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August 8, 2018

Ms. Lynn M. Retz  
Secretary to the Commission  
Kansas Corporation Commission  
1500 SW Arrowhead Road  
Topeka, KS 66604-4027

Re: Docket 19-GIMT-006-GIT

Dear Ms. Retz,

Attached please find an Entry of Appearance for Mutual Telephone Company, The Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc., Rural Telephone Service Co. Inc. d/b/a Nex-Tech, and Wheat State Telephone Company, Inc. in the above-referenced docket.

If the Commission or Staff has any questions with regard to the filing, please do not hesitate to call me.

Very truly yours,



Mark E. Caplinger  
Attorney for Mutual Telephone Co.,  
The Southern Kansas Telephone Co. Inc.,  
Rural Telephone Service Co. Inc.,  
d/b/a Nex-Tech, and  
Wheat State Telephone Company, Inc.

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Cc: John Tietjens  
Kendall Mikesell  
Jimmy Todd  
Randy Hoffman

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

In the Matter of a General Investigation Into     )  
The Adjustment of Intrastate Switched         )  
Access Charges for Rural Telephone             )  
Companies in Compliance with K.S.A. 66-       )  
2005(c) and Federal Communications           )  
Commission Reforms.                             )

Docket No. 19-GIMT-006-GIT

**ENTRY OF APPEARANCE AND  
CONSENT TO ELECTRONIC SERVICE**

COMES NOW Mark E. Caplinger, of Mark E. Caplinger, P.A., and enters his appearance as counsel on behalf of Mutual Telephone Company, Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. d/b/a Nex-Tech, The Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc., and Wheat State Telephone Company, Inc. Counsel consents to electronic service without a hard-copy follow-up. Additionally all service, pleadings, testimony, briefs and orders for the above-captioned case should be directed to counsel at the following email address:

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Respectfully submitted,



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VERIFICATION

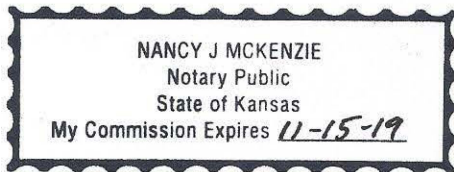
STATE OF KANSAS            )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE    )

I, Mark E. Caplinger, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon his oath states:

That he is an attorney for Mutual Telephone Company, Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. d/b/a Nex-Tech, The Southern Kansas Telephone Company, Inc., and Wheat State Telephone Company, Inc., that he has read the above and foregoing document, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.

  
Mark E. Caplinger

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2018.



  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

11-15-19

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Mark E. Caplinger, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was electronically served to the following on this 3 day of August, 2018.

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