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Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street SW  
Washington, DC 20554  
Att: Carmell Weathers  
Wireline Competition Bureau

December 12, 2018

Subject: Network Notification No. 127

**Public Notice of Copper Retirement Under Rule 51.333**

This Notice, pursuant to CFR 47, Subsection 51.333, advises of the following Network change(s) and/or improvement(s) within Telephone Operating Company of Vermont LLC d/b/a Consolidated Communications and the scheduled implementation date.

**Vermont Wire Centers:**

Consolidated Central Office CLLI:	Central Office Name:	Consolidated RT CLLI :	Municipality:	Route and Pole:	Street Address (if necessary):
STOWVTHI	STOWE,VT	STOWVT05	STOWE	RTE 18-4 P4	768 CROSS RD

**Planned Implementation or Retirement Date:** Will not be implemented for 90 days after the release of the Commission’s public notice of filing.

**Description of Change:**

Replacing copper (metallic) feeder facilities with fiber optic cable and Digital Loop Carrier (DLC) systems. The public notice of this network change will identify the services that will be transferred to the DLC. Changes may occur to existing circuits because they are not compatible with DLC. Any existing UNE xDSL or Digital Design Loop (DDL) services may be disconnected with this network change.

**Description of Foreseeable Impact:**

After the planned network changes are implemented, there will be no copper (metallic) loop facilities between Consolidated’s STOWE Central Office and the remote terminal in the affected area. Copper (metallic) sub-loop facilities will remain in place between Consolidated’s Remote Terminal and customer premises in the affected area.



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The following loop types will be transferred to the new DLC systems:

2-Wire Analog Voice Grade Loop except those circuits identified below as Services impacted.

The following UNE loop types plus any services not specifically identified that require copper cable for provisioning will no longer be available from Consolidated's identified above Central Office's to customer premises in the affected area:

2-Wire ADSL - Compatible Loop  
4-Wire HDSL - Compatible Loop  
2-Wire SDSL - Compatible Loop

2-Wire HDSL - Compatible Loop  
2-Wire IDSL - Compatible Metallic Loop  
2-Wire Digital Designed Metallic Loop

**Description of Changes to Rates, Terms & Conditions:** There will be no change to the Rates, Terms or Conditions for Telecommunications Services.

CLEC SERVICES IMPACTED

CLEC NAME/CCNA/ACNA	Consolidated RT CLLI	CIRCUIT TYPE/SERVICE (e.g. DSL)	CIRCUIT ID
Sovernet	STOWVT05	DSL	77/ARDU/374343/ VT /
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Sovernet	STOWVT05	DSL	77/ARDU/002733/ VT /

Attachment: Certificate of Service

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