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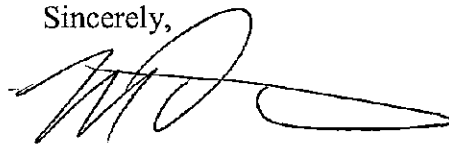
Re: In the Matter of the Application of Clear Rate Communications, Inc. to  
 Receive CLEC certification to Provide Non-Switched Local  
 Telecommunications Services Within the State of Ohio

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

Enclosed for filing in the above captioned proceeding please find the original and ten (10) copies of the *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Thomas H. Rowland*.

Thank you for your attention to this filing. Should you have any questions, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,



Michael Dortch

cc: Thomas H. Rowland, Esq.

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of )  
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Case No. <sup>819</sup>~~07-821~~-TP-ACE

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**MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**  
**OF THOMAS H. ROWLAND**

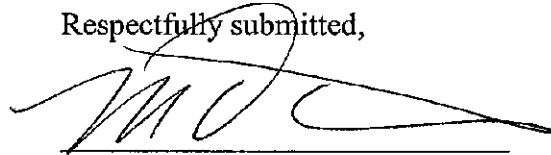
NOW COMES Michael D. Dortch, an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Ohio, and pursuant to Ohio Administrative Code ("OAC") 4901-1-08(B) and 4901-1-12(C), hereby moves the Commission to permit Thomas H. Rowland, Esq. to appear and participate as counsel for Applicant, Clear Rate Communications, Inc. in the application proceeding before the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

In support of this Motion, movant provides the following Memorandum in Support, which is incorporated by reference hererin.

**MEMORANDUM IN SUPPORT**

Michael Dortch, an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Ohio, hereby moves the Commission, pursuant to OAC 4901-1-08(B), to permit Thomas H. Rowland to appear and participate as counsel before this Commission in all proceedings in this matter. As required by OAC 4901-1-08(B), and as shown by the attached Affidavit of Thomas H. Rowland, Mr. Rowland is an attorney in good standing and is licensed to practice in the States of Illinois and Michigan. Thus, I request the Commission grant this Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* because Thomas H. Rowland has met the requisite criteria.

Respectfully submitted,

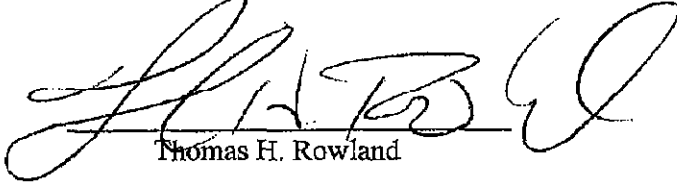
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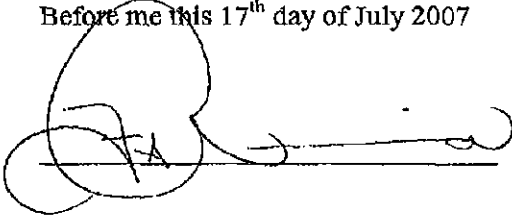
STATE OF ILLINOIS        )

COUNTY OF COOK         )

I, Thomas H. Rowland, depose and state that I am counsel for Clear Rate Communications, Inc. and I am an attorney in good standing licensed to practice in Illinois and Michigan.

  
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Thomas H. Rowland

Subscribed to and sworn to  
Before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 2007

  
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