BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

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Before Commissioners:

Brian J. Moline, Chair Robert E. Krehbiel Michael C. Moffet

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In the Matter of the General Investigation Into the Commission's Telephone Billing Practices Standards

) Docket No. 06-GIMT-187-GIT

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW Thomas E. Gleason, Jr., of the firm of GLEASON & DOTY,
CHARTERED and enters his appearance in the above-entitled proceeding as counsel on
behalf of the Independent Telecommunications Group, Columbus et al., ("Columbus").
Columbus consists of the following independent local telephone companies:

Columbus Telephone Co.
Cunningham Telephone Co., Inc.
Gorham Telephone Co., Inc.
H&B Communications, Inc.
Home Telephone Company, Inc.
LaHarpe Telephone Company, Inc.
Moundridge Telephone Company, Inc.
Totah Telephone Company, Inc.
Twin Valley Telephone, Inc.
Wamego Telephone Company, Inc.
Wilson Telephone Company, Inc.
Zenda Telephone Company, Inc.

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