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**PUCO** 

January 31, 2008

Ms. Renee' Jenkins Director, Office of Administration Public Utilities Commission of Ohio 180 East Broad Street Columbus, OH 43215-3793

RE: PUCO 97-414-TP-UNC

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Please docket this letter in the above captioned case as notice that OSLECA will withdraw from the Hardship Fund reimbursement of the pre-approved project shown below.

Conneaut Telephone Company – Broadband Deployment - \$550,000.00 (In increments as expended over the course of the project.)

The OSLECA trustees have reviewed the above project and agree it comports with the pre-approved authority granted in the November 28, 2007 Entry in the above case.

Respectfully,

K. Patrick Collins Secretary/Treasurer

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Cc: PUCO Commissioners
Allen Francis
Jeff Jones
Lori Sternisha
OSLECA Trustees
Conneaut Telephone Company