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Via Overnight Mail

Ms. Sharla Dillon, Docket Room Manager
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
Nashville, TN 37243

RE: Docket No. 10-00150: Application for Consent to the Transfer
Of Control of Tri-M Communications, Inc. d/b/a TMC Communications

Dear Ms. Dillon:

Enclosed please find an original and four (4) copies of the Responses to Staff's Data Request No. 1 issued July 28, 2010. Also enclosed is a copy of the filing on CD-ROM. The responses are set forth in the attachment.

An additional copy of this letter has been enclosed to be date stamped and returned in the envelope provided as evidence of the filing.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Leon Nowalsky *LN*

Enclosure

Docket No. 10-00150
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Communications

RESPONSES TO STAFF'S DATA REQUEST NO. 1

Question 1: Have the applicants filed a similar *Application* or Notice in other states. If so, provide a listing of states and action taken.

Answer 1: Yes. Please find below a list of the states and the action taken.

States which received an Application

Alabama, California, Georgia, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, New York, Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Tennessee, Vermont

States which received a Notice

Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, Montana, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, South Carolina, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

Question 2: Have the applicants made a similar filing with the FCC? If so, provide or list any action taken by the FCC and the associated docket number. If a schedule to complete the review of the application has been established by the FCC, provide such with your response.

Answer 2: Yes. The applicants filed three applications relative to this transaction, all of which are under review by FCC staff and have not yet been put on Public Notice. Once the filings have been placed on Public Notice a schedule for approval will be established.

The corresponding docket numbers are as follows:

ITC-T/C-20100820-00342, ITC-STA-20100820-00341, ITC T/C-20100823-00343

Question 3. Provide the number of customers in Tennessee that Tri-M Communications, Inc. d/b/a TMC Communications currently serves in Tennessee

Answer 3: The Company has seventeen (17) customers in the State of Tennessee.

Question 4: Provide a signed verification from the stockholders ("Michelle Cutlip" and "Michael E. Pfau, Trustee of the Melissa Marsch-Baker Trust U/D/T") verifying

the information contained in the Application is true to their best knowledge, information and belief.

Question 4: Please find enclosed the verification from Michael E. Pfau, Trustee of the Melissa Marsch-Baker Trust, U/D/T. The verification from Ms. Cutlip will be forwarded as soon as we receive it.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

VERIFICATION

I, Michael E. Pfau, am the Trustee of the Melissa Marsch-Baker Trust, U/D/T, Stockholder of Tri-M Communications, Inc. d/b/a TMC Communications, and am authorized to make this verification on its behalf. The statements made in the foregoing Application are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters which are therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true.

By: Michael E. Pfau
Name: Michael E. Pfau
Title: Trustee, Melissa Marsch-Baker Trust

Sworn to and subscribed before me, Notary Public, in and for the State and County named above, this 30th day of August, 2010.

Sherrie Lynne Martin
Notary Public

My commission expires: Nov. 6, 2011

