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Tennessee Regulatory Authority Attention Sharla Dillon 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

RE: Withdrawal for Application for Certificate to Provide Competing Local Telecommunications Service Docket 05-00142

Dear Ms. Dillon:

Please consider this letter as a formal request to withdraw our Application for Certificate to Provide Competing Local Telecommunications Service in the state of Tennessee.

Fred Roberts President

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Sincerely

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