

January 26, 2018

Mr. Steven King  
Executive Director and Secretary  
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission  
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Olympia WA 98504-7250

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RE: Change of Assumed Name for Elltel Long Distance Corp. d/b/a FairPoint Long Distance

Dear Mr. King:

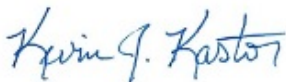
On July 3, 2017, Consolidated Communications Holdings, Inc. completed its acquisition of FairPoint Communications, Inc. This letter is to notify the Commission of the change in the assumed name for Elltel Long Distance Corp. d/b/a FairPoint Long Distance.

Effective February 19, 2018, Elltel Long Distance Corp. d/b/a FairPoint Long Distance will be Elltel Long Distance Corp. d/b/a Consolidated Communications Long Distance. This change does not impact the corporate entity actually providing service, any of the terms and conditions of service, or any of the service offerings of Elltel Long Distance Corp. A copy of the filing made to affect this change with the State of Washington Business Licensing Service is enclosed.

Customers have been provided with notice of this change in their January billing statements as well as via a letter sent in January.

Please contact me at the number below or Beth Westman at 207.535.4249 or bwestman@fairpoint.com with any questions or concerns regarding this filing.

Sincerely,



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