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Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243

00-01123

RE: Request to Abandon KMC Telecom V, Inc. ("KMC V") Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN")

KMC V wishes to abandon its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) granted to it on May 4, 2001 in Docket No. 00-24394.

KMC V ceased operations nationally and in Tennessee in 2005, and no longer plans to provide service in the State of Tennessee under its existing CPCN. KMC V provided wholesale data services to other carriers. The Company did not provide any retail services to end-user customers. As such, the Company does not believe that the ninety (90) day customer notice requirement of Commission Rule 1220-4-8.05 applied to its wholesale customers. In any event, KMC V has had no customers since September 2005.

Please provide me with affirmative notice via a letter or a Commission Order that this letter was sufficient to rescind KMC V's CPCN.

Please contact me at (908) 203-4609 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Robert Hagan, CFO

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