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VIA EFIS

December 20, 2018

Morris L. Woodruff
Secretary
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street
P.O. Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

RE: FairPoint Carrier Services, Inc.
Notice of Name Change Resulting from Internal Corporate Merger

Dear Mr. Woodruff:

This letter serves as notice to the Commission of a name change resulting from an internal corporate merger, effective January 1, 2019, whereby FairPoint Carrier Services, Inc. will be merged into Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc.¹

Old Name: FairPoint Carrier Services, Inc.

New Name: Consolidated Communications Enterprise Services, Inc. d/b/a
Consolidated Communications

Effective Date of New Name: January 1, 2019

Please find attached documentation that the new name is registered with the Missouri Secretary of State.

The Company has reviewed and updated the Company's contacts in EFIS.

Contemporaneously with this name change notification, the Company is filing the attached new tariff reflecting the new name of the company, designated PSC MO. No. 5 (Interexchange Telecommunications Services), which replaces in its entirety the Company's existing tariff, PSC Mo. No. 1 (Interexchange Telecommunications Services). While reflecting the new corporate entity providing the service, the new tariff PSC MO. No. 5 does not change any of the rates, terms and conditions applicable to the provision of competitive intrastate, interexchange and non-switched local exchange dedicated private line telecommunications services on a wholesale basis. New tariff PSC MO. No. 5 reflects a January 1, 2019 effective date. Thereafter, existing tariff PSC Mo. No. 1 will be cancelled.

¹ Commission Rule 4 CSR 240-28.030 has been rescinded effective December 30, 2018, and 28.030(9) is now set forth in a streamlined Rule 4 CSR 240-28.011(2),(4) effective the above date (Code of State Regulations, 11/30/18).



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If there are any questions or concerns regarding this filing, please call my direct line at (936) 788-7420, or email me at kevin.kastor@consolidated.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kevin Q. Kastor".

Kevin Kastor
Director – Government Affairs
Consolidated Communications

Att:

cc: opcservice@ded.mo.gov