Penn Telephone Company 4145 Route 549 Mansfield, PA 16933

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (CONT'D) CLEC APPLICATION OF ITC GLOBAL NETWORKS, LLC

Palmerton Telephone Company 465 Delaware Avenue, P.O. Box 215 Palmerton, PA 18071

Pymatuning Independent Telephone Co. 7 Edgewood Drive Greenville, PA 16125-8832

TDS/Mahanoy & Mahantango Telephone Co. P.O. Box 336, RRI Herndon, PA 17830-0336

United Telephone Company of PA d/b/a CenturyLink 240 N. Third Street, Suite 300 Harrisburg, PA 17101

Windstream Communications Companies:
Windstream Communications Companies
Windstream Buffalo Valley
Windstream Conestoga
Windstream D&E
124 East Main Street, 5<sup>th</sup> Floor
Ephrata, PA 17522

Frontier Companies:

Commonwealth Telephone Co.
Citizens Telecommunications of N.Y.
Frontier Communications of PA, Inc.
Frontier Commns. of Breezewood, Inc.
Frontier Communications Lakewood, Inc.
Frontier Communications of Canton, Inc.
Frontier Commns. Oswayo River, Inc.
100 CTE Drive
Dallas, PA 18612

Pennsylvania Telephone Company 191 Middle Road Jersey Shore, PA 17740

South Canaan Telephone Company 2175 Easton Turnpike, P.O. Box 160 South Canaan, PA 18459

TDS/Sugar Valley Telephone Co. 32 E. South Street Loganton, PA 17747

Venus Telephone Corporation 1698 County Line Road P.O. Box 75 Venus, PA 16364

Yukon Waltz Telephone Company 4157 Main Street P.O. Box 168 Stahlstown, PA 15687

West Side Telephone Company 1449 Fairmont Road Morgantown, WV 26501-9709

Hancock Telephone Company P.O. Box 608 Hancock, NY 13783

TDS/ Deposit Telephone Company 24 Depot Square, Unit 2 Northfield, VT 05663

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