

AFFIDAVIT

I, Brian McClintock hereby certify that I am the CFO
of Ionex Communications, Inc. dba Birch Communications (hereafter referred to as the "Company"), and am
duly authorized to execute this affidavit on behalf of the Company.

The Company states that its financial information within the MO Annual Report contains information which is required
to be submitted to the Commission, however, the Company is a private, closely held corporation whose financial information
is maintained as highly confidential and proprietary, and is not publicly available in any format.

Public disclosure of this information would materially damage the Company's competitive and financial positions. Further,
the public interest would be impaired by public disclosure of the information contained in the Company's Annual Report, in that
any compromise of the Company's competitive of financial positions, vis a vis its competitors, would ultimately work to the
detriment of the consuming public.

I hereby request confidential (proprietary) treatment of the information in the Annual Report to the State of Missouri,

Under penalty of perjury, I declare that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief



Brian McClintock

4/13/2020
Date

Sworn and subscribed before me this 13 day of April, 2020.

Not Notarized per MO Notice, Statue 509.030
Signature of official administering oath

Cherie Cooper

My Commission expires: 130224096