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February 24, 2022 Via Overnight Delivery

Ms. Darlene K. Standley, Asst. Chief - Telecommunications Tennessee Public Utility Commission 502 Deaderick Street 4th Floor Nashville, TN 37243

RE: US Signal Company, LLC

Original Surety Bond # S029162

Docket 2200014

Dear Ms. Standley:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and thirteen (13) copies of Surety Bond No. S029162, effective February 16, 2022, submitted on behalf of US Signal Company, LLC.

Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for that purpose.

Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3002 or via email to cwightman@inteserra.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Connie Wightman
Consultant

tms:

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Enclosures CW/kb

TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

TENNESSEE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE PROVIDER'S SURETY BOND

Bond #: S029162	
WHEREAS, US Signal Company LLC	(the "Principal"), has
applied to the Tennessee Public Utility Commission for	r authority to provide telecommunications services in the State of Tennessee; and
required to file this bond in order to obtain such author	r 4, Section 125(j) of the Tennessee Code Annotated, as amended, the Principal is brity and to secure the payment of any monetary sanction imposed in any enforcement ode Annotated or the Consumer Telemarketing Act of 1990 by or on behalf of the and
WHEREAS, Employers Mutual Casualty Comp	pany
Insurance to engage in the surety business in this stat	in the State of Tennessee and duly authorized by the Tennessee Commissioner of the pursuant to Title 56, Chapter 2 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, has agreed to only with the provisions of Title 65, Chapter 4, Section 125(j) of the Tennessee Code
accordance with the provisions of Tennessee Code Andollars (\$20,000.00) lawful money of the United States imposed against the Principal, its representatives, su Tennessee Code Annotated or the Consumer Telemar ourselves, our representatives, successors and assigns, This bond shall become effective on the 16th annual renewal period or portion thereof shall constitute the liability of the Surety shall not be cumulative, and to	ncipal and the Surety are held and firmly bound to the STATE OF TENNESSEE, in notated, Title 65, Chapter 4, Section 125(j), in the full amount of twenty thousand is of America to be used for the full and prompt payment of any monetary sanction accessors or assigns, in any enforcement proceeding brought under Title 65 of keting Act of 1990, by or on behalf of the TPUC, for which obligation we bind each jointly and severally, firmly and unequivocally by these presents. _day of February, 2022 and shall be continuous; provided, however, that each a new bond term. Regardless of the number of years this bond may remain in force, the aggregate liability of the Surety for any and all claims, suits or actions under this
	00.00). The Surety may cancel this bond by giving thirty (30) days written notice of d mail, it being understood that the Surety shall not be relieved of liability that may ellation.
PRINCIPAL	SURETY
US Signal Company LLC	Employers Mutual Casualty Company
Name of Company authorized by the TPUC	Name of Surety
	1815 South Meyers Rd, OakBrook Terrace, IL. 60181
Company ID # as assigned by TPUC	Address of Surety
SIGNATURE OF PRINCIPAL	SIGNATURE OF SURETY AGENT
Name:	Name: Laura J. Northouse
Fitle:	Title: Attorney-In-Fact
	Address of Surety Agent: 5738 Foremost Dr SE
	Grand Rapids, MI. 49546

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 TENNESSEE COUNTY OF	
Before me, a Notary Public of the State and with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged bond on behalf of, and he acknowledged	
WITNESS my hand and seal thisday of	
My Commission Expires:	
, 20	
	Notary Public
ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF SURETY	,
STATE OF TENNESSEE COUNTY OF State of Michigan, County of Kent	
Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, per with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknown foregoing bond on behalf of Employers Mutual Casualty Company, the within nar State of Tennessee and duly authorized by the Tennessee Commissioner of pursuant to Title 56, Chapter 2 of the Tennessee Code Annotated, and the executed the foregoing bond, by signing the name of the corporation by him	owledged himself to be the individual who executed the med Surety, a corporation licensed to do business in the Insurance to engage in the surety business in this state at he as such an individual being authorized to do so, mself and as such individual.
WITNESS my hand and seal this 16th day of February	
My Commission Expires: 9/18/3027, 2000	Notary Public, State of Michigan
	Ottawa County
	My Commission Expires Sept. 18, 2027
APPROVAL AND INDORSEMENT	Acting in Kent County
This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing bond and found the saureties on the same are good and worth the penalty thereof, and that Utility Commission, State of Tennessee, thisday of, 20	the same has been filed with the Tennessee Public
Name: Title:	,



P.O. Box 712 • Des Molnes, Iowa 50306-0712

POWER OF ATTORNEY APPOINTING INDIVIDUAL ATTORNEY-IN-FACT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, that:

- 1. Employers Mutual Casualty Company, an Iowa Corporation
- 2. EMCASCO Insurance Company, an lowa Corporation
- 3. Union Insurance Company of Providence, an Iowa Corporation

- 4. Illinois EMCASCO Insurance Company, an Iowa Corporation
- 5. Dakota Fire Insurance Company, a North Dakota Corporation
- 6. EMC Property & Casualty Company, an Iowa Corporation

hereinafter referred to severally as "Company" and collectively as "Companies", each does, by these presents, make, constitute and appoint:

LAURA J. NORTHOUSE

its true and lawful attorney-in-fact, with full power and authority conferred to sign, seal, and execute the following Surety Bond(s):

Surety Bond

Principal:

Number

US Signal Company, LLC

Obligee:

Tennessee Public Utility

Commission

S029162

In an amount not exceeding Ten Million Dollars \$10,000,000.00

and to bind each Company thereby as fully and to the same extent as if such instruments were signed by the duly authorized officers of each such Company, and all of the acts of said attorney pursuant to the authority hereby given are hereby ratified and confirmed.

AUTHORITY FOR POWER OF ATTORNEY

This Power-of-Attorney is made and executed pursuant to and by the authority of the following resolution of the Boards of Directors of each of the Companies at the first regularly scheduled meeting of each company duly called and held in 1999:

RESOLVED: The President and Chief Executive Officer, any Vice President, the Treasurer and the Secretary of Employers Mutual Casualty Company shall have power and authority to (1) appoint attorneys-in-fact and authorize them to execute on behalf of each Company and attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof; and (2) to remove any such attorney-in-fact at any time and revoke the power and authority given to him or her. Attorneys-in-fact shall have power and authority, subject to the terms and limitations of the power-of-attorney issued to them, to execute and deliver on behalf of the Company, and to attach the seal of the Company thereto, bonds and undertakings, recognizances, contracts of indemnity and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such instrument executed by any such attorney-in-fact shall be fully and in all respects binding upon the Company. Certification as to the validity of any power-of-attorney authorized herein made by an officer of Employers Mutual Casualty Company shall be fully and in all respects binding upon this Company. The facsimile or mechanically reproduced signature of such officer, whether made heretofore or hereafter, wherever appearing upon a certified copy of any power-of-attorney of the Company, shall be valid and binding upon the Company with the same force and effect as though manually affixed.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, the Companies have caused these presents to be signed for each by their officers as shown, and the Corporate seals to be hereto affixed this

30th day of

March

. 2020 .

Seals

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Scott R. Jean, President & CEO of Company 1; Chairman, President & CEO of Companies 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6

Todd Strother, Executive Vice President Chief Legal Officer & Secretary of Companies 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6

2020 before me a Notary Public in and for the State On this 30th day of March of Iowa, personally appeared Scott R. Jean and Todd Strother, who, being by me duly swom, did say that they are, and are known to me to be the CEO, Chairman, President, Executive Vice President, Chief Legal Officer and/or Secretary, respectively, of each of the Companies above; that the seals affixed to this instrument are the seals of said corporations; that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of each of the Companies by authority of their respective Boards of Directors; and that the said Scott R. Jean and Todd Strother, as such officers, acknowledged the execution of said instrument to be their voluntary act and deed, and the voluntary act and deed of each of the Companies.

My Commission Expires October 10, 2022.

Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa

CERTIFICATE

I, James D. Clough, Vice President of the Companies, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution of the Boards of Directors by each of the Companies, and this Power of Attorney issued pursuant thereto on 30th day of March , 2020 , are true and correct and are still in full force and effect.

In Testimony Whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed the facsimile seal of each Company this 16th day of

2022 .

Vice President

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