

**BEFORE  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

In the Matter of the Application of Point	)	Case No. 20-1563-TP-ACE
Broadband Fiber Holdings LLC d/b/a Point	)	
Broadband for Carrier Certification in the State	)	
of Ohio	)	

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**REVIEW AND RECOMMENDATION  
SUBMITTED ON BEHALF OF THE STAFF OF  
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

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Pursuant to the Ohio Administrative Code rule 4901:1-6-08, as adopted in Case No. 15-1554-TP-ORD, this is an Application for Certification (ACE). As such, this ACE application is subject to a 30-day approval process. The automatic approval date is October 29, with an effective date of October 30, 2020.

On September 29, 2020, Point Broadband Fiber Holdings LLC d/b/a Point Broadband (Applicant) filed an ACE application seeking authority to provide facilities-based competitive local exchange telecommunications services throughout the state of Ohio. The Applicant is proposing to offer data transport services to business customers.

This is an application seeking authority to offer a telecommunication service defined in 4927.01(A)(13), as such it must comply with §4901:1-6-08 of the Ohio Administrative Code. Upon review of the application, staff found some deficiencies; as such staff contacted the Applicant to request the application be revised to correct these deficiencies. The Applicant forwarded the requested corrections to staff on October 28, 2020. Upon review of those corrections, staff found them to be sufficient.

The staff reviewed all documents and exhibits filed on September 29 and as amended October 28, 2020. In conclusion, the staff review found that the application, as amended, is reasonable. Therefore, staff recommends that the Applicant's Application for Certification (ACE) be approved.

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