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June 12, 2009

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
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Federal Communications Commission  
Office of the Secretary

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45 Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS)  
Annual Certification

John Staurulakis, Inc. (JSI) respectfully files the enclosed Certification on behalf of East Ascension Telephone Company, LLC (East Ascension). East Ascension is filing this certification in compliance with the annual certification requirements of Section 54.904 of the Commission's rules (47 C.F.R. § 54.904) and has been made by an authorized representative for East Ascension.

Enclosed are the original and two (2) copies of the Certification. Also enclosed is a copy of this transmittal letter marked "FILE STAMP COPY" for stamp and return as proof of filing.

Sincerely,

John Kuykendall  
Vice President

on behalf of

East Ascension Telephone Company, LLC

Enclosures

cc: Anna Waddell, East Ascension Telephone Company, LLC

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**Interstate Common Line Support (ICLS)  
2009 - 2010**

Date June 9, 2009

**ICLS**

To: Office of Secretary  
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**Interstate Common Line Support - ICLS**  
Annual Certification Filing

This is to certify that East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C.  
will use its **INTERSTATE COMMON LINE SUPPORT - ICLS** only for the provision, maintenance  
and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is for the  
study area(s) listed below. **(Please enter your Company Name, State and Study Area Code)**

**ICLS**

Company Name	State	Study Area Code
East Ascension Telephone Company, L.L.C.	Louisiana	270429

(If necessary, attach a separate list of additional study areas and check this box.)

Signed,

*Robert Burgess*

Date: 9-Jun-09

[Signature of Authorized Representative]

**Robert L. Burgess**

[Printed Name of Authorized Representative]

**President and COO**

[Title of Authorized Representative]

Carrier's Name: **East Ascension Telephone Co., LLC**  
Carrier's Address: **913 South Burnside Ave.**  
Carrier's Telephone Number: **(225) 621-4498**

**Date Received**  
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