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**TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY**

**460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505**

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July 7, 2010

Clay County  
ATTN: County Mayor Dale Reagan  
145 Cordell Hull  
Celina, TN 38551

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear County Mayor Reagan:

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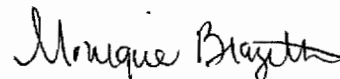
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
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July 7, 2010

DeKalb County  
ATTN: County Mayor Mike Foster  
#1 Public Square  
Room 204 Courthouse  
Smithville, TN 37166

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
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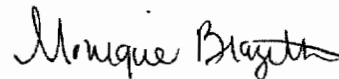
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
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July 7, 2010

Fentress County  
ATTN: County Executive John B. Mullinix  
101 S. Main St.  
Courthouse Square  
Jamestown, TN 38556

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear County Executive Mullinix:

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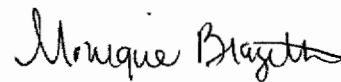
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July 7, 2010

Jackson County  
ATTN: County Executive Charlie Hix  
101 Hull St.  
Gainesboro, TN 38562

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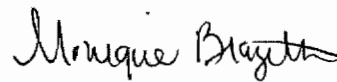
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460 James Robertson Parkway  
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July 7, 2010

Morgan County  
ATTN: County Executive Becky Ruppe  
P.O. Box 387  
Wartburg, TN 37887

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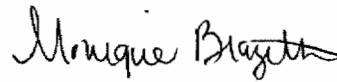
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Overton County  
ATTN: County Mayor Kenneth L. Copeland  
317 East University Street  
Suite 1  
Livingston, TN 38570

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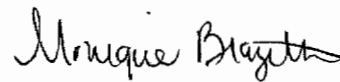
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Pickett County  
ATTN: County Executive Stephen Bilbrey  
1 Courthouse Square  
Suite 200  
Byrdstown, TN 38549

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear County Executive Bilbrey:

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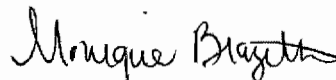
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Putnam County  
ATTN: County Executive Kim Blaylock  
300 East Spring Street  
Room 8  
Cookeville, TN 38501

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

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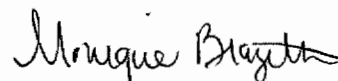
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Smith County  
ATTN: County Mayor Michael F. Nesbitt  
122 Turner High Circle  
Suite 100  
Carthage, TN 37030

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

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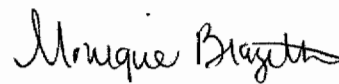
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Celina  
ATTN: Mayor Buddy Thompson  
145 Cordell Hull Drive  
P.O. Box 449  
Celina, TN 38551

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
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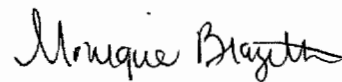
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460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

City of Jamestown  
ATTN: Mayor Gwenith Duncan  
314 East Central Avenue  
P. O. Box 670  
Jamestown, TN 38556

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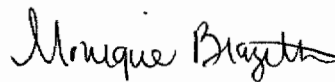
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

City of Allardt  
ATTN: Mayor Phillip Gernt  
2015 Michigan Avenue  
P. O. Box 159  
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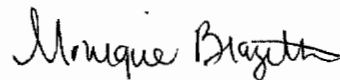
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Gainesboro  
ATTN: Mayor John R. Fox  
P. O. Box 594  
Gainesboro, TN 38562

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear Mayor Fox:

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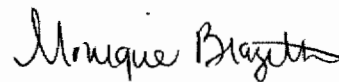
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Livingston  
ATTN: Mayor Curtis Hayes  
301 McHenry Circle  
Livingston, TN 38570

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear Mayor Hayes:

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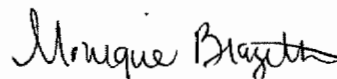
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Byrdstown  
ATTN: Mayor Billy Robins  
109 West Main  
P. O. Box 325  
Byrdstown, TN 38549

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

Dear Mayor Robins:

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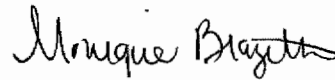
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Baxter  
ATTN: Mayor Jeff Wilhite  
200 Main Street  
P. O. Box 335  
Baxter, TN 38544

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
and **OFFICIAL REQUEST** for Information

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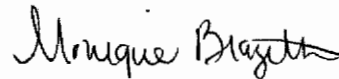
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

City of Cookeville  
ATTN: Mayor Sam Sallee  
45 East Broad Street  
P. O. Box 998  
Cookeville, TN 38501-0998

RE: **NOTICE** of TRA Receipt of Application for Certificate of Franchise Authority  
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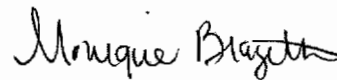
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## TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

460 James Robertson Parkway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37243-0505

July 7, 2010

Town of Monterey  
ATTN: Mayor Richard Godsey  
302 East Commercial Avenue  
Monterey, TN 38574

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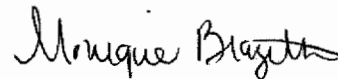
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Nashville, TN 37243**

If you have already forwarded this information to the TRA upon receipt of the notice from the applicant service provider in accordance with Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-309(a) of the CCVSA, please disregard this request. Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this matter, please feel free to contact me at (615) 741-2904 x208 or at the address listed above. Thank you for your cooperation and prompt attention in this matter.

Sincerest Regards,



Monique Brazelton  
Consumer Protection Specialist

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<sup>3</sup> Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-314(b)(2).

<sup>4</sup> Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-309(j).

<sup>5</sup> Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-309(b), a state-issued franchise holder must designate PEG channels within 90 days of beginning to offer service.

<sup>6</sup> Tenn. Code Ann. § 7-59-314(b)(1).