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INTERSTATE TELECOMMUNICATIONS RELAY SERVICE (TRS) FUND ADMINISTRATOR TRANSITION – BANK ACCOUNT CHANGE OVER

On March 7, 2011 the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) awarded Rolka Loube Saltzer Associates, LLC (RLSA), a contract to administer the Interstate TRS Fund support services. As a result, administration of the TRS Fund is being transitioned from the current TRS Fund Administrator, National Exchange Carrier Association (NECA) to RLSA.

Effective Friday, July 1, 2011, RLSA in its role as the TRS Fund Administrator, will oversee collections and distribution from the TRS Fund. Therefore, on July 1, 2011, all TRS Fund related payments will be handled by M&T Bank in Baltimore, Maryland. NECA, the current TRS Fund Administrator through June 30, 2011, uses the services of Bank of New York Mellon in Pittsburgh, PA.

TRS contributors will receive an email from RLSA containing instructions for using a secure online portal and bill payment options, at <u>r-l-s-a.inlattice.com</u>. TRS contributors that have not provided an email address on their most recently filed Form 499-A will be contacted via regular US mail by RLSA. Additional information concerning RLSA and TRS Fund administration can be found at <u>r-l-s-a.com/TRS</u>.

Services Agreement, CON 11000003 (March 7, 2011) and FCC Names New Administrator of Interstate TRS Fund Action Part of Commission's Comprehensive Reforms to the VRS Program, April 6, 2011(DOC-0305589A1).

See https://www.fbo.gov/spg/FCC/FCCOMD/FCCCPC/Awards/CON11000003.html, TRS Fund Administration