

April 26, 2017

Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
Attention: Steven King, Executive Director and Secretary
1300 S. Evergreen Park Drive S.W.
PO Box 47250
Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Electric Lightwave Request for Extension of Filing 2016 Annual Report

Mr. King,

Integra Telecom of Washington, Inc., Electric Lightwave, LLC, Eschelon Telecom of Washington, Inc., Advanced TelCom, Inc., Shared Communications Services, Inc., Oregon Telecom, Inc., United Communications, Inc., and World Communications, Inc. (collectively “Electric Lightwave”), make this late filed request for an extension of the May 1, 2017 deadline for filing annual reports.¹

Electric Lightwave was recently acquired by Zayo Group, LLC. The transaction closed on March 1, 2017.² Since that time the company has been involved in integration activities that have changed the processes and people compiling the data required for these reports. Despite these changes, the company placed a high priority on its reporting obligations and anticipated that reports in Washington would be filed on a timely basis. However, we determined today that, despite our best efforts, the company will unlikely be able to meet the May 1 deadline.

As a result of the foregoing, the company requests a short extension for filing the annual reports, on or before May 15, 2017. The company will make every effort to file the reports before May 15. This short extension will not delay payment of the annual regulatory fees, which will be submitted on or before May 1, 2017.

Thank you for your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,



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¹ Each affiliate files separately with the Commission

² See Docket UT-161277 initial filing on 12/13/2016 and Consummation Notice on 3/6/2017.