

TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

502 Deaderick Street, 4th Floor
Nashville, Tennessee 37243

January 25, 2017

R. Dale Grimes
Bass Berry & Sims PLC
150 Third Avenue S. Ste 2800
Nashville, Tennessee 37201

RE: Docket No. 17-00007, *Application of United Communications, Inc. for a Certificate to Provide Competing Local Telecommunications Services in Tennessee*

Dear Mr. Grimes:

CLEC applicants are required, by statute, to demonstrate their managerial, financial and technical abilities to provide the services for which they seek authority. To assist the Authority in its review of United Communication, Inc.'s application for certificate of convenience and necessity to provide competing local telecommunications services in Tennessee, you are requested to provide the following:

- 1) Pursuant to TCA §65-4-125(j), provide the original bond issued by Liberty Mutual Insurance Company including the Acknowledgment Page and Power of Attorney.

It is requested that this information be provided no later than 2:00 pm on February 8, 2017 and that you reference Docket Number 17-00007 on the response. In accordance with TRA rules submit either (1) thirteen written copies of your response or (2) four written copies and an electronic version. Should you have questions regarding this request, please contact Lisa Foust at 615-770-6886.

Sincerely,



David Foster
Utilities Division Chief

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