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March 26, 2019

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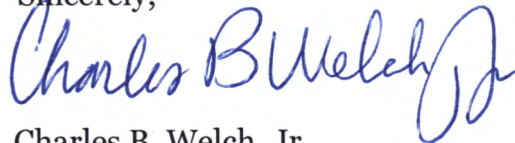
**RE:                    *ExteNet Asset Entity LLC - Petition for Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Docket No. #19-00023***

Dear Ms. Lawless:

Attached please find an Original Surety Bond and four (4) copies of same to be filed with TPUC in the above matter.

If you have any questions with respect to this instrument or if I may otherwise be of assistance, please call me.

Sincerely,



Charles B. Welch, Jr.

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# TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

19-00023

## TENNESSEE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER'S SURETY BOND

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Bond #: 0753322

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**WHEREAS**, ExteNet Asset Entity LLC

T.P.U.C. DOCKET ROOM (the "Principal"), has

applied to the Tennessee Regulatory Authority for authority to provide telecommunications services in the State of Tennessee; and

**WHEREAS**, under the provisions of Title 65, Chapter 4, Section 125(j) of the Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, the Principal is required to file this bond in order to obtain such authority and to secure the payment of any monetary sanction imposed in any enforcement proceeding brought under Title 65 of the Tennessee Code Annotated or the Consumer Telemarketing Act of 1990 by or on behalf of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "TRA"); and

**WHEREAS**, International Fidelity Insurance Company

(the "Surety"), a corporation licensed to do business in the State of Tennessee and duly authorized by the Tennessee Commissioner of Insurance to engage in the surety business in this state pursuant to Title 56, Chapter 2 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, has agreed to issue this bond in order to permit the Principal to comply with the provisions of Title 65, Chapter 4, Section 125(j) of the Tennessee Code Annotated;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT KNOWN**, that we the Principal and the Surety are held and firmly bound to the STATE OF TENNESSEE, in accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 65, Chapter 4, Section 125(j), in the full amount of twenty thousand dollars (\$20,000.00) lawful money of the United States of America to be used for the full and prompt payment of any monetary sanction imposed against the Principal, its representatives, successors or assigns, in any enforcement proceeding brought under Title 65 of Tennessee Code Annotated or the Consumer Telemarketing Act of 1990, by or on behalf of the TRA, for which obligation we bind ourselves, our representatives, successors and assigns, each jointly and severally, firmly and unequivocally by these presents.

This bond shall become effective on the 19th day of March, 2019, and shall be continuous; provided, however, that each annual renewal period or portion thereof shall constitute a new bond term. Regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force, the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative, and the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims, suits or actions under this bond shall not exceed Twenty Thousand Dollars (\$20,000.00). The Surety may cancel this bond by giving thirty (30) days written notice of such cancellation to the TRA and Principal by certified mail, it being understood that the Surety shall not be relieved of liability that may have accrued under this bond prior to the date of cancellation.

### PRINCIPAL

ExteNet Asset Entity LLC

Name of Company authorized by the TRA

### SURETY

International Fidelity Insurance Company

Name of Surety

One Newark Center Newark, NJ 07102-5207

Company ID # as assigned by TRA

Address of Surety

SIGNATURE OF PRINCIPAL

Name:

Title:



SIGNATURE OF SURETY AGENT

Name: William T. Krumm

Title: Attorney-in-Fact

Address of Surety Agent:

One Newark Center

Newark, NJ 07102-5207

**THIS BOND IS ISSUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 125, CHAPTER 4, TITLE 65 OF THE TENNESSEE CODE ANNOTATED AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER NO. 586, 2000 PUBLIC ACTS. SHOULD THERE BE ANY CONFLICT WITH THE TERMS HEREOF AND THE STATUTE OR REGULATIONS PROMULGATED THEREUNDER, THE STATUTE OR REGULATIONS SHALL PREVAIL. (POWER OF ATTORNEY FROM AN APPROVED INSURANCE COMPANY MUST BE ATTACHED.)**

# ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF PRINCIPAL

STATE OF Illinois  
COUNTY OF DePage

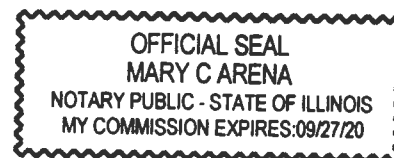
Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Daniel L. Timm with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the individual who executed the foregoing bond on behalf of ExteNet Asset Entity LLC, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of MARCH, 2019.

My Commission Expires:

Sept 27, 20

Mary C. Arena  
Notary Public



## ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY

STATE OF Illinois  
COUNTY OF Cook

Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared William T. Krumm with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the individual who executed the foregoing bond on behalf of International Fidelity Insurance Company, the within named Surety, a corporation licensed to do business in the State of Tennessee and duly authorized by the Tennessee Commissioner of Insurance to engage in the surety business in this state pursuant to Title 56, Chapter 2 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, and that he as such an individual being authorized to do so, executed the foregoing bond, by signing the name of the corporation by himself and as such individual.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 19th day of March, 2019.

My Commission Expires:

June 25, 2020

Christina Laurendi  
Notary Public  
Christina Laurendi

## APPROVAL AND INDORSEMENT

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing bond and found the same to be sufficient and in conformity to law, that the sureties on the same are good and worth the penalty thereof, and that the same has been filed with the Tennessee Regulatory Authority, State of Tennessee, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_.

Name:

Title:

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**  
**INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY**  
**ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY**

One Newark Center, 20<sup>th</sup> Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07102-5207 PHONE: (973) 624-7200

Bond # 0753322

Principal ExteNet Asset Entity LLC

Obligee Tennessee Public Utility Commission

**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY**, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, and **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY** a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of New Jersey, having their principal office in the City of Newark, New Jersey, do hereby constitute and appoint

**William T. Krumm**

their true and lawful attorney(s)-in-fact to execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf as surety, any and all bonds and undertakings, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, which are or may be allowed, required or permitted by law, statute, rule, regulation, contract or otherwise, and the execution of such instrument(s) in pursuance of these presents, shall be as binding upon the said **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** and **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY**, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if the same had been duly executed and acknowledged by their regularly elected officers at their principal offices.

This Power of Attorney is executed, and may be revoked, pursuant to and by authority of the By-Laws of **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** and **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY** and is granted under and by authority of the following resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** at a meeting duly held on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010 and by the Board of Directors of **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY** at a meeting duly held on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2015:

"**RESOLVED**, that (1) the Chief Executive Officer, President, Executive Vice President, Vice President, or Secretary of the Corporation shall have the power to appoint, and to revoke the appointments of, Attorneys-in-Fact or agents with power and authority as defined or limited in their respective powers of attorney, and to execute on behalf of the Corporation and affix the Corporation's seal thereto, bonds, undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other written obligations in the nature thereof or related thereto; and (2) any such Officers of the Corporation may appoint and revoke the appointments of joint-control custodians, agents for acceptance of process, and Attorneys-in-fact with authority to execute waivers and consents on behalf of the Corporation; and (3) the signature of any such Officer of the Corporation and the Corporation's seal may be affixed by facsimile to any power of attorney or certification given for the execution of any bond, undertaking, recognizance, contract of indemnity or other written obligation in the nature thereof or related thereto, such signature and seals when so used whether heretofore or hereafter, being hereby adopted by the Corporation as the original signature of such officer and the original seal of the Corporation, to be valid and binding upon the Corporation with the same force and effect as though manually affixed."

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** and  
**ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY** have each executed and attested these presents  
on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018



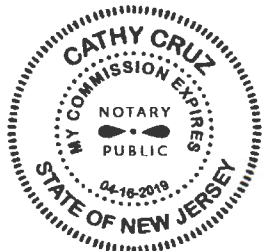
STATE OF NEW JERSEY  
County of Essex

George R. James

Executive Vice President (International Fidelity Insurance Company) and  
Vice President (Allegheny Casualty Company)



On this 4<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2018, before me came the individual who executed the preceding instrument, to me personally known, and, being by me duly sworn, said he is the therein described and authorized officer of **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** and of **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY**; that the seals affixed to said instrument are the Corporate Seals of said Companies; that the said Corporate Seals and his signature were duly affixed by order of the Boards of Directors of said Companies.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand affixed my Official Seal, at the City of Newark,  
New Jersey the day and year first above written.

Cathy Cruz a Notary Public of New Jersey  
My Commission Expires April 16, 2019

**CERTIFICATION**

I, the undersigned officer of **INTERNATIONAL FIDELITY INSURANCE COMPANY** and **ALLEGHENY CASUALTY COMPANY** do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy of the Power of Attorney and affidavit, and the copy of the Sections of the By-Laws of said Companies as set forth in said Power of Attorney, with the originals on file in the home of said companies, and that the same are correct transcripts thereof, and of the whole of the said originals, and that the said Power of Attorney has not been revoked and is now in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2019.

Maria H. Branco, Assistant Secretary