



EX PARTE

Tuesday, May 12, 2009

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: In the Matter of Osirus Communications, Inc.'s Petition for Waivers of the Commission's Rules to Participate in NECA Pools and Tariffs and to Obtain Accelerated Universal Service Fund Support.
CC Docket #96-45

Dear Ms. Dortch,

On Behalf of Allband Communications Cooperative (Allband), I am filing the Letter that Allband sent to Acting Chairman Michael Copps and his Legal Advisor Mr. Scott Deutchman. This letter is in regards to Osirus Communications, Inc.'s Petition for Waivers of the Commission's Rules to Participate in NECA Pools and Tariffs and to Obtain Accelerated Universal Service Fund Support.

In accordance with FCC rules, this letter is being filed electronically in the docket identified above.

Sincerely,

Tom Karalis
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