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VIA E-MAIL

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Re: Application of USCOC of Greater North Carolina, LLC, and Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc., for Consent To Assign License (WT Docket No. 16-154)

Dear Mr. Gockley:

USCOC of Greater North Carolina, LLC, and Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc., have filed an application pursuant to Section 310(d) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the Act),¹ seeking Commission consent to the assignment of a partitioned Lower 700 MHz A Block license.² For the Commission to complete its review of the application and make the necessary public interest findings under Section 310(d) of the Act,³ we require additional information, documents, and clarification of certain matters discussed in the application and other information provided to the Commission. If necessary, we will follow up with additional requests for information.

Accordingly, pursuant to Section 308(b) of the Act,⁴ we request that you provide written responses and supporting documentation for each request set forth in the attached General Information Request and, where appropriate, amend the application to reflect such responses. Each response or document should clearly indicate the specific question or request to which it responds, and each page should be marked with a corporate identification and consecutive document control numbers as specified in the attached instructions. We would appreciate receiving your response to each inquiry no later than **July 20, 2016**.

Your responses should be filed with Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, in WT Docket No. 16-154. In addition, the *Comment Public Notice* and the *Protective Order*⁵ require the submission of multiple copies of all *ex parte* and other filings submitted in this proceeding. The Wireless Telecommunications Bureau also should receive, at a minimum, two copies of all paper filings. If you submit information pursuant to the *Protective Order* issued in this case, please

¹ 47 U.S.C. § 310(d).

² *USCOC of Greater North Carolina, LLC, and Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc., Seek FCC Consent to the Assignment of a Partitioned Lower 700 MHz A Block License in North Carolina*, WT Docket No. 16-154, Public Notice, DA 16-767 (WTB July 6, 2016) (*Comment Public Notice*).

³ 47 U.S.C. § 310(d).

⁴ 47 U.S.C. § 308(b).

⁵ *Application of USCOC of Greater North Carolina, LLC, and Horry Telephone Cooperative, Inc., for Consent To Assign License*, WT Docket No. 16-154, Protective Order, DA 16-768 (WTB July 6, 2016) (*Protective Order*).

call Scott Patrick of the Wireless Telecommunications Bureau at (202) 418-2853 to schedule receipt of the hand delivery of the unredacted documents, as well as follow other instructions set forth in the *Protective Order*. For any electronic filings made using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), parties also should serve the documents via e-mail to Scott Patrick, scott.patrick@fcc.gov; Betsy McIntyre, elizabeth.mcintyre@fcc.gov; and Jim Bird, TransactionTeam@fcc.gov. For any documents and data you submit, please coordinate with Commission staff to discuss an acceptable format for their submission, as indicated in the Instructions attached to the General Information Response.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Kathy Harris, Mobility Division, Wireless Telecommunications Bureau, at (202) 418-0609, or Betsy McIntyre, Competition and Infrastructure Policy Division, Wireless Telecommunication Bureau, at (202) 418-0668.

Sincerely,

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