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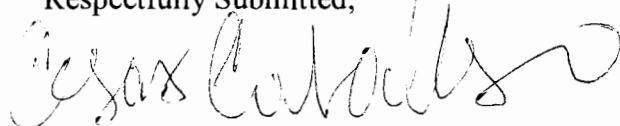
Re: Docket No.: \_\_\_\_\_  
Windstream Norlight, LLC's Notice of Intent to Relinquish Designation as an  
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

Dear Chairman:

This letter serves as formal notice that Windstream Norlight, LLC ("Windstream") is relinquishing its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") designation in Tennessee pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 214(e)(4). Windstream currently does not have any customers receiving Lifeline benefits. In addition all of Windstream's residential customers were transferred to Talk America Services, LLC ("TAS") as part of the spin-off transaction discussed in TAS' Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") on October 27, 2014. The TRA granted TAS a CPNC on April 29, 2015. Windstream requests that its ETC designation be relinquished as of the date of this letter.

If you have questions regarding this filing, please contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,



Cesar Caballero