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under Section 204(a)(3) of the Communications Act**

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FRN: 0027-42-2153
TRANSMITTAL No. 1

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

The accompanying tariff material, issued by Birch Communications, LLC ("Company") and bearing Tariff FCC No. 1, effective April 26, 2018, is sent to you for filing in compliance with the requirements of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended. This filing, made on fifteen (15) days' notice, replaces Tariff FCC No. 1 issued by Birch Communications, Inc. for the issuing carrier and listed concurring carriers. The rules regulations and rates are identical to those found in the tariff that it is replacing, except for non-substantive organizational changes, correction of section numbers as necessary, elimination of any blank pages, sequential numbering of pages and the removal of references, on Pages 55, 56, 70 and 71 of the tariff, to rates for service areas not covered by the issuing or concurring carriers.

The material contained in this filing consists of tariff pages indicated by the check sheet listed below:

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This tariff includes the following Concurring Carriers and pursuant to 47 C.F.R. §61.131 61.136 Concurrence statements for each of these companies are provided as supporting documentation:

Birch Telecom of Kansas, LLC
Birch Telecom of Missouri, LLC
Birch Telecom of Oklahoma, LLC
Birch Telecom of Texas Ltd., L.L.P

Also included with this filing are the tariff revision pages reflecting the cancellation of the existing tariff effective April 26, 2018.

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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. Other than the Concurrences that are included, supporting material is not required with this filing. Petitions pertaining to this filing may be served in person or by facsimile to:

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Any questions you may have regarding this filing should be directed to my attention at 407-740-3006 or via email to croesel@tminc.com. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/ Carey Roesel

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