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NOTICE OF NON-STREAMLINED DOMESTIC 214 APPLICATION GRANTED

WC Docket No. 17-158

By this Public Notice, the Wireline Bureau Competition Bureau (Bureau) grants the domestic wireline application filed by Radiate Holdings, L.P. (Radiate Holdings) and Wave Holdco, LLC (Wave Holdco) (together, Applicants), pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 214, and Sections 0.91, 0.291, and 63.03 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR §§ 0.91, 0.291, and 63.03, requesting consent to transfer control of authorizations held by Wave Holdco to Radiate Holdings.¹ No comments were filed in opposition to a grant of the Application.

Wave Holdco wholly owns subsidiaries (collectively, Wave) that operate fiber-based distribution networks in California, Oregon, and Washington. The Wave entities provide cable television, competitive telecommunications services, and other services.² Radiate Holdings controls cable systems operated by RCN Telecom Services, LLC (RCN) and Grande Communications Networks LLC (Grande). RCN and Grande provide cable television, competitive telecommunications services, and other services in the District of Columbia, Illinois, Massachusetts, Maryland, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and Texas.³

The Bureau finds, upon consideration of the record, that grant of the Application will serve the public interest, convenience, and necessity and therefore grants the requested authorization.⁴ Pursuant to Section 1.103 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR § 1.103, the consent granted herein is effective upon the release of the Public Notice. Petitions for reconsideration under Section 1.106 or applications for review under Section 1.115 of the Commission's rules, 47 CFR §§ 1.106, 1.115, may be filed within 30 days of the date of this Public Notice.

¹ See 47 U.S.C. § 214; 47 CFR § 63.03. Consolidated Applications to Transfer Control of Domestic and International Section 214 Authorizations, WC Docket No. 17-158 (filed June 7, 2017) (Application); Applications Filed for the Transfer of Control of Wave Holdco, LLC to Radiate Holdings, L.P., Public Notice, DA 17-621 (WCB/IB/MB/WTB 2017).

² Application at 2.

³ *Id.* at 1.

⁴ 47 CFR § 63.03(b); see *Implementation of Further Streamlining Measures for Domestic Section 214 Authorizations*, Report and Order, 17 FCC Rcd 5517, 5531-33, paras. 28, 30 (2002); *Applications Filed for the Transfer of Control of tw telecom inc. to Level 3 Communications, Inc.*, Memorandum Opinion and Order, 29 FCC Rcd 12842, 12847, para. 14 (WCB/IB 2014) (finding that the combination of two competitive local exchange carriers (LECs) with complimentary networks could be a stronger competitor to incumbent LECs and large national providers, thereby resulting in benefits for consumers).

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