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VIA ELECTRONIC AND OVERNIGHT MAIL

James Allison, Chairman c/o Sharla Dillon, Dockets and Records Manager Tennessee Regulatory Authority 460 James Robertson Parkway Nashville, Tennessee 37243

Re: In re: Application of Bristol Tennessee Essential Services to Expand its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competitive Telecommunications Service Statewide – Docket No. 12-00060

Dear Ms. Dillon:

In accordance with the Notice of Filing entered in the above-referenced docket on May 29, 2013, CenturyLink hereby advises that is does not submit a reply to the recent Response of the Tennessee Cable Telecommunications Association. The lack of filing a reply should not be construed in any substantive manner as agreement to or against positions advanced by any party to this docketed proceeding.

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

Sincerely,

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cc:

All Parties on the Attached Certificate of Service

Misty Smith Kelley, Esquire

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct electronic copy has been forwarded to the following parties on this 4th day of June, 2013.

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