

**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF  
THE STATE OF KANSAS**

In the Matter of An Investigation to Determine )  
the Assessment Rate for the Twenty-Fourth Year ) Docket No. 20-GIMT-086-GIT  
of the Kansas Universal Service Fund, Effective )  
March 1, 2020 )

**LATE FILED ENTRY OF APPEARANCE**

COME NOW Thomas E. Gleason, Jr. and Mark Doty of Gleason & Doty,  
Chartered and, pursuant to the Commission's Order of August 29, 2019, enter their  
appearance as counsel the following rural local exchange carriers (hereafter "RLECs"):

Cunningham Telephone Company, Inc.	Twin Valley Telephone, Inc.
Gorham Telephone Company, Inc.	Wamego Telecommunications Company, Inc.
H&B Communications, Inc.	Wilson Telephone Company, Inc.
Home Telephone Company, Inc.	Zenda Telephone Company, Inc.
Totah Communications, Inc.	

1. Each of these RLECs is a rural telephone company as defined by K.S.A 66-1,187(1), an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier designated by this Commission for receipt of state and federal universal service support, and a carrier of last resort pursuant to KSA 66-2009. Each holds one or more certificates of convenience and authority from this Commission to provide local exchange and exchange access services in respective service areas defined by this Commission within the State of Kansas.

2. Each of these RLECs contributes to, and receives revenues from the Kansas Universal Service Fund. This Commission's Order of August 29,2019 states: "The Commission finds that all carriers contributing to, and all carriers receiving distributions from the KUSF... should be parties to this docket."

3. Paragraph 11 of this Commission's Order of August 29, 2019 herein states: "If a carrier or entity does not file an Entry of Appearance in this proceeding, but later desires to become an active party, that carrier or entity may do so by submitting a Late Filed Entry of Appearance and state whether it is willing to receive electronic service and, if so, provide an email address for service...."

4. The undersigned counsel for the named RLECs are willing to receive electronic service in this proceeding at the email addresses provided below with their respective signatures.

WHEREFORE the named RLECs request the undersigned be recognized as counsel herein for the named RLECs, that the named RLECs through such counsel be served with all subsequent pleadings, testimony, briefs, and procedural orders as this proceeding progresses; and that through such counsel they be given notice of and allowed to participate in all subsequent hearings, roundtables, or other sessions that are scheduled in this proceeding as provided in the Commission's Order of August 29, 2019 herein.

Respectfully submitted,

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**VERIFICATION**

STATE OF KANSAS                    )  
  ) ss:  
COUNTY OF DOUGLAS            )

I, Thomas E. Gleason, Jr., of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon my oath, state: I am an attorney for the named rural local exchange carriers; I have read the foregoing Late Filed Entry of Appearance, and upon information and belief state that the matters therein appearing are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and information.

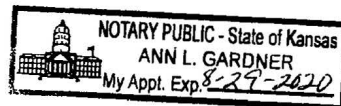
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of December, 2019.

Ann L. Gardner  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

Thomas E. Gleason, Jr. certifies that the foregoing Entry of Appearance was served by electronic delivery of a correct copy thereof to the following on the 16th day of December, 2019:

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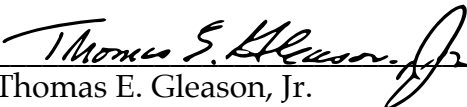
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