

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA  
PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION



Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association  
Applications for Certificates of Public Convenience and  
Necessity (Case No. PU-\_\_\_\_) and Expansion of ETC  
Certification (Case No. PU-\_\_\_\_)

Case No. PU-14-\_\_\_\_


**APPLICATION FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT OF INFORMATION  
CONTAINED IN APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE  
AND NECESSITY AND FOR DESIGNATION AS AN ELIGIBLE  
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER ("ETC")**

Roberts County Telephone Cooperative Association and RC Communications, Inc. (together, the "Company"), hereby seek confidential treatment of the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Company as of December 31, 2013 and December 31, 2012 (the "Financial Statements") pursuant to N.D. Admin. Code §§ 69-09-05-12 and 69-09-05-12.1. The Financial Statements information sought to be protected is financial information, including financial data of the Company which has not been previously publicly disclosed. The Company routinely takes measures to protect its financial information, including the Financial Statements, such as labeling such information as confidential or proprietary and prohibiting general distribution of the information. If released, the information would provide advantage to competitors, particularly competitive local exchange carriers.

Therefore, the Company respectfully requests that the Financial Statements submitted in accordance with N.D. Admin. Code §§ 69-09-05-12 and 69-09-05-12.1 be given confidential treatment.

Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 2014.

**Roberts County Telephone Cooperative  
Association and RC Communications, Inc.**

  
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