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The Honorable Sara Kyle Chairman, Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, TN 37243

Dear Sara:

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After meeting this morning with representatives of Nexus Communications, I hope the TRA will try to address the problems between Nexus and the administrators of the federal "Lifeline" program as quickly as possible so that service to Nexus' consumers in Tennessee will not be interrupted.

I also hope you can explain to the federal regulators that Lifeline service to Nexus subscribers should continue until the TRA has made its decision.

Please contact me if you have any questions or if I can help in any way.

Sincerely,

Speaker Emeritus Jimmy Naifeh TN House of Representatives

cc: Director Kenneth Hill Director Mary Freeman