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March 14, 2024

Missouri Public Service Commission  
200 Madison Street, Suite 100  
Jefferson City, MO 65101

To Whom It May Concern:

Attached is the 2023 Annual Report for Socket Telecom LLC (“Socket”). Socket is submitting a Public and a Highly Confidential, or Non-Public, Version of the Report. Attached to this letter is a detailed affidavit that outlines the reason that Socket is seeking to have some of the information in the Annual Report kept Non-Public. Should there be any questions concerning the Non-Public information or the Annual Report in general, please feel free to contact me at 573-777-1991, ext 551, or via e-mail at [rmkohly@sockettelecom.com](mailto:rmkohly@sockettelecom.com).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Matt Kohly'.

Matt Kohly  
Socket Telecom LLC  
2703 Clark Lane  
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STATE OF MISSOURI    )  
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COUNTY OF BOONE    )        SS.

**AFFIDAVIT**

I, R. MATTHEW KOHLY, first being duly sworn, state on my oath that I am over the age of twenty-one years, sound of mind, and an employee of Socket Telecom LLC. On behalf of Socket Telecom LLC, I state as follows:


1. Socket Telecom LLC is a Competitive Local Exchange Carrier and an Interexchange Carrier providing service in Missouri
2. The Annual Report filed by Socket Telecom LLC with the Missouri Public Service Commission contains sensitive business information, specifically statements of the number of Missouri access lines served by Socket Telecom LLC, and sensitive financial information, specifically revenue numbers that Socket Telecom LLC considers Highly Confidential.
3. Public disclosure of this information would be competitively harmful to Socket Telecom LLC.
4. The information designated as Non-Public or Highly Confidential in the Annual Report is not publicly available.

Further affiant sayeth naught.

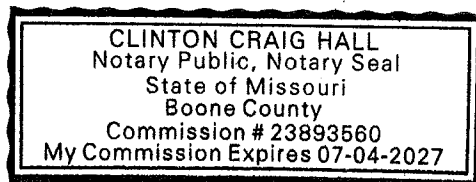
  
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R. Matthew Kohly

On this 14 day of March, 2024

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal in the County and State aforesaid, the day and year above-written

  
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Notary Public

My Commission Expires:



## VERIFICATION

Note: Prefer Affiant to be President, Treasurer, General Manager or Receiver of Company \*

Company Name: Socket Telecom LLC

Annual Report for calendar year 2023

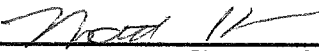
Affiant Information	
Name	Matt Kohly
Title	Director
City, State	Columbia, MO

Under penalty of perjury, I declare the information contained in this annual report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

\* If Affiant is not the President, Treasurer, General Manager or Receiver of the company then explain Affiant's ability to verify the accuracy of the information presented:

Director is of equivalent executive authority in the company as Treasurer, etc.

3/14/24  
Date

  
Signature of Affiant  
(If electronic signatures are used, you must use "/s/" before the name.)

**Missouri Revised Statutes §392.210, §393.140 and §509.030**