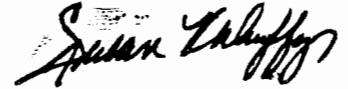


**BEFORE THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS**

APR 27 2011

In the Matter of a Review of the Kansas)
Lifeline Service Program (KLSP) to)
Determine the Impact of the Increase in the)
Statewide Affordable Residential Rate to)
Lifeline Subscribers and Whether the \$7.77)
Monthly Credit Should Be Modified.)

Docket No. 11-GIMT-635-GIT



ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW James M. Caplinger and Mark E. Caplinger and hereby enter their appearance as counsel for and on behalf of the State Independent Alliance ("SIA") in the above captioned matter. A list of the members of SIA is attached as Attachment A.

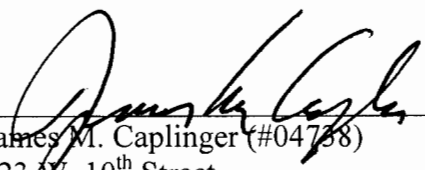
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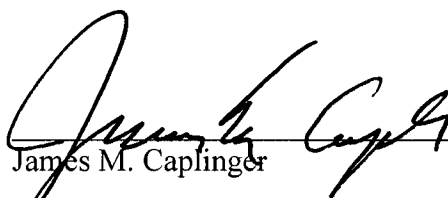
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss:
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

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

That he is an attorney for the State Independent Alliance, that he has read the above and foregoing document, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.

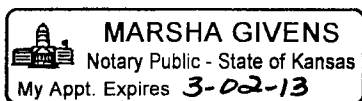

James M. Caplinger

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 27th day of April, 2011.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

March 2, 2013



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was placed in the United States mail, postage prepaid on this 27th day of April, 2011 to the following:

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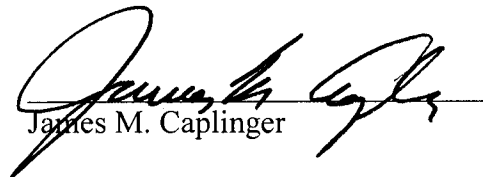
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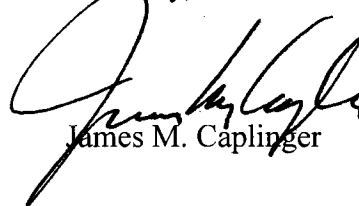
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Dear Ms. Duffy:

We are enclosing the original and seven copies of an Entry of Appearance in the above-referenced docket.

If the Commission or Staff have any questions with regard to the filing, please contact this office.

Sincerely,


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