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Kansas Corporation Commission
1500 SW Arrowhead Road
Topeka, Kansas 66604-4027

Re: Skybeam, LLC – Docket No. 15-SKYT-262-ETC

Dear Sir / Madam:

Pursuant to the Kansas Corporation Commission Order in Docket No. 15-SKYT-262-ETC, Skybeam, LLC ("Skybeam") provides notice that as of December 1, 2016 the Company is offering voice and broadband services to customers in portions of its designated service areas of the state. With this initiation of service, Skybeam is in compliance with the *Rural Experiments Order*¹ by offering service in at least twenty-five (25 percent) of the census blocks that comprise its designated service area in Marion, Kansas within fifteen months of receiving federal Lifeline funding.

Attached is the affidavit of Pete Caputo, Chief Information Officer, Senior Vice President, Network Architecture, Engineering and IT attesting that the company meets the FCC's 15 month buildout milestone for its Marion, Kansas service area. Also included, please find for the Confidential Record a submission with a list of the census block areas and map in which the Company is offering service in Kansas.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Thomas H. Rowland

Counsel for Skybeam, LLC

¹ See *Connect America Fund; ETC Annual Reports and Certifications*, WC Docket Nos. 10-90, 14-58, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 29 FCC Rcd 8769 (2014) ("*Rural Experiments Order*").