

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO**

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| In the Matter of Application of Glandorf |) | Case No. 22-1162-TP-CIO |
| Telephone Company, Inc. to Transfer Control |) | |
| Pursuant to FCC Section 214 Application |) | |

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

On December 13, 2022, Glandorf Telephone Company, Inc. (Glandorf) and Kalida Telephone Company (Kalida) made a notice filing advising the Commission of a proposed transfer of control of Glandorf to Kalida Telephone Company. Glandorf is an incumbent local exchange carrier (ILEC) and Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) in the Glandorf Exchange as well as a competitive LEC in the Ottawa exchange in Ohio. Kalida is an ILEC and ETC in the Kalida exchange, which is adjacent to the Glandorf exchange. Kalida also provides resold domestic long distance service using the trade name KTC Long Distance.

Pursuant to the terms of the proposed transaction, Kalida will acquire direct ownership and control of Glandorf by purchasing all the outstanding shares of Glandorf, with Glandorf becoming a wholly-owned subsidiary of Kalida.

Following the transaction, Glandorf will continue to provide service at the same rates, terms, and conditions and without any interruption of service the transaction will be transparent to customers of Glandorf. This application is being filed pursuant to Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-6-29(E)(2).

Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-6-29 requires the filing of a CIO application to conduct a transaction involving a change in control of one or more telephone companies providing BLES. Ohio Adm.Code 4901:1-6-29(E)(2) allows for a zero day notice filing for a change in control if the companies file an application with the FCC seeking authority for a transfer of control or merger. The Applicants filed their FCC 214 application on December 13, 2022, and included a link to the FCC Application in their CIO notice application.

The Staff has reviewed all documents filed with the application and has determined that the application has satisfied the requirements set forth in the rule.

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Summary: Staff Review and Recommendation electronically filed by Mrs. Tanika
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