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Chairman, Tennessee Regulatory Authority
Attn: Sharla Dillon, Dockets
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Re: Smart Connections, Inc.
Docket No. 10-00128

Dear Ms. Dillon:

Enclosed please find for filing an original and four (4) copies of the responses to additional information requested for Smart Connections, Inc. This filing has been electronically submitted on August 12, 2010.

APPLICANT HAS ALSO ENCLOSED ONE COPY OF ITS RESPONSE TO QUESTION NO. 2 IN A SEPARATE ENVELOPE MARKED "CONFIDENTIAL AND PROPRIETARY" AND RESPECTFULLY REQUESTS CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF THE ENCLOSED FINANCIAL INFORMATION. APPLICANT EXPECTS THAT THIS INFORMATION WILL BE RESTRICTED TO COUNSEL, AGENTS AND EMPLOYEES WHO ARE SPECIFICALLY ASSIGNED TO THIS APPLICATION BY THE COMMISSION.

I have also enclosed an extra copy of this letter to be date stamped and returned to me in the enclosed, self-addressed, postage prepaid envelope.

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If you have any questions or if I may provide you with additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Heather Kirby". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Heather Kirby, Legal Assistant to
Lance J.M. Steinhart
Attorney for Smart Connections, Inc.

Enclosures

cc: Stephanie Brannon

Question No. 1 When did Smart Connections, Inc. obtain its certification to provide service in Kentucky?

RESPONSE: Smart Connections obtained its certification to Operate as a Local Exchange Telecommunications Carrier in the State of Kentucky on August 14, 2009.

Question No. 2 Provide projected financials for 2011, 2012, 2013.

RESPONSE: Please see attached Exhibit A, which is being filed in a separate sealed envelope as "Confidential and Proprietary."

Question No. 3 What sources of funding are available to Smart Connections, Inc. and what are the terms of those sources of funding?

RESPONSE: Smart Connections has access to private investors, personal capital, and banking relationships with a possible Small Business Administration (SBA) Loan.

Question No. 4 Will Ms. Brannon remain in her position with Lost Key Telecom, Inc., in addition to her position with Smart Connections, Inc.? Detail Ms. Brannon's daily responsibilities with Smart Connections, Inc. in regard to Tennessee operations.

RESPONSE: Mrs. Brannon will be resigning her position with Lost Key Telecom. In regard to Tennessee operations, Mrs. Brannon's daily responsibilities with Smart Connections involve serving as General Manager to oversee daily operations such as marketing, call center, provisioning and vendor relations.

Question No. 5 How will the company market its services in Tennessee? Is the company aware of and willing to abide by Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-405?

RESPONSE: Smart Connections will market its services in Tennessee using media of general distribution, including print media, post cards, internet, television, e-mail, and coupon packs. The company is aware of and willing to abide by Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-4-405.

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Question No. 6 How will Smart Connections, Inc. comply with Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114?

RESPONSE: Smart Connections is familiar with the county-wide calling requirements in Tenn. Code Ann. § 65-21-114. Smart Connections intends to address all interconnection requirements and procedures with AT&T, including the administration of a Tennessee County Wide Calling database, during the negotiation process and prior to the provision of local exchange service.

Exhibit A

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