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Mr. Steven V. King, Executive Secretary
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Re: Confirmation of 564 Area Code Activation

Dear Mr. King:

This letter is being submitted in Dockets UT-143787 and UT-170838 at the request of Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (“Commission”) staff. Electric Lightwave, LLC, a Washington State operating subsidiary of Allstream Business US, Inc. f/k/a Electric Lightwave Holdings, Inc. (the “Company”) hereby notifies the Commission that the Company has successfully activated the 564 area code at the line level.

Area code 564 was activated on 07/29/17, when mandatory 10-digit dialing was implemented. Code 564-397 had an effective date of 08/31/17. The Company successfully tested the area code after September 1, using carrier test number 564-397-8998.

Per the Commission’s request to activate numbers within the code, the Company programmed two numbers into the switch so that live calls could be made to the PSTN, as confirmation that the area code is active and working at the line level. The numbers (564-397-1001 and 564-397-8999) can be used by the Commission to make test calls, to confirm that the area code is working properly.

Please contact me with any additional questions you may have about this filing.

Sincerely,

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