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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING AND OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Ms. Darlene Standley Utility Division Chief Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505 (615) 741-3939

Re:

dPi Teleconnect, LLC Docket No. 08-00114

Dear Ms. Standley:

Enclosed please find for filing an original and four (4) copies of the responses to Data Request No. 1 for dPi Teleconnect, LLC. This filing has been electronically submitted on May 12, 2009.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope.

If you have any questions or if I may provide you with additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

Lance J.M. Steinhart

Attorney for dPi Teleconnect, LLC

Enclosures

cc: Kelly King

1. Identify, by rate center, where in Tennessee dPi is currently providing local residential and business telecommunications services. Identify with each listed rate center whether services are provided by resale, by leased UNEs or both. Additionally, identify the number of lines where service is provided by UNE.

RESPONSE: dPi follows the provisioning wire centers of the Incumbent LEC. A LWC contract is in place with the Incumbent LEC and we will be using a combination of both Resale and UNE in all centers.

2. Provide copies of, or instruction on where to locate, dPi's current advertising of its services to Tennessee consumers. Further describe where the advertisements are being distributed and by whom and by what means.

RESPONSE: dPi Teleconnect service offerings can be viewed by logging on to our website at http://www.dpiteleconnect.com

You will also be able to find a payment/Vender location where our advertisements are distributed.

3. Describe in detail dPi's use of "unbundled network equivalents" obtained through agreements with the ILEC.

RESPONSE: When applicable dPi orders customer services thru "unbundled network elements" obtained thru the ILEC. We purchase both the loop and port for our customers.

4. Explain dPi's method of access and/or local service switching. If switching is obtained from another carrier by lease, what are dPi's transition plans for facilities based switching, if any?

RESPONSE: This is not applicable to the type of service provided by dPi.

5. Outline dPi's plans for ensuring its customers continue receiving telecommunications services should AT&T relinquish a particular service area and no other carrier assume such service area.

RESPONSE: dPi follows the Incumbents service areas. If AT&T relinquishes a particular service area and no other carrier assumes that area then we would no longer be able to service unless we are able to obtain a contact with a carrier which we could port the lines to.

6. Describe dPi's plans for demonstrating to the Authority that for those Lifeline customers served via resale of another carrier's services, dpi is not receiving the federal universal service Lifeline credit from the serving company and filing for credit with the Universal Service Administration Company.

RESPONSE: dPi has partnered with a third party Vendor for filing of our 497's. With this partner we have created procedures that safe guard our information so this does not happen. dPi's products are first labeled based on the type of Lifeline provisioning we are processing – "Resale Lifeline" vs. "ETC Lifeline" and validated before placing a customer on an eligible ETC file. Next we compare our ETC Lifeline customer base to the ILEC bill cost before submitting for a credit to USAC. If our process reveals a credit was received from the ILEC for any Lifeline services on account that customer is removed for review before being processed further.

7. dPi does not have a current Wireline Activity Report on file with the Authority. In accordance with the requirements established in Authority Docket No. 97-00309, dPi is required to file a Wireline Activity Report monthly. Submit a copy of dPi's most recent report. (Information concerning this report may be obtained by contacting John.Hutton@state.tn.us.)

RESPONSE: Please see attached.



WIRELINE ACTIVITY IN TENNESSEE CCN AUTHORITY

PS-0391 Rev 1/09				ardona de LOCIO SERVICES	
Lines In-Service as of	month ending1:	April Month	30 20 / Day / Ye		
Carrier Name <u>dPi</u>	Teleconnect, LLC	<u> </u>			
Name of person who	prepared data	Robert McCl	ain		
Telephone number o		•	(972) 488-5500 x40		
Please provide the n equivalent) including d in Tennessee in the fol	ligital and analog,	single line and m	iuiti-line, that your co	ines (64 kbps/ 4KHz ompany has in service	
		Number of Lines ²			
County	Resales	UNE ⁴	Own facilities ⁵	Total	
Residential	4348				
	4040	0	0	4348	
Total Business	4348	<u> </u>			

Provide an estimate of the investment to date by your company in telecommunications equipment and facilities that will be used to provide local telephone service in Tennessee. This estimate should include only facilities owned by your company and/or facilities leased for a term of five years or more. For purposes of this question, UNEs should not be considered as an investment in facilities.

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² Exclude lines provided to the residences of employees.

Total

Include Centrex stations purchased for resale (include in total and footnote separately).

⁴ Include lines in which at least one Unbundled Network Element (UNE) is used to provide service.

⁵ Include access lines provided over carrier's own loop facilities (copper, fiber, etc.) (no UNEs).

Authorized Signature:	5246CPV	
Date: <u>May 7, 2009</u>		`

¹ This report is to be filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority on the last day of each month and is to report data in service as of the last day of the proceeding month. For example, on June 30, companies will submit access line data as of May 31st.

Tennessee Counties

Counties A - G

Anderson County Bedford County Benton County Bledsoe County Blount County Bradley County Campbell County **Cannon County** Carroll County **Carter County** Cheatham County **Chester County** Claiborne County Clay County Cocke County Coffee County **Crockett County Cumberland County Davidson County Decatur County Dekalb County Dickson County Dyer County Fayette County Fentress County** Franklin County Gibson County Giles County **Grainger County** Greene County

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Counties H - N

Hamblen County Hamilton County Hancock County Hardeman County Hardin County **Hawkins County Haywood County** Henderson County **Henry County** Hickman County **Houston County Humphreys County Jackson County** Jefferson County Johnson County **Knox County** Lake County Lauderdale County Lawrence County **Lewis County** Lincoln County **Loudon County Macon County Madison County** Marion County Marshall County **Maury County** McMinn County McNairy County Meigs County Monroe County **Montgomery County** Moore County Morgan County

Counties O - W

Obion County Overton County Perry County Pickett County **Polk County Putnam County** Rhea County Roane County Robertson County **Rutherford County Scott County** Sequatchie County Sevier County **Shelby County** Smith County **Stewart County Sullivan County Sumner County Tipton County** Trousdale County **Unicol County Union County** Van Buren County Warren County Washington County Wayne County Weakley County White County Williamson County Wilson County

Wireline Activity in Tennessee

dPi Teleconnect LLC Data Month: April 2009

County	# of Resale Lines	# of UNE Lines		Total # of Lines
ANDERSON	156	0	0	156
BEDFORD	95	0	0	95
BENTON	18	0	0	18
BLOUNT	7	0	0	7
BRADLEY	55	0		55
CAMPBELL	246	0		246
CARROLL.	3	0		3
CARTER	8	0		8
CHEATHAM	38	0		
CLAIBORNE	43	<u> </u>		·
COCKE	112	0		
COFFEE	35	<u> </u>		
CROCKETT	2	<u>, I</u>		
DAVIDSON	366			
DICKSON	96			
DYER	127			.
FAYETTE	2		·	
FRANKLIN	26	S C		
GIBSON	137			
GILES	1.2			
GREENE	24	,, <u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>		
HAMBLEN	64		<u> </u>	
HAMILTON	92		M 4-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1-1	
HANCOCK				
HARDEMAN	4			<u> </u>
HARDIN		5		
HAWKINS	116	**************************************		116
HAYWOOD		9		9
HENDERSON		5		5
HENRY				
HICKMAN	4;			42
HUMPHREYS				0 7
JEFFERSON	2.			26
JOHNSON	1			11
KNOX	7.			74
LAKE	2			28
LAUDERDALE	16			0 164
LAWRENCE				
LEWIS	2			0 28
LINCOLN	10			0 10!
LOUDON	3	7	0	0 3

Wireline Activity in Tennessee

dPi Teleconnect LLC

Data Month: April 2009

County	# of Resale Lines	# of UNE Lines	Own Facilities	Total # of Lines
MADISON	24	0	0	2.4
MARION	6	0	0	6
MARSHALL	138	0	0	138
MAURY	229	0	0	229
MC MINN	34	0	0	34
MC NAIRY	1	0	0	<u> </u>
MEIGS	12	0	0	
MONROE	45	0	0	
MONTGOMERY	46	0		
MOORE	1	0	O	
OBION	27	0	C	27
POLK	4	C	C	,
RHEA	6	0	· ·	,
ROANE	50	C	(
ROBERTSON	127	C		<u>,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,</u>
RUTHERFORD	29	C	(<u></u>
SEVIER	19	C		
SHELBY	544	. (~
SMITH) (_ <u></u>
SULLIVAN	45	() (45
SUMNER	248	3		248
TIPTON	100			100
TROUSDALE	25	(25
UNICOI		3) 8
UNION		1	-1	0 4
WASHINGTON	39) (<u> </u>	39
WILLIAMSON	2.7	7	<u> </u>	27
WILSON	60	5 (0 66
Total:	434	3		0 4348