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Joshua Harden
Secretary/General Counsel
Missouri Public Service Commission
200 Madison Street, PO Box 360
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0360

**Re: Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. dba Birch Communications, Ionex
Communications, Inc. dba Birch Communications, and Cbeyond
Communications, LLC – Notification of Transfer of Control**

Dear Mr. Harden:

On May 2, 2014, Birch Telecom of Missouri, Inc. dba Birch Communications, Ionex Communications, Inc. dba Birch Communications (collectively, "Birch") and Cbeyond Communications, LLC ("Cbeyond") (collectively, "Parties") filed a Notification with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") of the transfer of control of Cbeyond to Birch Communications, Inc., parent of Birch (the "Transaction"). The Parties hereby notify the Commission that the Transaction was consummated on July 18, 2014.

The contact person for any future correspondence with Cbeyond is Angela Hoke, Manager, Legal & Regulatory, Birch Communications, Inc., 2323 Grand Blvd., Suite 925, Kansas City, MO, 64108; 816-300-1049; angela.hoke@birch.com.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,



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