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LMK Communications, LLC  
Joseph Isaacs, Director of Regulatory Affairs  
4274 Enfield Court, Suite 1600  
Palm Harbor, Florida 34685

RE: Docket No. 09-00117, *Application of LMK Communications, LLC for Authority to Provide Facilities-Based Competing Local and Interexchange Telecommunications Services in Tennessee*

Dear Mr. Isaacs,

CLEC applicants are required, by statute, to demonstrate their managerial, financial and technical abilities to provide the services for which they seek authority. To assist the Authority in its review of LMK Communications, LLC's application for Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to provide competing telecommunications service provider in Tennessee, you are requested to provide the following information:

1. Does LMK Communications, LLC intend to provide LifeLine and Link-Up discounts, white page directory listings and free 900/976 blocks to qualifying citizens in Tennessee?
2. The petition indicates that LMK is financially able to provide the services proposed as evidenced by the combined financial statements for LMK and its parent company. What are the terms, if any, associated with the amounts provided to LMK from Clarity Communications Group, Inc.?
3. The projections in Exhibit D.2 indicate that the funding provided to LMK by its parent company, Clarity Communications, over the next three years will result in substantial negative equity for Clarity. Clarify how Clarity will be able to fund LMK and sustain its own operations with the reflected lack of equity and negative cash flow.
4. Provide a bond or letter of credit in compliance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-125(j).
5. Provide biographical information for Mr. Joseph Isaacs, Director of Regulatory Affairs for the company.
6. Provide a sample bill.
7. The pre-filed testimony indicates that the company will utilize in-house marketing staff as well as outside salespersons and agents. Will either the in-house marketing staff or the outside salespersons or agents engage in telemarketing? If so, is the company aware of and willing to comply with Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-401 *et seq.*?

Please provide the above information by September 10, 2009. In accordance with TRA Rules, please submit either (1) thirteen written copies of your response or (2) four written copies and an electronic version and reference Docket No. 09-00117 on the correspondence. If you have questions concerning this request or need additional information, please contact Lisa Foust at 615-741-2904 extension 220.

Sincerely,

 For Darlene Standley

Darlene Standley  
Utilities Division Chief