

February 2, 2009

Steve Weed, Chief Executive Officer
Astound Broadband, LLC
401 Kirkland Parkplace, Suite 500
Kirkland, WA 98033

Dear Mr. Weed:

Effective February 28, 2009, the Utilities and Transportation Commission grants Astound Broadband, LLC, registration in Docket UT-090160 as a competitive telecommunications company. Enclosed is a certificate providing evidence that Astound Broadband, LLC, is authorized to provide telecommunication services in the state of Washington. As a registered telecommunications company, Astound Broadband, LLC, must comply with the statutes and rules governing telecommunications companies including RCW Title 80, WAC 480-80, WAC 480-120, and WAC 480-121. WAC 480-121-063 identifies regulatory requirements that are waived for competitively classified telecommunication companies.

In accordance with WAC 480-120-303, Astound Broadband, LLC, must submit to the commission an annual report form and pay regulatory fees no later than May 1 of each year.

Sincerely,

DAVID W. DANNER
Executive Director and Secretary

NOTICE TO PARTIES: This is an order delegated to the Secretary for decision. In addition to serving you a copy of the decision, the Commission will post on its Internet Web site for at least 14 days a listing of all matters delegated to the Secretary for decision. You may seek Commission review of this decision. You must file a request for Commission review of this order no later than fourteen (14) days after the date the decision is posted on the Commission's Web site. The Commission will schedule your request for review for consideration at a regularly scheduled open meeting. The Commission will notify you of the time and place of the open meeting at which the Commission will review the order.

The Commission will grant a late-filed request for review only on a showing of good cause, including a satisfactory explanation of why the person did not timely file the request. A form for late-filed requests is available on the Commission's Web site.

This notice and review process is pursuant to the provisions of RCW 80.01.030 and WAC 480-07-904(1)(k).