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March 22, 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
Docket No. 22-00014
Original Surety Bond # S029162 and Certificate of Existence/Authorization**

Dear Ms. Standley:

Enclosed for filing please find the original and thirteen (13) copies of the above-mentioned Surety Bond No. S029162, effective February 16, 2022, and Certificate of Existence/Authorization issued by TN Secretary of State 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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Connie Wightman', is written over a printed name and title.

Connie Wightman
Consultant

tms: TNx2201b

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 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 Public Utility Commission (the "TPUC"); and

WHEREAS, Employers Mutual Casualty 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 TPUC, 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 16th day of February, 2022 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 TPUC 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

US Signal Company LLC
Name of Company authorized by the TPUC

Company ID # as assigned by TPUC

SIGNATURE OF PRINCIPAL

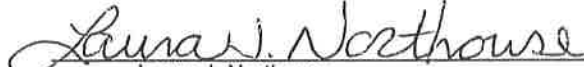

Name: Ryan Johnson
Title: VP Finance

SURETY

Employers Mutual Casualty Company
Name of Surety

1815 South Meyers Rd, OakBrook Terrace, IL 60181
Address of Surety

SIGNATURE OF SURETY AGENT


Name: Laura J. Northouse
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~~ Michigan
COUNTY OF Kent

Before me, a Notary Public of the State and County aforesaid, personally appeared Ryan Schmitt with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the individual who executed the foregoing bond on behalf of US Signal Company LLC, and he acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

WITNESS my hand and seal this 17 day of March, 2022.

My Commission Expires:

March 12, 2028

Jodi L Mitts
Notary Public

JODI L MITTS
NOTARY PUBLIC - STATE OF MICHIGAN
COUNTY OF KENT
My Commission Expires March 12, 2028

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, personally appeared Laura J. Northouse with whom I am personally acquainted and who, upon oath, acknowledged himself to be the individual who executed the foregoing bond on behalf of Employers Mutual Casualty 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 16th day of February, 2022.

My Commission Expires:

9/18/2027, 2000

V. Jean Nolf
Notary Public
Notary Public, State of Michigan
Ottawa County

My Commission Expires Sept. 18, 2027
Acting in Kent County

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 Public Utility Commission, State of Tennessee, this _____ day of _____, 20 ____.

Name:
Title:

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 Iowa 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.

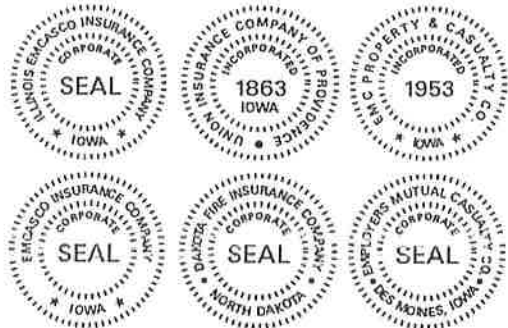
AUTHORITY FOR POWER OF ATTORNEY

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



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

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

On this 30th day of March, 2020 before me a Notary Public in and for the State of Iowa, personally appeared Scott R. Jean and Todd Strother, who, being by me duly sworn, 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.

Kathy Loveridge
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 February, 2022.

James D. Clough
Vice President



Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

Division of Business Services
Department of State
State of Tennessee
312 Rosa L. Parks AVE, 6th FL
Nashville, TN 37243-1102

INTESERRA INC.
KRISTINA BECK
SUITE 450
151 SOUTHHALL LANE
MAITLAND, FL 32751

March 14, 2022

Request Type: Certificate of Existence/Authorization

Request #: 0465133

Issuance Date: 03/14/2022

Copies Requested: 1

Document Receipt

Receipt #: 007013960

Filing Fee: \$20.00

Payment-Credit Card - State Payment Center - CC #: 3825216246

\$20.00

Regarding: US SIGNAL COMPANY, L.L.C.

Filing Type: Limited Liability Company - Foreign

Formation/Qualification Date: 09/30/2021

Status: Active

Duration Term: Perpetual

Control #: 1242844

Date Formed: 05/25/2000

Formation Locale: MICHIGAN

Inactive Date:

CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORIZATION

I, Tre Hargett, Secretary of State of the State of Tennessee, do hereby certify that effective as of the issuance date noted above

US SIGNAL COMPANY, L.L.C.

* is a Limited Liability Company formed in the jurisdiction set forth above and is authorized to transact business in this State;

* has paid all fees, interest, taxes and penalties owed to this State (as reflected in the records of the Secretary of State and the Department of Revenue) which affect the existence/authorization of the business;

* has appointed a registered agent and registered office in this State;

* has not filed an Application for Certificate of Withdrawal.

Tre Hargett
Secretary of State

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