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Windstream Communications, Inc.
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TRANSMITTAL No. 9

Secretary, Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554
ATTN: Wireline Competition Bureau

The accompanying tariff material, issued on behalf of Windstream Communications, Inc., bearing Tariff FCC No. 3 is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This filing is made on fifteen (15) days' notice with an effective date of July 28, 2017.

The purpose of this filing is to make revisions to the tariff in accordance with Step 6 of the Federal Communications Report and Order in WC Docket Nos. 10-90, etc., FCC No. 11-161 released on November 18, 2011. This filing also updates a hyperlink to the Company's website. This filing consists of tariff pages indicated by the check sheet listed below:

FCC Tariff No. 3 - Eighth Revised Page No. 1

This transmittal letter and associated attachments are being filed electronically today via the Federal Communications Commission's Electronic Tariff Filing System (ETFS). Payment in the amount of \$925.00 has been electronically transmitted to the U.S. Bank in St. Louis, Missouri in accordance with the fee program procedures.

Supporting material is not required with this filing. Petitions pertaining to this filing may be served in person or by facsimile to:

Contact: Kerry C. Smith
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Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3031 or via email to Sthomas@tminc.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/Sharon Thomas

Sharon Thomas

Consultant to Windstream Communications, Inc.

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