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PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

RE: Annual Reporting Requirements for High-Cost Recipients Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §51.917(d)(vii) and 47 C.F.R. §54.304(d)(1)

Dear Mr. Fahn:

The Federal Communications Commission's ("FCC") November 18, 2011 USF/ICC Transformation Order, FCC 11-161 (WC Docket No. 10-90) ("Order") requires carriers seeking to obtain recovery through the federal mechanisms established in that Order to make certain certifications to the FCC and to state commissions regarding their eligibility for, and their compliance with the rules applicable to, such recovery.

Specifically, 47 C.F.R. §51.917(d)(vii) and 47 C.F.R. §51.917(e) requires Rate of Return Carriers to certify annually to the FCC and to relevant state commissions that the carrier is not seeking duplicative recovery in the state jurisdiction for any Eligible Recovery subject to the federal recovery mechanisms. In compliance with that requirement, on behalf of the attached list of companies ("Companies") hereby submit a copy of the certification that was filed with the Federal Communications Commission on June 18, 2012 by the National Exchange Carriers Association. Please refer to Attachment "A".

47 C.F.R. §51.917(f)(3) requires Rate of Return Carriers to certify that the company has complied with 47 C.F.R. §51.917(d)(vii) and 47 C.F.R. §51.917(e) and is eligible to receive the CAF ICC support. In compliance with that requirement, on behalf of the attached list of companies ("Companies") hereby submit a copy of the certification that was filed with the Federal Communications Commission on June 18, 2012 by the National Exchange Carriers Association. Please refer to Attachment "B".

The Order also requires Rate of Return Carriers seeking CAF/ICC support to file data establishing the amount of the rate of return carriers eligible CAF/ICC funding per 47 C.F.R. §54.304(d)(1). Please refer to Attachment "C" for the attached list of company's estimated CAF/ICC support and Access Recovery Charge Revenue amounts submitted with its Annual 2012 Access Tariff Filing.

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Copy of FCC 47CFR Section 54.304 CAF ICC Annual
Support Data

Red River Rural Telephone Association



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Included in the Federal Communications Commission on June 18, 2012 by the National Exchange Carriers Association, the companies certified to the accuracy of the data collected. In compliance with that requirement, on behalf of the attached list of companies "Companies") hereby submit a copy of the certification that was filed with the Federal Communications Commission on June 18, 2012 by the National Exchange Carriers Association. Please refer to Attachment "D".

Should you have any questions, please contact me via email at donnathiel@rrt.net or by phone at (701) 553-9065.

Sincerely,

Donna Thiel
Administrative Assistant

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TO BE COMPLETED BY AN OFFICER OF THE REPORTING CARRIER

Certification of Officer for Rate-of-Return Carrier Not Seeking Duplicative Recovery

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reporting carrier is not seeking duplicative recovery in the state jurisdiction for any Eligible Recovery subject to the recovery mechanism as per §51.917(d)(vii).

Name of Reporting Carrier: RED RIVER RURAL TEL

Jeffrey Olson

Digitally signed by Jeffrey Olson DN:cn=Jeffrey Olson,email=jeffolson@rrt.net,O=red river rural tel,l=Abercrombie ND 58001, Date:5/23/2012

Signature of Authorized Officer or employee:

Date: 5/23/2012

Printed name of Authorized Officer or employee: Jeffrey Olson

Title or position of Authorized Officer or employee: General Manager

Telephone number of Authorized Officer or employee: 701-553-8309

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier

381631

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Attachment B

TO BE COMPLETED BY AN OFFICER OF THE REPORTING CARRIER

Certification of Officer for Rate-of-Return Carrier Eligibility for CAF/ICC Recovery					
<p>I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reporting carrier on this form certifies that it has complied with Eligible Recovery §51.917(d) and Access Recovery Charge §51.917(e) and is eligible to receive the CAF ICC support requested pursuant to §51.917(f).</p>					
Name of Reporting Carrier: RED RIVER RURAL TEL					
Signature of Authorized Officer or employee: Jeffrey Olson				Digitally signed by Jeffrey Olson DN:cn=Jeffrey Olson,email=jeffolson@rrt.net,O=red river rural tel,l=Abercrombie ND 58001, Date:5/23/2012	
Date: 5/23/2012					
Printed name of Authorized Officer or employee: Jeffrey Olson					
Title or position of Authorized Officer or employee: General Manager					
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			para 899	
REVENUES FROM ACCESS RECOVERY CHARGES				
(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)=(18)+(19)+(20)	(22)=(17)-(21)
Residential ARC Annual Revenues	Single-Line Business ARC Annual Revenues	Multi-Line Business ARC Annual Revenues	TOTAL ARC ANNUAL REVENUES	ICC-REPLACEMENT CONNECT AMERICA FUND (CAF) SUPPORT
\$15,547.00	\$2,460.00	\$6,936.00	\$24,943.00	\$111,172.00

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER.

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the CAF ICC Data Reported

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual data reported; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form is accurate.

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Jeffrey Olson

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Signature of Authorized Officer:

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