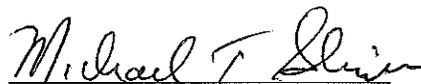


CERTIFICATION

I am Vice President – Regulatory for FairPoint. I hereby certify that I have overall responsibility for supervision of the personnel who prepare all of the data supporting the FairPoint Operating Companies – July 1, 2014 Annual Access Charge Tariff Filing bearing Tariff F.C.C. Nos. 1 and 2 for all issuing carriers and that I am authorized to execute this certification. Based upon the information provided to me by employees responsible for the preparation of, or for the supervision of the preparation of, the data submitted in support of the Tariff Review Plan information contained herewith, I hereby certify that the data has been examined and reviewed and is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Further, based upon the information provided to me by employees responsible for the preparation of, or for the supervision of the preparation of, the data submitted in support of the Eligible Recovery for Price Cap Carriers and Access Recovery Charge information contained herewith, I hereby certify that the data has been examined and reviewed and is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, that the FairPoint Operating Companies are not seeking duplicative recovery in the state jurisdiction for any Eligible Recovery subject to the recovery mechanism, and that FairPoint Operating Companies have complied with section 51.915(d), 51.915(e) and 51.915(f) of the Commission's rules. Therefore, FairPoint Operating Companies are eligible to receive the CAF ICC Support requested pursuant to section 51.915(f). This filing also satisfies the obligation per section 543.304(c)(1) to file data establishing the amount of the FairPoint Operating Companies' eligible CAF ICC funding.



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