

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

SEP 04 2013

In the Matter of an Investigation to)
Determine the Assessment Rate for the)
Eighteenth Year of the Kansas Universal)
Service Fund, Effective March 1, 2014.)


by
State Corporation Commission
of Kansas
Docket No. 14-GIMT-105-GIT

**ENTRY OF APPEARANCE OF THE STATE INDEPENDENT ALLIANCE
AND CONSENT TO ELECTRONIC SERVICE**

COME NOW Colleen R. Harrell, and James M. Caplinger of JAMES M. CAPLINGER,
CHTD., and enter their appearance in this docket and consent to electronic service on behalf of the
State Independent Alliance, the membership of which is reflected in Attachment "A."

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. CAPLINGER, CHARTERED



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VERIFICATION

STATE OF KANSAS)
) ss:
COUNTY OF SHAWNEE)

I, Colleen R. Harrell, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon her oath states:

That she is an attorney for The State Independent Alliance, that she has read the above and foregoing Entry of Appearance, and upon information and belief, states that the matters therein appearing are true and correct.



Colleen R. Harrell

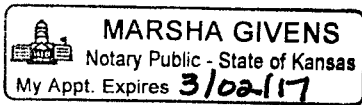
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 4th day of September, 2013.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

March 2, 2017



ATTACHMENT A

The State Independent Alliance

**Bluestem Telephone Company
Blue Valley Tele-Communications, Inc.
Craw-Kan Telephone Cooperative, Inc.
The Golden Belt Telephone Association, Inc.
Haviland Telephone Company, Inc.
JBN Telephone Company, Inc.
KanOkla Telephone Association, Inc.
Madison Telephone, LLC
MoKan Dial, Inc.
Peoples Telecommunications, LLC
The Pioneer Telephone Association, Inc.
Rainbow Telecommunications Association, Inc.
Rural Telephone Service Company, Inc. d/b/a Nex-Tech
S & A Telephone Company
The S & T Telephone Cooperative Association, Inc.
South Central Telephone Association
Sunflower Telephone Company, Inc.
The Tri-County Telephone Association, Inc.
United Telephone Association, Inc.
Wheat State Telephone, Inc.**

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, hereby certify that on the 4th day of September, 2013, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document was sent by United States Mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

Michael Neeley, Litigation Counsel
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RE: Entry of Appearance
Docket No. 14-GIMT-105-GIT

Dear Ms. Christiansen:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned docket please find the original and eight copies of the Entry of Appearance and Consent to Electronic Service of the State Independent Alliance.

Please file stamp one copy and return it to me for my records.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Cordially yours,



Colleen R. Harrell

Encl.