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January 17, 2008

Mr. John R. McLain, Chief Executive Officer
River Park Hospital
1559 Sparta Street
McMinnville, Tennessee 37110

Dear Mr. McLain,

Chairman Roberson asked me to respond to your January 8, 2008 letter concerning re-direction of service from Frontier Communications of Tennessee ("Frontier") to Ben Lomand Rural Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("Ben Lomand"). Your letter requested the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") to re-direct the local portion of two circuits entering the River Park Hospital, currently being provided by Frontier, to Ben Lomand. During my conversation with you last week I asked you some questions which you were unable to answer and you promised to have a member of your staff to contact me with answers to those questions.

Today I spoke with Mr. Jeff Johnson of your staff. During my conversation with Mr. Johnson, I realized that this matter is already before the Directors for resolution in TRA Docket No. 07-00073. Therefore, I am filing your January 8, 2008 letter in Docket File No. 07-00073 to become a part of that record since this issue will be resolved upon completion of the docket.

Sincerely,

Carsie D. Mundy
Chief, Consumer Services Division

Cc: Directors
Utilities Division
Legal Division
Docket File No. 07-00073