TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY



460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

February 4, 2009

Highland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. Attn: Mr. Frederick L. Terry General Manager 7840 Morgan County Highway Sunbright, TN 37872

RE: Application for State-issued Certificate of Franchise Authority

(TRA Docket No. 09-00016)

Dear Mr. Terry:

On January 30, 2009, the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") received your application on behalf of Highland Telephone Cooperative, Inc. for a state-issued certificate of franchise authority pursuant to Public Chapter No. 932, also known as the Competitive Cable and Video Services Act (the "CCVSA").

Upon review, it has been determined that the application complies with the statutory requirements of the CCVSA and is therefore complete. Further action will be taken on the application as delineated within the CCVSA. Should you have any questions or concerns in this matter, please contact me at (615) 741-2904 x150 or address listed above. Thank you for your interest and cooperation.

Sincerest Regards,

Lisa Cooper

Programs Manager