

Alpine Communications, L.C.
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Section 54.313 Annual Report for 2012

June 22, 2012

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

Ms. Karen Majcher
Vice President – High Cost Low Income Division
Universal Service Administrative Company
2000 L Street NW, Suite 200
Washington, D.C. 20036

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed is our filing for SAC #351106 to meet the requirements of Section 54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h) of the Federal Communications Commission's rules.

The following dockets are included as reference:

- WC Docket No's: 10-90, 07-135, 05-337, 03-109
- GN Docket No: 09-51
- CC Docket No's: 01-92, 96-45
- WT Docket No: 10-208
- FCC 11-161

Sincerely,

/s/ Chris Hopp
General Manager

Enclosures
cc: Iowa Utilities Board

CERTIFICATION OF ALPINE COMMUNICATIONS, L.C.

STATE OF IOWA

COUNTY OF CLAYTON

I, Chris Hopp, Chief Operating Officer, Alpine Communications, L.C., being of lawful age and duly sworn, depose and state:

Alpine Communications, L.C., 351106, certify that all federal high-cost support provided to Alpine Communications, L.C. within Iowa 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. In addition, Alpine Communications, L.C. certifies that it will comply with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules, certifies that it is able to maintain a minimum of two hours of backup power to ensure functionality without an external power source, certifies that it is offering a local usage plan comparable to that offered by the ILEC in the relevant service areas, and certifies that it acknowledges that the FCC may require it to provide equal access to long distance carriers in the event that no other eligible carrier is providing equal access within its ETC designated service area. As an eligible telecommunications carrier, Alpine Communications, L.C. agrees to provide timely responses to Board requests for information related to the status of local voice service markets or facilities.

I further state that I am authorized by Alpine Communications, L.C. to make this statement.

/s/ Chris Hopp
[authorized officer]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of April, 2012

/s/ Melissa S. Hampton
Notary Public



**ETC Certification Reporting Form
Quality of Service Reporting due May 1, 2012
Reporting Period January 1 - December 31, 2011**



FCC Outage Reports - 199 IAC 39.5(5). Each ETC shall file copies of all FCC outage reports it filed with the FCC. The copies will be filed as confidential pursuant to the provisions of 199 IAC 1.9(5)"c."

Number of Service Outages Reported to the FCC: 0

(Please file copies of reports filed with the FCC as separate documents in your electronic filing)