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Ms. Patsy Fulton
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
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Re: Request to waive customer notification

Ms. Fulton:

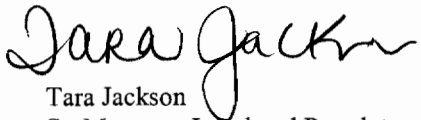
With this letter, Telecom of the South, Inc. dba Birch Communications is requesting to waive the required customer notification in the filing of the name change to Birch Telecom of the South, Inc. dba Birch Communications of the South.

As we previously mentioned in our February 20, 2009 letter, we believe sending a customer notification will only cause confusion to the customers. It should be noted that no changes will be made to the invoice.

We would appreciate being reviewed and placed on the agenda as quickly as possible and we continue to request an effective date of March 24, 2009.

Please call me at 816-300-1677 if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Yours very truly,


Tara Jackson
Sr. Manager, Legal and Regulatory

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