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RE: Common Pointe Networks of Tennessee, LLC

Docket No. 06-00191

Dear Ms. Standley:

As previously arranged with Lisa Foust, enclosed for filing with the TRA please find an original and thirteen (13) copies of the above captioned company's sworn statement from an officer of Applicant's parent company, Common Pointe Networks, Inc.

Finally, enclosed is a duplicate of this filing. Please date-stamp the duplicate and return same to me in the enclosed postage-paid envelope.

Should you have any questions or concerns relating to this matter, please contact my assistant, Beth Ronfeldt, or me.

Very truly yours,

EARLY, LENNON, CROCKER & BARTOSIEWICZ, P.L.C.

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AFFIDAVIT OF JOHN BARNICLE

NOW COMES the affiant, John Barnicle, and after first being duly sworn on oath states as follows:

- 1. The information contained in this affidavit is true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.
 - 2. I am the Chief Executive Officer for Common Pointe Networks, Inc. ("CPNI").
- 3. Based on projections, Common Pointe Networks of Tennessee, LLC ("CPN-TN") should be a self-sustaining entity. However, to the extent funding becomes necessary CPNI will make the same available to CPN-TN on an immediate basis. Any investments from CPNI in CPN-TN will be in the form of equity. The subsidiary will not be indebted to the parent.

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•	whose name is subscribed on the foregoing Instrument, that he
• •	day in person, and acknowledged that he signed, sealed, and t as a free and voluntary act, for the uses and purposes set forth.
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GIVEN under my hand and notarial seal this <u>2 TH</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2006.

"OFFICIAL SEAL"
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My Commossion Exp. 05/05/2007