BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

JUN 0 4 2012

In the Matter of Certification of Compliance	e)		by
with Section 254(e) of the Federal)	State	Corporation Commission of Kansas
Telecommunications Act of 1996 and) .	Docket No. 12-GIMT-715-GIT	
Certification of Appropriate Use of Kansas)		
Universal Service Fund Suppert.)		

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW Colleen R. Harrell, James M. Caplinger, and James M. Caplinger, Jr. and hereby enter their appearance as counsel for and on behalf of the State Independent Alliance ("SIA") in the above captioned matter. A list of the members of SIA is attached as Attachment A.

All service, pleadings and correspondence should be directed as follows:

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)			
OUNTY OF SHAWNEE)			
I, Colleen R. Harrell, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon her oath states:			
That she is an attorney for the State Independent Alliance, that she has read the above and			
foregoing document, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing			
are true and correct.			
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 4th day of June, 2012. Maska Swins Notary Public			
My Commission Expires:			
March 2, 2013			

MARSHA GIVENS
Notary Public - State of Kansas
My Appt. Expires 3-02-13

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was placed in the United States mail, postage prepaid on this 42 day of June, 2012 to the following:

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Attachment A

State Independent Alliance

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Received on

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In re: Docket No. 12-GIMT-715-GIT

by State Corporation Commission of Kansas

Dear Ms. Petersen-Klein:

We are enclosing the original and seven copies of an Entry of Appearance in the above-referenced docket.

If the Commission or Staff have any questions with regard to the filing, please contact this office.

Sincerely,

Colleen R. Harrell by mg

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