

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

April 24, 2013

IN RE:

**PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT
TO TRAFFIC EXCHANGE AGREEMENT BY AND
BETWEEN TDS TELECOM COMPANIES: CONCORD
TELEPHONE EXCHANGE, INC., HUMPHREYS COUNTY
TELEPHONE COMPANY, TELICO TELEPHONE
COMPANY AND TENNESSEE TELEPHONE COMPANY
AND CLEAR TALK (NTCH)**

**DOCKET NO.
13-00032**

**NOTICE OF APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT
TO TRAFFIC EXCHANGE AGREEMENT**

This Amendment to the Traffic Exchange Agreement (the "Amendment") negotiated between Concord Telephone Exchange, Inc., Humphreys County Telephone Company, Tellico Telephone Company, Inc. and Tennessee Telephone Company (collectively, "TDS Telecom") and NTCH-West Tenn, Inc. d/b/a Clear Talk was filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority" or "TRA") on February 7, 2013.¹ The Amendment was negotiated pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252. The Amendment has been reviewed, and no portion discriminates against a telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the agreement.

A Notice was filed by the Authority on April 9, 2013 advising that the Amendment would be deemed approved by the Authority within ten business days of the filing of the Notice unless an objection to the Amendment was filed with the Authority. No objection to the Amendment has been received by the Authority.

Pursuant to the Notice and absent any objection having been filed with the Authority, the Amendment is approved effective as of April 23, 2013.

ATTEST:



Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director

¹ The original interconnection agreement was filed and approved in Docket No. 09-00112.