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Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-58, Annual State Certification of Support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, the Georgia Public Service Commission hereby certifies to the Federal Communications Commission and the Universal Service Administrative Company that the telecommunications carriers included in this letter are eligible to receive federal high-cost support for the program years cited.

The Georgia Public Service Commission certifies for the carriers listed all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within Georgia was used in the preceding calendar year (2016) and will be used in the coming calendar year (2018) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.¹

Company Name	Study Area Code

Check X if list of certified carriers is attached.

¹ 47 C.F.R. §54.314(a) ("Certification. States that desire eligible telecommunications carriers to receive support pursuant to the highcost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within that State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. High-cost support shall only be provided to the extent that the State has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.").

Signed,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stan Wise", written over a horizontal line.

Stan Wise
Chairman

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Company Name
BellSouth Telecommunications, LLC d/b/a AT&T Georgia
Alma Telephone Company
Brantley Telephone Company, Inc.
Bulloch County Rural Telephone Cooperative
Chickamauga Telephone Corporation
Citizens Telephone Company, Inc.
Coastal Utilities, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink
ComSouth Telecommunications, Inc.
Darien Telephone Co., Inc.
Ellijay Telephone Company
Frontier Communications of Fairmount, Inc.
Frontier Communications of Georgia, Inc.
Glenwood Telephone Company
Hart Telephone Company
Knology of the Valley, Inc. d/b/a WOW! Internet, Cable and Phone
Pembroke Telephone Company, Inc.
Pineland Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
Plant Telephone Company
Planters Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
Progressive Rural Telephone Co-op, Inc.
Public Service Telephone Company
Trenton Telephone Company
Waverly Hall Telephone, LLC
Wilkes Telephone & Electric Company
Blue Ridge Telephone Company
Camden Telephone & Telegraph Co., Inc.
Nelson-Ball Ground Telephone Company
Quincy Telephone Company
Windstream Accucomm Telecommunications, L.L.C.
Windstream Georgia Communications, L.L.C.
Windstream Georgia, L.L.C.
Windstream Georgia Telephone, L.L.C.
Georgia Windstream, L.L.C.
Windstream Standard, L.L.C.
Ringgold Telephone Company
Cox Georgia Telcom, LLC d/b/a Cox Communications
Southern Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a SouthernLINC Wireless