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**RE: WC Docket No. 10-90: Annual Reporting Requirements for High-Cost Recipients §54.313 (a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)**

Pursuant to Section 54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h) of the Federal Communications Commission's rules, enclosed are the 2012 annual reporting requirements and certifications for Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Study Area Codes 512251 (WY) and 482251 (MT). Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. is a state-designated ETC, and as such, is submitting to the Commission relevant information from reports it files with the Wyoming Public Service Commission for §54.313 (a)(2) through (a)(4).

Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at [jhendricks@rtcom.net](mailto:jhendricks@rtcom.net) or by phone at 307-347-7010.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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**Annual Reporting for High-Cost Recipients  
47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(2) through (a)(6) and (h)  
Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc.**

**OUTAGE REPORTING – §54.313 (a)(2)**

Detailed information on any outage in the prior calendar year, as that term is defined in 47 C.F.R. 4.5, of at least 30 minutes in duration for each service area in which an eligible telecommunications carrier is designated for any facilities it owns, operates, leases, or otherwise utilizes that potentially affect (i) At least ten percent of the end users served in a designated service area; or (ii) A 911 special facility, as defined in 47 C.F.R. 4.5(e). 47 C.F.R. §54.313(a)(2).

**Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. did not experience any outages during calendar year 2011.**

**UNFULFILLED SERVICE REQUESTS – §54.313(a)(3)**

The number of requests for service from potential customers within the recipient's service areas that were unfulfilled during the prior calendar year. The carrier shall also detail how it attempted to provide service to those customers.

**Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. did not have any unfilled requests for service during calendar year 2011.**

**NUMBER OF COMPLAINTS PER 1,000 CONNECTIONS – §54.313(a)(4)**

The number of complaints per 1,000 connections (fixed or mobile) in the prior calendar year.

**Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. received 0 complaints per 1,000 working access lines during calendar year 2011.**

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**§54.313(a)(5) – COMPLIANCE WITH SERVICE QUALITY STANDARDS AND CONSUMER PROTECTION RULES**

*Service Quality Standards and Consumer Protection Rules Annual Certification*

<u>Robin Stephens</u>	<u>CEO/General Manager</u>	<u>Range Telephone Cooperative</u>
Printed Name of Officer	Title of Officer	Company Name

I am authorized to provide this certification on behalf of the Company. I hereby certify that the Company is in compliance with applicable service quality standards and consumer protection rules.

Executed on June 15, 2012  
Date

Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Robin Stephens

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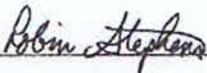
**§54.313(a)(6) – ABILITY TO FUNCTION IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS**

*Ability to Function in Emergency Situations Annual Certification*

<u>Robin Stephens</u>	<u>CEO/General Manager</u>	<u>Range Telephone Cooperative</u>
Printed Name of Officer	Title of Officer	Company Name

I am authorized to provide this certification on behalf of the Company. I hereby certify that the Company is capable of functioning in emergency situations. The Company has a reasonable amount of back-up power to ensure functionality without an external power source, is able to reroute traffic around damaged facilities, and is capable of managing traffic spikes resulting from emergency situations.

Executed on June 15, 2012  
Date

Signature 

Printed/Typed Name Robin Stephens

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**ADDITIONAL VOICE RATE DATA – §54.313(h)**

All incumbent local exchange carrier recipients of high-cost support must report all rates for residential local service, as well as state fees as defined pursuant to §54.318(e) of this subpart, that are below the local urban rate floor as defined in §54.318 of this subpart, and the number of lines for each rate specified. Carriers shall report lines and rates in effect as of June 1.

**As of June 1, 2012, Range Telephone Cooperative, Inc. did not have any rates for residential local service, as well as state fees as defined pursuant to §54.318(e), that are below the local urban rate floor as defined in §54.318.**