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August 13, 2009

Chairman Sara Kyle Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243-0505

RE: TRA Docket No. 09-00110 Section 254(e) Certification of Aeneas Communications, LLC Study Area Code 299013 To Receive USF Disbursements In Calendar Year 2010

Enclosed is the original and thirteen copies of the Certification Letter of Jonathan V. Harlan of Aeneas Communications, LLC ("Aeneas"), certifying that the company is in compliance with the requirements of Section 254(e) and the requirements established by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") in In The Matter of Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Fourteenth Report and Order, Twenty-Second Order on Reconsideration, and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking in CC Docket No 96-45 and Report and Order in CC Docket No. 00-256, CC Docket Nos. 96-45 and 00-256, FCC 01-157, released May 23, 2001. Also attached is a report regarding our 2008 support payments in response to Ms. Darlene Standley's August 4' 2009 request letter.

Based on the foregoing, Aeneas respectfully requests that the Tennessee Regulatory Authority certify by no later than October 1, 2009 to the FCC and the Universal Service Administration Company that Aeneas is in compliance with it's obligation under Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

In addition to this original, I am submitting a date "stamp and return" copy (and accompanying postage pre-paid, self addressed envelope) that I ask you to please use for this purpose. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact me at (731) 554-9200.

Sincerely,

George E. Tosh Chief Project Officer



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Dear Chairman Kyle,

I, Jonathan Harlan, Chief Executive Officer of Aeneas Communications, LLC ("Aeneas") do hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the following is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief:

- 1. I am the Chief Executive Officer of Aeneas;
- 2. Aeneas is subject to the jurisdiction of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority
- 3. The company is eligible for disbursements for the Federal Universal Service Fund ("USF") as prescribed by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") and
- 4. Aeneas will utilize its USF disbursements for high cost support (including any high-cost loop support, local switching support, high cost support received pursuant to the purchase of exchanges, high cost model support, and hold harmless support for which it is eligible) received in 2010 only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, consistent with Section 254(e) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

Sincerely,

Jonathan V. Harlan, CEO

## Aeneas Communications, LLC Universal Service Payments Received 2008

## Study Area Code 299013

		Lifeline &
	IAS	Linkup
January	\$0.00	\$0.00
February	\$0.00	\$0.00
March	\$0.00	\$0.00
April	\$0.00	\$0.00
May	\$0.00	\$0.00
June	\$0.00	\$0.00
July	\$0.00	\$0.00
August	\$0.00	\$0.00
September	\$0.00	\$0.00
October	\$0.00	\$0.00
November	\$0.00	\$0.00
December	\$0.00	\$0.00

Aeneas Communications, LLC ("Aeneas") is a facility based CLEC and does not make allocation of USF Funds.

Aeneas only received its ETC Designation in August of 2008 and did not start receiving Lifeline, Linkup, or IAS payments until January of 2009 due to the lengthy processed involved in establishing its accounts with the Universal Service Administration Company ("USAC").