

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



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RE: Docket No. 07-00075: Petition of NuVox Communications, Inc. and Southern Digital Network, Inc. d/b/a FDN Communications for Authority to Provide Their Security in Connection with Financing

Dear Ms. Conway and Mr. Walker:

In order to fully analyze the above-referenced *Petition*, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA" or "Authority") requires additional information. Please provide the information requested below by April 20, 2007, and refer to this correspondence as Data Request No. 1 in the response.

1. Have NuVox Communications, Inc. and Southern Digital Network, Inc. d/b/a FDN Communications ("Petitioners") filed similar petitions in other states, and what is the status of any such petition?
2. Have Petitioners applied for approval for financing from any Federal agency? Have they notified any Federal Agency? If so, what is the status of any such petition or notification?
3. Will any Tennessee assets be pledged as collateral for debt issued?
4. Provide a complete copy of the terms and conditions for the financing described in the Petition.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please call Carlos Black at 615-741-2904, ext. 196, or email him at carlos.black@state.tn.us. Please respond by sending the original and 13 copies either by U.S. Mail or express mail. Alternatively, you may send the original and four (4) copies along with an electronic file to:

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