BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

)

)

In the Matter of the Application of Campus Communications Group, Inc., for a Certificate of Convenience and Authority to Provide Local Exchange and Interexchange Services Within the State of Kansas.

Docket No_24-CCGT-782-COC

APPLICATION OF CAMPUS COMMUNICATIONS GROUP, INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE AND INTEREXCHANGE CARRIER SERVICES WITHIN THE STATE OF KANSAS

Comes now Jason Danowsky, representing Campus Communications Group, Inc. ("CCG," the "Company," or "Applicant"), a Delaware corporation, and files this Application for a certificate of convenience and authority to provide competitive local exchange and exchange access ("CLEC") and interexchange carrier ("IXC") services the State of Kansas in the service territory described specifically herein (collectively, the "CLEC License"), and hereby makes the claim that the public convenience will be thereby promoted. CCG respectfully requests that expedited consideration be given to this Application. CCG, for purposes of verification and in evidence of fitness to operate, offers the following information in support of this Application:

I. APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

1. Full, correct name (including d/b/a) of company, firm, association or corporation making this filing:

Campus Communications Group, Inc.

2. **Federal Identification Number:**

0005813316

3. Type of Certification requested by applicant:

(Please provide a separate application for each type of certification. The requisite \$250.00 filing fee per service must accompany each application.)

- **Competitive Local Exchange Service**
- Interexchange (long distance or toll) Service Operator
- $\frac{X}{X}$ Services and Interexchange (toll) Service
 - Resale
 - Facilities-based
 - X Combined Resale and Facilities-based

- Address:
 601 North Country Fair Drive Champaign, IL 61821 Customer Service Toll-free Number: (888) 799-7249
- 5. If individually owned, name of individual doing business under above name: $N\!/\!A$
- 6. Requested serving territory (statewide for toll service; local service may be limited to specific exchange areas due to rural exemption guidelines; and operator services may be limited to specific institutions):

CCG requests authority to provide CLEC services within each territory in Kansas served by incumbent local exchange companies that do not meet the definition of a rural telephone company. CCG requests authority to provide IXC services throughout the State of Kansas.

7. Name, title, address telephone number and email address of person preparing this application.

Jason Danowsky FosterDanowsky LLP 904 West Avenue, Suite 107 Austin, TX 78701 (512) 708-8700 (512) 697-0058 fax jdanowsky@fosterdanowsky.com

8. Name, title, address, telephone number and email address of Commission/Industry Relations contact.

Tyler Pratt General Counsel 601 N. Country Fair Dr. Champaign, Illinois 61821 <u>regulatory@pavlovmedia.com</u> 217.531.9061

9. Organizational Information

A corporate organizational chart of CCG and its certificated affiliates' ownership structure is provided in Exhibit 1. Please note that MIP VI Trainer, L.P., which currently owns a minority interest in CCG is expected to acquire a controlling interest of over 50 percent [while this application is pending]. CCG does not expect any changes to the information provided in this application as a result of that change in control. CCG's Officers are as follows:

OFFICERS				
Title of Officer	Name of Officer			
CEO	Cory Douglas			
President	Michael O'Linc			
Secretary	William Clavey			

If incorporated, list information concerning company directors:

Name of Director	Address	Term Began	Term Expires	Shares of Common Stock	
(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	
Glenn Meyer	601 N. Country Fair Dr. Champaign, Illinois 61821				
Cory Douglas	601 N. Country Fair Dr. Champaign, Illinois 61821				
Michael O'Linc	601 N. Country Fair Dr. Champaign, Illinois 61821				

LIST OF DIRECTORS

10. Description of Applicant's operations (provide as Exhibits): SEE EXHIBIT 2

11. Applicant's Managerial Qualifications (provide as Exhibits): SEE EXHIBIT 3

A. Description of applicant's actual experience in the telecommunications business, specifically that represented in this application.

- B. Managerial qualification of your company's key personnel (copies of resumes are appropriate).
- 12. Is your company currently providing telecommunications service in any other state? If so, in an Exhibit, please name the state(s), provide a description of your company's operations therein and list the approximate number of customers in each state. Applicant is certificate as a local exchange carrier in Alabama, Arizona, California, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, North Carolina, Ohio, Oklahoma, Tennessee, and Texas. For customer counts, SEE CONFIDENTIAL EXHIBIT 4.

13. Financial Information: Applicant is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Pavlov Media. SEE EXHIBIT 1

- 14. Applicant's Financial Qualifications (provide as Exhibits): SEE CONFIDENTIAL EXHIBIT
 5
 - A. Comparative Income Statements for the immediately preceding three (3) year period (audited positive statements preferred).

- B. Balance Sheets for the immediately preceding three (3) year period (audited positive statements preferred).
- C. A forward-looking management narrative discussing <u>any significant activity</u> that may impact either the Income Statement or Balance Sheet provided.

15.As an attachment, please provide state of incorporation and proof of incorporation in that state. SEE EXHIBIT 6

- 16.As an attachment, please provide proof of registration with the Kansas Secretary of State (must maintain registry and remain in good standing). SEE EXHIBIT 7
- 17. Name and telephone number of the contact person for customer service. William Clavey (217) 353-3022 Wclavey@ccgfiber.com
- 18. Competitive Local Exchange (CLEC) applicants need to provide an interconnection or resale agreement with the incumbent local exchange carrier(s) for the service territory designated above, if consummated. Please indicate the docket number(s) and Commission approval date(s) for each. (Local operations may not begin until such agreements have been approved by the KCC.)

At this time, CCG seeks a CLEC License to provide CLEC services that do not require an interconnection agreement in the State of Kansas. To the extent CCG seeks to provide services in the future that require an interconnection agreement, CCG shall not provide such services until an interconnection agreement has been approved by the Commission.

19. CLEC Applicants must provide a copy of the Company's proposed Intrastate Access tariff. (Operations may not begin until a tariff has been filed with and approved by the KCC.)

CCG does not intend to provide switched access services in Kansas at this time, but to the extent CCG plans to in the future, it will not do so without first filing an intrastate access tariff with the Commission and obtains approval of the same

20. Complete, sign and attach the KCC Telecommunications Carrier Code of Conduct form as part of this application.

A copy of the KCC Telecommunications Carrier Code of Conduct, executed on behalf of CCG, is appended as Exhibit 8

Notice: Kansas Supreme Court Rule 116 requires attorneys who are not admitted to practice in Kansas to associate with an attorney "who is a resident of Kansas, regularly engaged in the practice of law in Kansas, and who is in good standing under all of the applicable rules of the Supreme Court of Kansas." The Kansas attorney must "sign all pleadings, documents, and briefs, and shall be present throughout all court or administrative appearances."

Attorneys licensed in Kansas, but not residents of Kansas may appear without local counsel. Any party may appear personally on his or her own behalf.

II. PUBLIC INTEREST STATEMENT

Granting this Application will promote the public interest by increasing competition in the provision of telecommunications services in Kansas. As evidenced herein, CCG has vast experience in providing such services in many other states. CCG has the technical and managerial expertise and the financial resources to bring competitive telecommunications services to the residents and businesses in Kansas in an efficient and cost- effective manner, which is indeed in the public interest.

III. CONCLUSION

In conclusion, as described above, CCG satisfies all requirements for a CLEC License to provide both CLEC and IXC services. Furthermore, granting CCG a CLEC License is in the public interest because it will enable CCG to facilitate deployment of voice, broadband and competitive telecommunications services in Kansas. As such, CCG respectfully requests that the Commission grant this Application expeditiously.

Befort Law Firm, LLC

by:/s/ Jeffrey A. Befort Jeffrey A. Befort, KS Bar # 24072 4035 Central St. Kansas City, MO 64111 ph: 816-536-0283 fax: 888-347-7193 jeff@befortlawkc.com

by:<u>/s/ Jason Danowsky</u> Jason Danowsky Texas Bar No. 24092318 **FosterDanowsky LLP** 904 West Ave, Suite 107 Austin, TX 78701 Office: (512) 708-8700 Fax: (512) 697-0058 jdanowsky@fosterdanowsky.com

OATH

State of Illinois

County of Champaign

William Clavey, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he is the Secretary of Campus Communications Group, Inc., and that the facts set forth in the foregoing application have been prepared under his direction, from the original books, papers and records of said company, that he examined same, and declares same to be true and correct to the best of his/her knowledge and belief.

Further, that applicant has full knowledge of the Kansas Corporation Commission's jurisdiction affecting local service providers and will comply with the applicable requirements of this Commission.

W.U

William Clavey Secretary Campus Communications Group, Inc.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on the 5 day of May, 2024.

OFFICIAL SEAL Natalle Pennock NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF ILLINOIS My Commission Expires May 27, 2024

Notary Public

My commission expires 5 27 24