

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 10, 2022

IN RE:

PETITION FOR APPROVAL OF THE RESALE)	
FORBEARANCE AMENDMENT TO THE)	DOCKET NO.
INTERCONNECTION AGREEMENT BETWEEN)	22-00091
CENTURYTEL OF CLAIBORNE, INC. D/B/A CENTURYLINK)	
CLAIBORNE AND METROPOLITAN)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS OF TENNESSEE, INC. D/B/A)	
MELTEL)	

**NOTICE OF AMENDMENT TO INTERCONNECTION
AGREEMENT DEEMED APPROVED**

On September 27, 2022, a Amendment to the Interconnection Agreement (the “Amendment”) negotiated between CenturyTel of Claiborne, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink Claiborne and Metropolitan Telecommunications of Tennessee, Inc. d/b/a MetTel was filed with the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (the “Commission”).¹ The Amendment was negotiated pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §§ 251 and 252. Upon review, it has been determined that no portion of the Amendment discriminates against a telecommunications carrier that is not a party to the agreement.

The Commission issued a Notice on November 1, 2022 that the Amendment would be deemed approved within ten days of the filing date of the Notice unless an objection to the Amendment was filed with the Commission. To-date no objection to the Amendment has been filed with the Commission. Therefore, in accordance with the Notice and absent any objection having been filed with the Commission, the Amendment is approved effective November 11, 2022.

ATTEST:



Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director

¹ The original interconnection agreement was filed and approved in Docket No. 13-00103.