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Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission

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**RE: Registration of Teleport Communications America, LLC**

On October 16, 2012, TCG Oregon and TCG Seattle notified the WUTC that the two entities would merge into Teleport Communications America, LLC (“TCA”) (collectively, “the Companies”) on or around December 31, 2012, with TCA being the surviving entity. In this advisement, the Companies requested that the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (“Commission”) recognize Teleport Communications America, LLC in lieu of TCG Oregon and TCG Seattle upon consummation of the transaction (see attached Exhibit 1A). All of the Companies are subsidiaries of AT&T, Inc.

Although the Companies do not necessarily agree that it must register TCA, the Registration form (Exhibit 2A) is being filed in an abundance of caution.

The Companies request that the Commission recognize Teleport Communications America, LLC in lieu of TCG Oregon and TCG Seattle upon consummation of the transaction, and, if a registration is required, to expedite approval of the registration of TCA and ensure approval before December 31, 2012 as to not delay the merger described above.

If you have any questions regarding this notice or the underlying transaction, please feel free to contact me at (512) 330-1698.

Very truly yours,



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AT&T Services, Inc.

cc: Kristen Russell

Exhibit 1A

Exhibit 2A