

Exhibit 7
BPU Conversion Orders for Communities in
the Bergen System-Wide Franchise Area



STATE OF NEW JERSEY

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CABLE TELEVISION

IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY,
INC. FOR THE CONVERSION TO A SYSTEM-WIDE
FRANCHISE IN THE BOROUGH OF FAIR LAWN

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ORDER

DOCKET NO. CE09030230

SERVICE LIST ATTACHED

BY THE BOARD:

This matter has been opened to the New Jersey Board of Public Utilities ("Board") by the filing of a letter by Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. ("Cablevision"), providing notice of its intention to convert its municipal ordinance-based franchise in the Borough of Fair Lawn ("Borough") to a system-wide cable television franchise, pursuant to P.L. 2006, c. 83 ("System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act" or "Act"), which modified the existing Cable Television Act, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et seq.

BACKGROUND

The Cable Television Act, prior to the changes introduced by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act, vested the authority to grant a franchise for the operation of a cable television system in a joint process between the municipality and the Board. In order to obtain an initial franchise or a renewal, a cable television operator was required to negotiate with the municipality the terms of a municipal consent, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-22. Then, the applicant was required to obtain a certificate of approval ("COA") from the Board. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-16. Board approval of a COA is issued upon a determination that the cable television operator has the "financial and technical capacity and the legal, character and other qualifications to construct, maintain and operate the necessary installations, lines and equipment and to provide the service proposed in a safe, adequate and proper manner." N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(c). Because the negotiation process occurs on a municipality by municipality basis, the contents of each franchise can differ significantly between each municipality and even between each cable television operator.

The System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act, however, has provided an alternative to this framework. Under the system-wide franchise regime, an applicant for a system-wide franchise applies to the Board for approval of its franchise without first obtaining a municipal consent from the individual municipalities to be served. Under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of the Act may automatically convert any or all of its municipal franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality without meeting the requirements applicable to cable television operators applying for a system-wide franchise, except that the commitment requirements under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) shall be applicable to all system-wide franchises, including conversions. Cable television operators are not required to convert all municipal consent-based franchises at the same time; cable television operators can add or convert municipal franchises at any time during the system-wide franchise. Furthermore, the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act provides for an increase in franchise fees from 2% to 3.5% of gross revenues, as well as an amount not to exceed 0.5% of gross revenues for a Cable Television ("CATV") Universal Access Fund. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-30.

DISCUSSION

On March 20, 2009, Cablevision filed notice with the Board and the Borough, by certified mail, that Cablevision intended to convert its municipal consent ordinance-based franchise in the Borough to a system-wide franchise and confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. Specifically, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) impose requirements on all cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise and includes commitments as to line extensions; public, educational and governmental ("PEG") access channels; interconnection with other cable television companies; free cable and Internet service to public schools and municipal buildings; training and equipment for access users; PEG access return feeds; and compliance with customer protection regulations.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h) requires a cable television system-wide franchise operator to meet or exceed the line extension policy commitments of the cable television company operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise at the time the franchise is granted. Therefore, because Cablevision was the incumbent, it is required to continue to provide, at a minimum, its existing residential line extension policy, and therefore provide service to any residential location that satisfies its line extension policy at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:17-6.16 and 6.17, as applicable. Cablevision shall provide service to residents in commercial areas in accordance with the line extension policy attached to this order as Appendix "I" based upon a minimum of 20 homes per mile.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(i) requires a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise to provide two PEG access channels upon request of the municipality. Cablevision, as a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise holder, currently provides one channel dedicated for PEG use by the Borough. If the Borough wishes to secure an additional PEG access channel, it may do so by written request to Cablevision. Pursuant to this section, the Borough will be responsible for the management, operations and programming of the PEG

access channels. Either Cablevision or the Borough may request assistance from the Office of Cable Television ("OCTV") for resolution of any disputes regarding the terms and conditions of the provision of the access channels. N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.4(b) and (c). N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(i) also requires all cable television companies operating in a municipality to provide PEG interconnection on reasonable terms and conditions with all other cable television companies.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(j) and (k) require a cable television operator under a system-wide franchise to provide a single outlet of free basic cable television service and free Internet service, upon written request, to any fire station, public school, police station, public library, or other building used for municipal purposes. Cablevision has provided free service to many public buildings in the Borough and has committed to install cable and Internet services to any qualified building within 90 days of written request by the municipality, provided that the location is passed by active cable television plant. N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.5. Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.5(b), either party may request assistance from the OCTV for resolution of any disputes regarding the provision of these services.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(l) requires a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise to provide equipment and training for PEG access users, without charge, on a schedule to be agreed upon between the municipality and the cable television company. The negotiated terms of the provision of equipment and training shall conform with N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.6. Furthermore, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.6(d), either party may request assistance from the OCTV for resolution of any disputes regarding the provision of these services.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(m) requires a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise to provide a return line. Accordingly, Cablevision is required to provide a return line, upon written request, from any one location in the Borough to Cablevision's head-end or other location of interconnection to the cable television system for PEG access use. Furthermore, the return line must at least provide the Borough with the ability to cablecast live or taped access programming in real time. Cablevision currently provides two return lines for the Borough, one at the municipal building and one at the Board of Education headquarters, and Cablevision has committed to the requirements of this Section.

N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(n) requires Cablevision to continue to "meet any consumer protection requirements applicable, pursuant to board regulations, to cable television companies operating under certificates of approval." Cablevision has certified in its notice that it will meet the requirements of this Section.

Cablevision has also committed to maintaining, under its system-wide franchise, the same liability limits required under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(f). Cablevision will continue to maintain commercial general liability insurance coverage with respect to claims related to bodily injury, property damage or other claims arising out of Cablevision's construction and operation of its cable television system in amounts that are at least: (1) \$150,000 for bodily injury or death to any one person, within the limit, however, of \$500,000 for bodily injury or death resulting from any one accident, (2) \$100,000 for property damage resulting from any one accident, and (3) \$50,000 for other commercial general liability claims.

The System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act requires cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise to pay increased franchise fees from 2% of basic cable television service revenues to 3.5% of gross cable television service revenues, as well as an amount not to exceed 0.5% of gross revenues for a CATV Universal Access Fund. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-30. It is noted that Cablevision is already collecting and paying the increased franchise/CATV Universal Access Fund fee in the Borough because Verizon New Jersey, Inc., a competing cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise, certified that it was capable of serving at least 60 percent of the residents in the Borough. The Board approved Verizon New Jersey, Inc.'s certification in October 2007 (BPU Docket No. CO07080627).

Pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-5.1, all cable television operating companies are required to maintain "in or within reasonable proximity of its service area, a local business office, the current location of which shall be furnished to the Office where applications for service, complaints, service inquiries, bill payments, and so forth will be received." Cablevision currently maintains local offices in Cresskill, New Jersey and any modification to the location of the office will be subject to the approval process specified at N.J.A.C. 14:18-5.1(c).

Finally, the requirements set forth in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.2(a) are not applicable to Cablevision as Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. does not provide telephony service.

DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL AND UNDERLYING MUNICIPAL CONSENT

As discussed above, the Act allows a cable television company, operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise, to "automatically convert" its system in any or all of its municipalities without approval from the Board or the impacted municipalities. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a). Furthermore, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 provides that a "certificate of approval issued by the board shall be valid for 15 years from the date of issuance... or until the expiration, revocation, termination or renegotiation of any municipal consent upon which it is based, whichever is sooner." Although Cablevision's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance from the Borough expired on November 9, 2003, Cablevision initiated renewal proceedings with the Borough on February 28, 2003 and was authorized to continue to provide cable television service to the Borough pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25, pending disposition of the proceedings regarding the renewal of its Certificate. Because Cablevision has now converted the municipal consent based-franchise to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board **FINDS** that Cablevision's Certificate of Approval for the Borough has expired by operation of law, and Cablevision is authorized to provide cable television service to the Borough pursuant to its converted system-wide franchise and the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) and applicable law.

Additionally, the Board notes that N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(b) provides that nothing shall "preclude a municipality from enforcing its right-of-way management powers on a reasonable and nondiscriminatory basis." However, a municipality is prohibited from imposing any fees, taxes, assessments or charges for the use of public rights-of-way by a cable television operator except where permitted under the System-wide Cable Franchise Act. Accordingly, the Borough may impose reasonable and non-discriminatory rights-of-way management powers on Cablevision but may not impose any fees, taxes, assessments or charges for use of the public rights-of-way pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a) and as further discussed in Township of Middletown v. Storer Cable Communications, Inc., 206 N.J. Super. 572 (App. Div. 1985).

Based upon the above, the Board HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGES Cablevision's conversion of its franchise for the Borough in the Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. system to a system-wide franchise, which shall be in effect for a period of seven (7) years, pursuant to the provisions of the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. The Board HEREBY ORDERS that Cablevision shall meet the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h) – (n) and the following terms and conditions:

1. Cablevision shall maintain an informational schedule of prices, terms and conditions for unregulated service and promptly file any revisions thereto. Rate and channel line-up changes shall be performed in accordance with applicable rules.
2. Cablevision may add additional municipalities to its system-wide franchise authorization, pursuant to the requirements set forth in N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.14.
3. As explicitly required by the Act, the OCTV is the designated complaint officer for the Borough and any municipality added to its system-wide franchise. All complaints shall be received and processed in accordance with applicable rules.
4. Cablevision shall pay a franchise fee to each municipality served by its system-wide franchise in the amount of 3.5% of Cablevision's gross revenues, as defined by N.J.S.A. 48:5A-3(x) and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-30.
5. Cablevision shall pay to the State Treasurer an amount up to 0.5% of Cablevision's gross revenues, in accordance with N.J.S.A. 48:5A-3(x) and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-30. Cablevision shall provide copies to the Board of all documentation regarding payment of this fee to the State Treasurer.
6. Cablevision shall continue to pay additional regulatory fees to the State in an amount not to exceed 2% of Cablevision's gross operating revenues derived from intrastate operations.
7. Pursuant to the Act, either Cablevision or the Borough may request assistance from the OCTV for resolution of disputes, and the OCTV shall use the procedures specified in N.J.A.C. 14:18-15.3 through 15.6.
8. Under N.J.A.C. 14:18-5.1(a), Cablevision shall maintain a local office in or within reasonable proximity of its service area where applications for service, complaints, service inquiries, bill payments, and so forth will be received. Furthermore, Cablevision shall not close or relocate a local office without seeking and receiving consent from the Board pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-5.1(c).

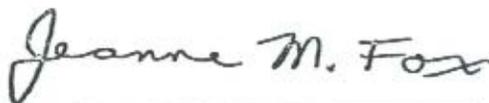
This System-wide Franchise is subject to all applicable State and federal laws, the rules and regulations of the Office of Cable Television, and any such lawful terms, conditions and limitations as currently exist or may hereafter be attached to the exercise of the privileges granted herein. Cablevision shall adhere to the operating standards set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations, 47 C.F.R. §76.1 et seq. including but not limited to, the technical standards 47 C.F.R. §76.601 through §76.630. Any modifications to the provisions thereof shall be incorporated into this System-wide Franchise.

Failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders of the Board or the Office of Cable Television and/or the terms, conditions and limitations set forth herein may subject Cablevision to penalties, as enumerated in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-51, and/or may constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of this System-wide Franchise. This System-wide Franchise is issued on the representation that the statements contained in Cablevision's conversions are true, and the undertakings therein contained shall be adhered to and be enforceable unless specific waiver is granted by the Board or the Office of Cable Television pursuant to the authority contained in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et seq.

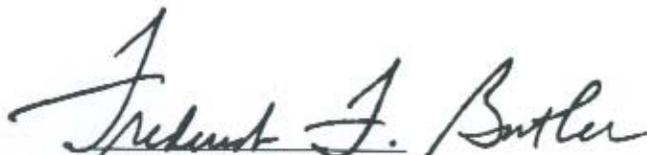
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DATED: 6/10/09

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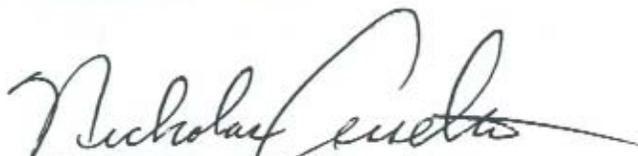
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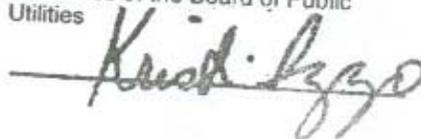
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ATTEST:



KRISTI IZZO
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within document is a true copy of the original in the files of the Board of Public Utilities



APPENDIX "I"
OFFICE OF CABLE TELEVISION
LINE EXTENSION POLICY

CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY, INC.
SYSTEM-WIDE FRANCHISE

A cable operator is required to absorb the cost of extensions to the system in the same proportion that the extension is to the remainder of the system.

Actual subscribers served by the extension are required to absorb the remainder of the cost.

If new subscribers are added to the extension the cost is adjusted and those who previously paid receive an appropriate rebate.

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| 1. <u># of homes in extension</u>
mileage of extension | = | homes per mile (HPM) of
extension |
| 2. <u>HPM of extension</u>
Minimum HPM that
company actually
constructs in the
system * | = | ratio of the density of
the extension to the
minimum density which the
company constructs in the
system ("A") |
| 3. Total cost of building
the extension times "A" | = | company's share of
extension cost |
| 4. Total cost of building
extension less company's
share of extension cost | = | total amount to be
recovered from
subscribers |
| 5. Total amount to be
<u>recovered from subs</u>
Total subscribers in extension | = | each subscriber's share |

In any case, the company shall extend its plant along public rights of way to:

1. All residences and businesses within 150 aerial feet of the operator's existing plant at no cost beyond the normal installation rate.
2. All residences and businesses within 100 underground feet of the operator's plant at no cost beyond the normal installation rate.

* The minimum HPM that the company actually constructs in the system or municipality is the minimum number of homes that the company has historically constructed at its own cost. This is a function of the operator's break-even point and its rate of return. Unbuilt systems will use the primary service area rather than construction.

The operator's installation policies shall apply to construction beyond the public right of way.

Detailed accounting and/or financial information to support the minimum HPM shall be supplied to the Office for its approval in such form as required. The minimum HPM shall be updated as appropriate.

When a request for service is received, and unless good cause is shown, cable companies shall:

1. Provide a written estimate within 30 days of such a request.
2. Begin construction within 60 days of receipt of any deposit monies from potential subscribers.
3. Complete construction within six months of receipt of any deposit monies from potential subscribers.
4. Inform each home passed along the extension of the potential costs for subscribers.

Subscribers who pay for an extension shall be entitled to rebates in the following manner:

1. If the company acquires new subscribers subsequent to the initial calculation of step 5 above, the formula will be adjusted and those who have previously paid for the extension will be entitled to an appropriate rebate. In no event shall the amount of the rebate exceed the subscriber's contribution.
2. The company shall keep accurate records of the cost of the extension, the amounts paid by subscribers and any appropriate adjustments.
3. The company shall notify subscribers in the extension of their rights and responsibilities concerning the extension.
4. Once the share of the extension cost for an individual dwelling has been paid, future reconnections or installations shall be made at the company's standard rates.
5. After a period of five years from the installation of the first dwelling unit in the extension no further adjustments shall be made. Installations after five years shall be at the company's standard rate.
6. Once a subscriber is installed, that person shall not normally be entitled to a refund of any monies paid for the installations, except in accordance with the rebate procedure outlined in this policy.

Definitions

Primary Service Area

The Primary Service Area (PSA) can be an entire municipality, but in many instances the PSA is a limited area within a community outside of which a line extension policy may apply. The PSA is depicted by a franchise map and narrative, presented and recorded during the franchise proceedings. It normally remains a fixed geographic area throughout the life of the franchise.

Line Extension Survey

Potential subscribers residing outside the PSA who request service are entitled to an estimate of their share of the cost to secure service. When conducting a survey and estimating costs, a cable company should factor in all potential subscribers who could practicably be included in the extension and give consideration to apparent residential construction in areas contiguous to the proposed extension.

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LLC FOR THE CONVERSION TO A SYSTEM-WIDE)
FRANCHISE IN SIX MUNICIPALITIES: THE BOROUGH)
OF BERGENFIELD, THE BOROUGH OF DUMONT, THE)
BOROUGH OF HAWORTH, THE BOROUGH OF)
HILLSDALE, THE BOROUGH OF ORADELL AND THE)
BOROUGH OF PARAMUS) DOCKET NO. CE09030230

Adam Falk, Vice President, Government and Regulatory Affairs, Cablevision Systems Corporation, Bethpage, New York, for Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC

Acting Borough Clerk, Borough of Bergenfield, New Jersey, by Carole Chamberlain-Berman;
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Borough Clerk, Borough of Haworth, New Jersey, by Ann E. Fay;
Borough Clerk, Borough of Hillsdale, New Jersey, by Robert P. Sandt;
Borough Clerk, Borough of Oradell, New Jersey, by Laura Graham; and
Borough Clerk, Borough of Paramus, New Jersey, by Ian I. Shore, for the municipalities.

BY THE BOARD:

On June 10, 2009, the Board issued an order memorializing the conversion by Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. ("CVNJ, Inc.") of its municipal consent-based franchise in the Borough of Fair Lawn to a System-wide Franchise in the above referenced docket number for a term of seven years to expire on March 20, 2016. Subsequently, CVNJ, Inc. underwent a name change and is now known as Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC ("Cablevision of New Jersey").

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1 and N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.13, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of the Act may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality or municipalities. In addition, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.14, a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise may add municipalities to its system-wide franchise upon notice to the affected municipality or municipalities and the Board. On May 10, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Dumont, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus (collectively, "the municipalities") that it would convert its municipal consent ordinance-based franchises in the municipalities,

thereby making them part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise; and confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on May 11, 2010.

DISCUSSION

Under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of P.L.2006 c. 83 may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality without meeting the requirements applicable to cable television operators applying for a system-wide franchise, except that the commitment requirements under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) shall be applicable to all system-wide franchises, including conversions. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) impose requirements on all cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise and includes commitments as to line extensions; public, educational and governmental ("PEG") access channels; interconnection with other cable television companies; free cable and Internet service to public schools and municipal buildings; training and equipment for access users; PEG access return feeds; and compliance with customer protection regulations. As noted above, Cablevision of New Jersey has committed to provide service to the municipalities as required by these provisions.

DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL AND UNDERLYING MUNICIPAL CONSENT

As discussed above, the Act allows a cable television company, operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise, to "automatically convert" its system in any or all of its municipalities without approval from the Board or the impacted municipalities. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a). Furthermore, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 provides that a "certificate of approval issued by the board shall be valid for 15 years from the date of issuance... or until the expiration, revocation, termination or renegotiation of any municipal consent upon which it is based, whichever is sooner."

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Bergenfield expired on July 18, 2009; in the Borough of Haworth expired on July 25, 2010; in the Borough of Hillsdale expired on May 2, 2009; in the Borough of Oradell expired on May 19, 2006; and in the Borough of Paramus expired on December 26, 2008. Cablevision of New Jersey initiated renewal proceedings with these five municipalities and was thereby authorized to continue to provide cable television service to the municipalities pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25, pending disposition of the proceedings regarding the renewal of its Certificate. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted its municipal consent based-franchises in the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board **FINDS** that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval for the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus have expired by operation of law.

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Dumont was set to expire on August 22, 2012. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted this municipal consent based-franchise to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board

FINDS that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificates of Approval for the Borough of Dumont is hereby terminated.

Cablevision of New Jersey is authorized to provide cable television service to the municipalities, pursuant to its converted System-wide franchise and the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) and applicable law.

With regard to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h), a system-wide cable television franchise operator is required to meet or exceed the line extension policy ("LEP") commitments of the cable television company operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise at the time the franchise is granted. Therefore, because Cablevision of New Jersey was the incumbent municipal consent-based franchise holder in these municipalities, it is required to continue to provide, at a minimum, service to any residence in the six municipalities in accordance with its policies in effect at the time of conversion. Accordingly, in the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to residents in residentially zoned areas at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and in commercially zoned areas in accordance with the LEP attached to the original order based upon a minimum of 20 homes per mile. In the Borough of Dumont, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to all residents in the Borough at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and without regard to an LEP.

Based upon the elements of the System-wide Franchise, and the legal mandates under which the Board operates, this Order **HEREBY COMMEMORATES** the addition of the municipalities to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise.

This Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise serves to add the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Dumont, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise, and does not, in any manner, modify, change or otherwise affect the terms and conditions of that June 10, 2009 Order, except with respect to the LEP as discussed above.

Without limitations to the full requirements set forth in that Order, the Board reminds Cablevision of New Jersey that, under the System-wide Franchise, it is subject to all applicable State and federal laws, the rules and regulations of the Office of Cable Television, and any such lawful terms, conditions and limitations as currently exist or may hereafter be attached to the exercise of the privileges granted herein. To the extent possible based upon the technology used in providing service, Cablevision of New Jersey shall adhere to the operating standards set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations, 47 C.F.R. §76.1 et seq. including but not limited to, the technical standards 47 C.F.R. §76.601 through §76.630. Any modifications to the provisions thereof shall be incorporated into the System-wide Franchise.

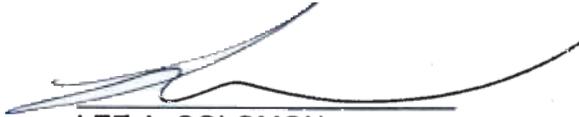
Failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders of the Board or the Office of Cable Television and/or the terms, conditions and limitations set forth herein may subject Cablevision of New Jersey to penalties, as enumerated in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-51, and/or may constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of the System-wide Franchise.

This Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise is issued on the representation that the statements contained in Cablevision of New Jersey's applications, notices, and other writings

are true, and the undertakings therein contained shall be adhered to and be enforceable unless specific waiver is granted by the Board or the Office of Cable Television pursuant to the authority contained in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et seq.

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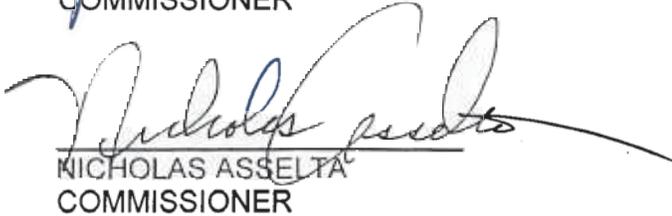
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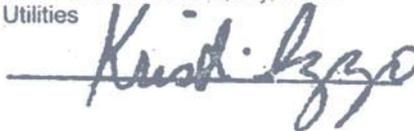
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**IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY FOR THE CONVERSION TO A
SYSTEM-WIDE CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE FOR THE BOROUGH OF
BERGENFIELD, THE BOROUGH OF DUMONT, THE BOROUGH OF HAWORTH, THE
BOROUGH OF HILLSDALE, THE BOROUGH OF ORADELL AND THE BOROUGH OF
PARAMUS**

**ORDER OF AMENDMENT
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CABLE TELEVISION

IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY,) SECOND ORDER OF
LLC FOR THE CONVERSION TO A SYSTEM-WIDE) AMENDMENT
FRANCHISE IN FIVE MUNICIPALITIES: THE BOROUGH)
OF CLOSTER, THE BOROUGH OF EMERSON, THE)
BOROUGH OF NORWOOD, THE BOROUGH OF)
ROCKLEIGH AND THE BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF)
LAKE) DOCKET NO. CE09030230

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BY THE BOARD:

On June 10, 2009, the Board issued an order memorializing the conversion by Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. ("CVNJ, Inc.") of its municipal consent-based franchise in the Borough of Fair Lawn to a System-wide Franchise in the above referenced docket number for a term of seven years to expire on March 20, 2016. Subsequently, CVNJ, Inc. underwent a name change and is now known as Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC ("Cablevision of New Jersey"). On August 4, 2010, the Board issued an Order of Amendment to include six additional municipalities: the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Dumont, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1 and N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.13, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of the Act may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality or municipalities. In addition, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.14, a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise may add municipalities to its system-wide franchise upon notice to the affected municipality or municipalities and the Board. On July 19, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the

Borough of Closter, the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood, the Borough of Rockleigh and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake¹ (collectively, “the municipalities”) that it would convert its municipal consent ordinance-based franchises in the municipalities, thereby making them part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise; and confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on July 20, 2010.

DISCUSSION

Under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of P.L.2006 c. 83 may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality without meeting the requirements applicable to cable television operators applying for a system-wide franchise, except that the commitment requirements under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) shall be applicable to all system-wide franchises, including conversions. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) impose requirements on all cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise and includes commitments as to line extensions; public, educational and governmental (“PEG”) access channels; interconnection with other cable television companies; free cable and Internet service to public schools and municipal buildings; training and equipment for access users; PEG access return feeds; and compliance with customer protection regulations. As noted above, Cablevision of New Jersey has committed to provide service to the municipalities as required by these provisions.

DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL AND UNDERLYING MUNICIPAL CONSENT

As discussed above, the Act allows a cable television company, operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise, to “automatically convert” its system in any or all of its municipalities without approval from the Board or the impacted municipalities. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a). Furthermore, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 provides that a “certificate of approval issued by the board shall be valid for 15 years from the date of issuance... or until the expiration, revocation, termination or renegotiation of any municipal consent upon which it is based, whichever is sooner.”

Cablevision of New Jersey’s Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Norwood was set to expire on December 18, 2010. Cablevision initiated renewal proceedings with the Borough of Norwood but did not complete those negotiations, instead opting to convert to a system-wide franchise in the Borough of Norwood. Cablevision of New Jersey’s Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Closter was set to expire on October 8, 2024; in the Borough of Emerson on October 22, 2014; in the Borough of Rockleigh on February 11, 2014; and in the Borough of Woodcliff Lake on December 22, 2014. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted these municipal consent based-franchises to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board **FINDS** that Cablevision of New Jersey’s Certificates of Approval for the Borough of Closter, the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood, the Borough of Rockleigh and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake are hereby terminated.

¹ Cablevision of New Jersey also filed notice with the Borough of Old Tappan and the Board but on July 22, 2010, withdrew its notice of conversion of its system in the Borough.

Cablevision of New Jersey is authorized to provide cable television service to the municipalities, pursuant to its converted System-wide franchise and the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) and applicable law.

With regard to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h), a system-wide cable television franchise operator is required to meet or exceed the line extension policy (“LEP”) commitments of the cable television company operating under a municipal consent ordinance-based franchise at the time the franchise is granted. Therefore, because Cablevision of New Jersey was the incumbent municipal consent-based franchise holder in these municipalities, it is required to continue to provide, at a minimum, service to any residence in the six municipalities in accordance with its policies in effect at the time of conversion. Accordingly, in the Borough of Closter and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to residents in residentially zoned areas at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and in commercially zoned areas in accordance with the LEP attached to the original order based upon a minimum of 20 homes per mile. In the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood and the Borough of Rockleigh, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to all residents in the Borough at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and without regard to an LEP.

Based upon the elements of the System-wide Franchise, and the legal mandates under which the Board operates, this Order **HEREBY COMMEMORATES** the addition of the municipalities to Cablevision of New Jersey’s System-wide Franchise.

This Second Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise serves to add the Borough of Closter, the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood, the Borough of Rockleigh and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake to Cablevision of New Jersey’s System-wide Franchise, and does not, in any manner, modify, change or otherwise affect the terms and conditions of that June 10, 2009 Order, except with respect to the LEP as discussed above.

Without limitations to the full requirements set forth in that Order, the Board reminds Cablevision of New Jersey that, under the System-wide Franchise, it is subject to all applicable State and federal laws, the rules and regulations of the Office of Cable Television, and any such lawful terms, conditions and limitations as currently exist or may hereafter be attached to the exercise of the privileges granted herein. To the extent possible based upon the technology used in providing service, Cablevision of New Jersey shall adhere to the operating standards set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations, 47 C.F.R. §76.1 et seq. including but not limited to, the technical standards 47 C.F.R. §76.601 through §76.630. Any modifications to the provisions thereof shall be incorporated into the System-wide Franchise.

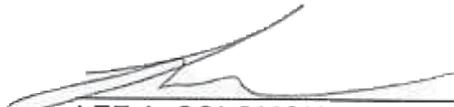
Failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations and orders of the Board or the Office of Cable Television and/or the terms, conditions and limitations set forth herein may subject Cablevision of New Jersey to penalties, as enumerated in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-51, and/or may constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of the System-wide Franchise.

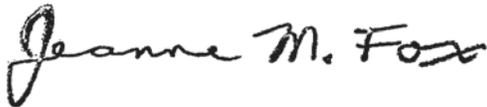
This Second Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise is issued on the representation that the statements contained in Cablevision of New Jersey's applications, notices, and other writings are true, and the undertakings therein contained shall be adhered to and be enforceable

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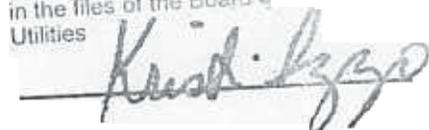

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SYSTEM-WIDE CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE IN FIVE MUNICIPALITIES: THE
BOROUGH OF CLOSTER, THE BOROUGH OF EMERSON, THE BOROUGH OF
NORWOOD, THE BOROUGH OF ROCKLEIGH AND THE BOROUGH OF WOODCLIFF
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**SECOND ORDER OF AMENDMENT
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CABLE TELEVISION

IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY,) THIRD ORDER OF AMENDMENT
LLC FOR THE CONVERSION TO A SYSTEM-WIDE)
FRANCHISE IN TOWNSHIP OF RIVER VALE AND THE)
BOROUGH OF SADDLE RIVER) DOCKET NO. CE09030230

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Township Clerk, Township of River Vale, New Jersey, by Karen Padva; and
Borough Clerk, Borough of Saddle River, New Jersey, by Marie Elena Macari; for the municipalities.

BY THE BOARD:

On June 10, 2009, the Board of Public Utilities ("Board") issued an order memorializing the conversion by Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. ("CVNJ, Inc.") of its municipal consent-based franchise in the Borough of Fair Lawn to a System-wide Franchise in the above referenced docket number for a term of seven years to expire on March 20, 2016. Subsequently, CVNJ, Inc. underwent a name change and is now known as Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC ("Cablevision of New Jersey"). On August 4, 2010, the Board issued an Order of Amendment to include six additional municipalities: the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Dumont, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus. On September 16, 2010, the Board issued a Second Order of Amendment to include five additional municipalities: the Borough of Closter, the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood, the Borough of Rockleigh and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1 and N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.13, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of P.L. 2006, c. 83 ("System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act" or "Act") may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality or municipalities. In addition, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.14, a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise may add municipalities to its system-wide franchise upon notice to the affected municipality or municipalities and the Board.

On September 16, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the Borough of Saddle River that it would convert its municipal consent-based franchise in the municipality, thereby making it part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise; and confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on September 17, 2010. On September 23, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the Township of River Vale that it would convert its municipal consent-based franchise in the municipality, thereby making it part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise; and confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on September 24, 2010.

DISCUSSION

Under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of P.L.2006 c. 83 may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality without meeting the requirements applicable to cable television operators applying for a system-wide franchise, except that the commitment requirements under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) shall be applicable to all system-wide franchises, including conversions. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) impose requirements on all cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise and includes commitments as to line extensions; public, educational and governmental ("PEG") access channels; interconnection with other cable television companies; free cable and Internet service to public schools and municipal buildings; training and equipment for access users; PEG access return feeds; and compliance with customer protection regulations. As noted above, Cablevision of New Jersey has committed to provide service to the municipalities as required by these provisions.

DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL AND UNDERLYING MUNICIPAL CONSENT

As discussed above, the Act allows a cable television company, operating under a municipal consent-based franchise, to "automatically convert" its system in any or all of its municipalities without approval from the Board or the impacted municipalities. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a). Furthermore, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 provides that a "certificate of approval issued by the board shall be valid for 15 years from the date of issuance... or until the expiration, revocation, termination or renegotiation of any municipal consent upon which it is based, whichever is sooner."

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Township of River Vale expired on March 13, 2010. Cablevision initiated renewal proceedings with the Township of River Vale and was thereby authorized to continue to provide cable television service to the Township pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25, pending disposition of the proceedings regarding the renewal of its Certificate. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted the Township of River Vale's municipal consent based-franchise to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board FINDS that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval for the Township of River Vale has expired by operation of law.

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Saddle River was set to expire on August 19, 2019. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted the municipal consent based-franchise in the Borough to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board FINDS that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval for the Borough of Saddle River is hereby terminated.

Cablevision of New Jersey is authorized to provide cable television service to the municipalities, pursuant to its converted System-wide franchise and the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) and applicable law.

With regard to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h), a system-wide cable television franchise operator is required to meet or exceed the line extension policy ("LEP") commitments of the cable television company operating under a municipal consent-based franchise at the time the franchise is granted. Therefore, because Cablevision of New Jersey was the incumbent municipal consent-based franchise holder in these municipalities, it is required to continue to provide, at a minimum, service to any residence in the two municipalities in accordance with its policies in effect at the time of conversion. Accordingly, in the both the Township of River Vale and the Borough of Saddle River, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to residents in residentially zoned areas at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and in commercially zoned areas in accordance with the LEP attached to the original order based upon a minimum of 20 homes per mile.

Based upon the elements of the System-wide Franchise, and the legal mandates under which the Board operates, this Order HEREBY RATIFIES the addition of the Township of River Vale and the Borough of Saddle River to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise.

This Third Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise serves to add the Township of River Vale and the Borough of Saddle River to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise, and does not, in any manner, modify, change or otherwise affect the terms and conditions of that June 10, 2009 Order, except with respect to the LEP as discussed above.

Without limitations to the full requirements set forth in that Order, the Board reminds Cablevision of New Jersey that, under the System-wide Franchise, it is subject to all applicable State and federal laws, the rules and regulations of the Office of Cable Television, and any such lawful terms, conditions and limitations as currently exist or may hereafter be attached to the exercise of the privileges granted herein. To the extent possible based upon the technology used in providing service, Cablevision of New Jersey shall adhere to the operating standards set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations, 47 C.F.R. § 76.1 et seq., including, but not limited to, the technical standards 47 C.F.R. § 76.601 through § 76.630. Any modifications to the provisions thereof shall be incorporated into the System-wide Franchise.

Failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, or orders of the Board or the Office of Cable Television and/or the terms, conditions, or limitations set forth herein may subject Cablevision of New Jersey to penalties, as enumerated in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-51, and/or may constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of the System-wide Franchise.

This Third Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise is issued on the representation that the statements contained in Cablevision of New Jersey's applications, notices, and other writings are true, and the undertakings therein contained shall be adhered to and be enforceable, unless specific waiver is granted by the Board or the Office of Cable Television pursuant to the authority contained in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et seq.

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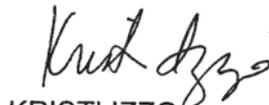

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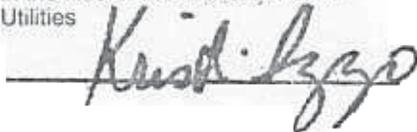

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CABLE TELEVISION

IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW)
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SYSTEM-WIDE FRANCHISE IN FIVE)
MUNICIPALITIES: THE BOROUGH OF)
DEMAREST, THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON)
PARK, THE BOROUGH OF NEW MILFORD, THE)
BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE AND THE)
BOROUGH OF OLD TAPPAN) DOCKET NO. CE09030230

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BY THE BOARD:

On June 10, 2009, the Board of Public Utilities ("Board") issued an order memorializing the conversion by Cablevision of New Jersey, Inc. ("CVNJ, Inc.") of its municipal consent-based franchise in the Borough of Fair Lawn to a System-wide Franchise in the above referenced docket number for a term of seven years to expire on March 20, 2016. Subsequently, CVNJ, Inc. underwent a name change and is now known as Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC ("Cablevision of New Jersey"). On August 4, 2010, the Board issued an Order of Amendment to include six additional municipalities: the Borough of Bergenfield, the Borough of Dumont, the Borough of Haworth, the Borough of Hillsdale, the Borough of Oradell and the Borough of Paramus. On September 16, 2010, the Board issued a Second Order of Amendment to include five additional municipalities: the Borough of Closter, the Borough of Emerson, the Borough of Norwood, the Borough of Rockleigh and the Borough of Woodcliff Lake. On November 10, 2010, the Board issued a Third Order of Amendment to include the Borough of Saddle River and the Township of River Vale.

Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1 and N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.13, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of P.L. 2006, c. 83 ("System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act" or "Act") may automatically convert any or

all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality or municipalities. In addition, pursuant to N.J.A.C. 14:18-14.14, a cable television company operating under a system-wide franchise may add municipalities to its system-wide franchise upon notice to the affected municipality or municipalities and the Board.

On November 19, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the Borough of Demarest, the Borough of Harrington Park, the Borough of New Milford and the Borough of Northvale that it would convert its municipal consent-based franchises in the municipalities, thereby making them part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise, and it confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on November 22, 2010. On December 15, 2010, Cablevision of New Jersey filed notice with the Borough of Old Tappan that it would convert its municipal consent-based franchise in the municipality, thereby making it part of its Cablevision of New Jersey system-wide franchise, and it confirmed that it would abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n), as required by the System-wide Cable Television Franchise Act. That notice was received by the Board on December 17, 2010.

DISCUSSION

Under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1, a cable television operator with a municipal consent-based franchise or franchises issued prior to the effective date of the Act may automatically convert any or all of its municipal consent-based franchises upon notice to the Board and to the affected municipality without meeting the requirements applicable to cable television operators applying for a system-wide franchise, except that the commitment requirements under N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28 (h)-(n) shall be applicable to all system-wide franchises, including conversions. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) impose requirements on all cable television companies operating under a system-wide franchise and includes commitments as to line extensions; public, educational and governmental (“PEG”) access channels; interconnection with other cable television companies; free cable and Internet service to public schools and municipal buildings; training and equipment for access users; PEG access return feeds; and compliance with customer protection regulations. As noted above, Cablevision of New Jersey has committed to provide service to the municipalities as required by these provisions.

DISPOSITION OF CERTIFICATE OF APPROVAL AND UNDERLYING MUNICIPAL CONSENT

As discussed above, the Act allows a cable television company, operating under a municipal consent-based franchise, to “automatically convert” its system in any or all of its municipalities without approval from the Board or the impacted municipalities. N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a). Furthermore, N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 provides that a “certificate of approval issued by the board shall be valid for 15 years from the date of issuance... or until the expiration, revocation, termination or renegotiation of any municipal consent upon which it is based, whichever is sooner.”

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Harrington Park expired on November 8, 2008, and in the Borough of Old Tappan expired on April 25, 2010. Cablevision initiated renewal proceedings with the Borough of Harrington Park and the Borough of Old Tappan and was thereby authorized to continue to provide cable television service to the Borough of Harrington Park and the Borough of Old Tappan pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25, pending disposition of the proceedings regarding the renewal of its Certificate. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted the Borough of Harrington Park's and the Borough of Old Tappan's municipal consent based-franchises to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-

25.1(a), the Board **FINDS** that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval for the Borough of Harrington Park and the Borough of Old Tappan has expired by operation of law.

Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificate of Approval and the underlying municipal consent ordinance in the Borough of Demarest and the Borough of Northvale were set to expire on August 4, 2020, and in the Borough of New Milford on September 23, 2012. Because Cablevision of New Jersey has now converted the municipal consent based-franchises in the Borough of Demarest, the Borough of New Milford and the Borough of Northvale to a system-wide franchise, pursuant to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-19 and N.J.S.A. 48:5A-25.1(a), the Board **FINDS** that Cablevision of New Jersey's Certificates of Approval for the Borough of Demarest, the Borough of New Milford and the Borough of Northvale are hereby terminated.

Cablevision of New Jersey is authorized to provide cable television service to the municipalities, pursuant to its converted System-wide franchise and the requirements of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h)-(n) and applicable law.

With regard to N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28(h), a system-wide cable television franchise operator is required to meet or exceed the line extension policy ("LEP") commitments of the cable television company operating under a municipal consent-based franchise at the time the franchise is granted. Therefore, because Cablevision of New Jersey was the incumbent municipal consent-based franchise holder in these municipalities, it is required to continue to provide, at a minimum, service to any residence in the municipalities in accordance with its policies in effect at the time of conversion. Accordingly, in the Borough of Harrington Park, the Borough of New Milford and the Borough of Northvale, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to residents in residentially zoned areas at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board and in commercially zoned areas in accordance with the LEP attached to the original order based upon a minimum of 20 homes per mile. In the Borough of Demarest and the Borough of Old Tappan, Cablevision of New Jersey shall provide service to any resident in the municipality at no cost beyond the installation rates contained in its schedule of prices, rates, terms and conditions filed with the Board.

Based upon the elements of the System-wide Franchise, and the legal mandates under which the Board operates, this Order **HEREBY RATIFIES** the addition of the Borough of Demarest, the Borough of Harrington Park, the Borough of New Milford, the Borough of Northvale and the Borough of Old Tappan to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise.

This Fourth Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise serves to add the Borough of Demarest, the Borough of Harrington Park, the Borough of New Milford, the Borough of Northvale and the Borough of Old Tappan to Cablevision of New Jersey's System-wide Franchise, and does not, in any manner, modify, change or otherwise affect the terms and conditions of that June 10, 2009 Order, except with respect to the LEP as discussed above.

Without limitations to the full requirements set forth in that Order, the Board reminds Cablevision of New Jersey that, under the System-wide Franchise, it is subject to all applicable State and federal laws, the rules and regulations of the Office of Cable Television, and any such lawful terms, conditions and limitations as currently exist or may hereafter be attached to the exercise of the privileges granted herein. To the extent possible based upon the technology used in providing service, Cablevision of New Jersey shall adhere to the operating standards set forth by the Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations, 47 C.F.R. § 76.1 et seq.

including, but not limited to, the technical standards 47 C.F.R. § 76.601 through § 76.630. Any modifications to the provisions thereof shall be incorporated into the System-wide Franchise.

Failure to comply with all applicable laws, rules, regulations, or orders of the Board or the Office of Cable Television and/or the terms, conditions, or limitations set forth herein may subject Cablevision of New Jersey to penalties, as enumerated in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-51, and/or may constitute sufficient grounds for the suspension or revocation of the System-wide Franchise.

This Fourth Order of Amendment to the System-wide Franchise is issued on the representation that the statements contained in Cablevision of New Jersey's applications, notices, and other writings are true, and the undertakings therein contained shall be adhered to and be enforceable, unless specific waiver is granted by the Board or the Office of Cable Television pursuant to the authority contained in N.J.S.A. 48:5A-1 et seq.

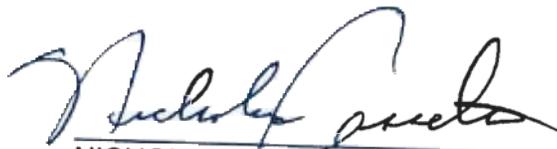
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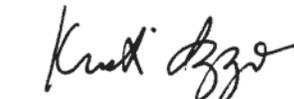

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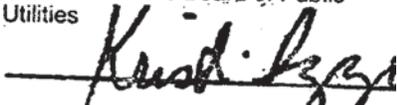

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KRISTI IZZO
SECRETARY

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the within document is a true copy of the original in the files of the Board of Public Utilities



SERVICE LIST

**IN THE MATTER OF CABLEVISION OF NEW JERSEY, LLC FOR THE CONVERSION TO A
SYSTEM-WIDE CABLE TELEVISION FRANCHISE IN FIVE MUNICIPALITIES: THE
BOROUGH OF DEMAREST, THE BOROUGH OF HARRINGTON PARK, THE BOROUGH OF
NEW MILFORD, THE BOROUGH OF NORTHVALE AND THE BOROUGH OF OLD TAPPAN**

**FOURTH ORDER OF AMENDMENT
DOCKET NO. CE09030230**

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Exhibit 8
Cablevision Notice of Conversion for
Tenafly Borough, New Jersey

June 12, 2014

New Jersey Board of Public Utilities
Office of Cable Television
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VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS

Dear Ms. Gilbert:

Pursuant to Section 19 of P.L. 2006, c. 83, Cablevision of New Jersey, LLC ("Cablevision") hereby provides notice to the Board and the affected municipality of its conversion of the municipal consent and corresponding certificate of approval for the Borough of Tenafly into a system-wide franchise.

In accordance with Board rules implementing P.L. 2006, c. 83, Cablevision hereby confirms that it will abide by the provisions of N.J.S.A. 48:5A-28h through 28n. Please be advised that the conversion shall be effective immediately.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned.

Please note the Government Affairs office for New Jersey is located at 124 West State Street, Trenton, NJ 08608, phone number is 609-571-9041.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. Thurman Barnes". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

R. Thurman Barnes
Area Director, Government and Public Affairs

cc: Borough of Tenafly (via Certified Mail)