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Re: 13-710-TP-UNC – The Matter of the Collection and Submission  
of Study Area Boundaries of Incumbent Local Exchange Carriers to  
the Federal Communications Commission

Dear Ms. McNeal:

The FCC in its November 6, 2012 Report and Order required the collection of study area boundary data from ILECS or state entities on their behalf. In a subsequent February 23, 2013 Order on Reconsideration, the FCC adopted modifications and clarifications to its initial Order, and in its March 18, 2013 Public Notice, encouraged state commissions to submit this data on study area boundaries of the ILECs operating in their states. The Ohio Commission has offered to file on behalf of Ohio ILECS; utilizing its already existing FCC required mapping format.

Pursuant to the Commission's February 27, 2013 Entry in the above captioned case, please find attached an affidavit from the Nova Telephone Company authorizing the Commission to submit to the FCC, the required study area boundary maps and associated information. At this time the affidavit has not been notarized, however, an amended filing will follow tomorrow, April 11, 2013 with notarization as required.

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this filing – I can be reached at 614 221-3231.

Sincerely,

Judith E. Matz  
Director, Regulatory Affairs

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**BEFORE**  
**THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

State of Ohio )  
 ) ss:  
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County of Ashland )

**AFFIDAVIT**

Affiant, Charles Mattingly, having first been duly cautioned and sworn, affirms, declares and says the following:

1. I am the duly appointed agent/representative of Nova Telephone and am authorized to make this statement on the company's behalf.
2. I have personally reviewed and examined the November 26, 2012 *Report and Order* released by the Federal Communications Commission's Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) in WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 05-337 as well as the Bureau's subsequent February 26, 2013 *Order on Reconsideration* and March 18, 2013 *Public Notice*, both of which were released in the same dockets, and am aware of the requirements set forth in these documents for the collection of study area boundary data from incumbent local exchange carriers or state entities on their behalf.
3. Nova Telephone has chosen to have the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio file with and certify to the Federal Communications Commission on its

behalf study area boundary data in accordance with the processes and procedures established by the Bureau.

4. I affirm that all study area boundary data relating to hoo Telephone has been provided to Commission staff pursuant to the Commission's March 27, 2013 Entry issued in case no. 13-710-TP-UNC and is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, correct and accurate.

  
Signature of Affiant

Sworn and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

My Commission expires \_\_\_\_\_.