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February 27, 2015

**VIA ECFS**

Marlene Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW  
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: Special Access Data Collection, WC Docket No. 05-25, RM-10593

Dear Secretary Dortch:

Lynx Network Group, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as “Lynx”), hereby submits its redacted Confidential and Highly Confidential responses for public review to the data collection pursuant to the Data Collection Protective Order in the above proceeding.<sup>1</sup>

Lynx’s responses have been submitted via the Special Access Web Portal.

Any questions or concerns you may have regarding this filing, please contact me at (269) 585-1012 or via email at [tschneider@lynxnetworkgroup.com](mailto:tschneider@lynxnetworkgroup.com).

Sincerely,

/s/ Theresa M. Schneider

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<sup>1</sup> *Special Access for Price Cap Local Exchange Carriers; AT&T Corporation Petition for Rulemaking to Reform Regulation of Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier Rates for Interstate Special Access Services, WC Docket No. 05-25, RM-10593, Order and Data Collection Protective Order, DA 14-1424.*

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**EXPLANATORY ATTACHMENT**

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**II.A.5: Fiber Network Map**

Provide a map showing the fiber routes that you (a) own or (b) lease pursuant to an IRU agreement that constitute your network, including the fiber Connections to Locations. In addition, include the locations of all Nodes used to interconnect with third party networks, and the year that each Node went live.

**RESPONSE:**

Lynx submitted Fiber Network Map and Nodes via the Special Access Web Portal.



RESPONSE:

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- c. In areas where your business rule has been most successful, explain why. Provide examples of geographic regions (if any) where you generally were or are able to successfully deploy *Connections*, and where you generally have experienced or currently experience serious difficulties in deploying *Connections*, and, if you are able to provide examples of both kinds of regions, indicate what distinguishes these different regions.

RESPONSE:

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**II.A.10: Geographic Areas Marketed**

Provide data, maps, information, marketing materials, and/or documents identifying those geographic areas where you, or an *Affiliated Company*, advertised or marketed *Dedicated Service* over existing facilities, via leased facilities, or by building out new facilities as of December 31, 2013, or planned to advertise or market such services within twenty-four months of those dates.

RESPONSE:











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**II.A.11: Requests for Proposals (RFPs)**

Identify the five most recent Requests for Proposals (RFPs) for which you were selected as the winning bidder to provide each of the following: (a) *Dedicated Services*; (b) *Best Efforts Business Broadband Internet Access Services*; and, to the extent different from (a) or (b), (c) some other form of high-capacity data services to business customers.<sup>9</sup> (The following remaining parts of this question are optional.) In addition, identify the five largest RFPs (by number of connections) for which you submitted an unsuccessful competitive bid in 2013 for each of (a) *Dedicated Services*; (b) *Best Efforts Business Broadband Internet Access Services*; and, to the extent different from (a) or (b), (c) some other form of high-capacity data services to business customers.<sup>10</sup> For each RFP identified, provide a description of the RFP, the area covered, the price offered, and other competitively relevant information. Lastly, identify the business rules you rely upon to determine whether to submit a bid in response to an RFP.

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**II.A.18: Comparison of Terms and Conditions with ILEC Offerings**

If you offer *Dedicated Services* pursuant to an agreement or *Tariff* that contains either a *Prior Purchase-Based Commitment* or a *Non-Rate Benefit*, then explain how, if at all, those sales are distinguishable from similarly structured *ILEC* sales of *DS1s*, *DS3s*, and/or *PBDS*.

RESPONSE:

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**II.A.19: Business Justification for Term or Volume Commitments**

Provide the business justification for the *Term* or *Volume Commitments* associated with any *Tariff* or agreement you offer or have in effect with a customer for the sale of *Dedicated Services*.

RESPONSE:

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**II.D.2: Location of Recorded Policies**

Identify where your company’s policies are recorded on the following *Dedicated Service*-related processes: (a) initiation of service; (b) service *Upgrades*; and (c) service *Disconnections*. For instance, identify where your company records recurring and non-recurring charges associated with the processes listed above. If recorded in a *Tariff*, provide the specific *Tariff* section(s). If these policies are recorded in documents other than *Tariffs*, list those documents and state whether they are publicly available. If they are publicly available, explain how to find them. For documents that are not publicly available, state whether they are conveyed to customers orally or in writing.

RESPONSE:

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