

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Application of Electric)	Case No. 21-0587-TP-ACE
Lightwave, LLC DBA Allstream Provide)	
Telecommunications Services in the state)	
of Ohio)	

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

Pursuant to the Ohio Admin.Code 4901:1-6-08, as adopted in Case No. 14-1554-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 August 27, with an effective date of August 28, 2021.

On July 28, 2021, Electric Lightwave, LLC dba Allstream (Applicant) filed an ACE application seeking authority to provide competitive telecommunications services throughout the state of Ohio. The Applicant is proposing to offer resold basic local exchange service and intrastate interexchange telecommunications 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 Ohio Admin.Code 4901:1-6-08. Upon review of the application, staff found some deficiencies and subsequently contacted the Applicant to request the application be revised to correct these deficiencies. The Applicant forwarded the requested corrections to staff on August 19, 24 and 25, 2021. Upon review of those corrections, staff found them sufficient. The Applicant subsequently filed the corrections to amend its application on August 26, 2021.

The staff reviewed all documents and exhibits filed on July 6, 2021 and as amended August 26, 2021. 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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