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NEW CASE

Idaho Public Utilities Commission
472 West Washington Street
Boise, ID 83702

COL-T-12-01

RE: Columbine Telephone Co., Inc. 2011 Idaho Broadband Tax Credit

Dear Commissioners:

Please find enclosed our 2011 Idaho Broadband Equipment Tax Credit Application for Columbine Telephone Company, Inc.. We have included three copies as requested. If you have any questions please call me at (307) 883-6621.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Chad Turner". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C".

Chad Turner

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2011 Idaho Broadband Equipment Tax Credit Application

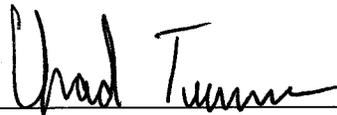
Company Information

1. Name of company: Columbine Telephone Company dba Silver Star Communications
2. Address: 104101 Hwy 89, Freedom, WY 83120
3. Type of company: Telecommunications carrier, ISP, Long Distance Provider
4. Contract person: Chad Turner

Equipment Description

5. Broadband services offered: ADSL, SDSL, T1
6. Network description: DLCs with non-loaded copper distribution cable
7. Transmission rate: 256k - 5Mbps upstream
256k- 20Mbps downstream
8. Number and percentage of Idaho customers served: 2547 customers with broadband service out of 3581 customers possible
9. Equipment list: See attached Broadband Equipment List

I hereby certify that I have read the applicable statutes for broadband investment income tax credit and believe that the equipment listed herein qualifies for the tax credit under Idaho Code 63-3029I.



Chad Turner
Columbine Telephone Company, Inc.

