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VIA ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION

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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: CC Docket No. 00-257, Notification of Subscriber Transfer

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Section 64.1120(e) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 64.1120(e), undersigned counsel for Communications Sales & Leasing, Inc. ("CSL") hereby notifies the Commission that on or after March 31, 2015, certain residential customer accounts of Windstream Communications, LLC and its competitive local exchange carrier affiliates ("Windstream") will be acquired by Talk America Services, LLC ("Talk America"). CSL will be spun off from Windstream and operate as real estate investment trust ("REIT). Talk America will be a wholly owned subsidiary of CSL and will provide local, long distance and broadband services to residential customers. As required by Section 64.1120(e), CSL provides the following information:

1. Names of the Parties to the Transaction

CSL. CSL is a wholly owned subsidiary of Windstream Corporation. CSL will be spun off and become an independent publicly traded company. CSL will own certain real estate assets and operate as a REIT.

Talk America. Talk America is an indirect subsidiary of CSL. Talk America is certificated and/or is in the process of obtaining certification to provide local and long distance services to residential customers.

Windstream. Windstream is an indirect subsidiary of Windstream Holdings, Inc., a FORTUNE 500 and S&P 500 company, is a leading provider of advanced network communications, including cloud computing and managed services, to businesses

nationwide. The company also offers broadband, phone and digital TV services to consumers primarily in rural areas.

2. Types of Telecommunications Services Provided to Affected Customers

Applicable competitive wireline local exchange and toll residential customers will be transferred from Windstream to Talk America.

3. Date of Expected Transfer

Affected customers will be transferred from Windstream to Talk America on or after April 15, 2015.

4. Certification of Compliance

Talk America hereby certifies its compliance with: (i) the requirement to provide advance subscriber notice in accordance with Section 64.1120(e)(3) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. § 64.1120(e)(3); (ii) the obligations specified in that subscriber notice; and (iii) all other statutory and Commission requirements that apply to this notification process.

5. Customer Notification

Copies of the customer notifications, which were sent to affected customers at least thirty (30) days prior to the transfer date, are attached hereto.

If you have any questions regarding this notification, please contact the undersigned counsel.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cesar Caballero", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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Attachments