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December 12, 2005

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch  
Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Attention: Wireline Competition Bureau

**RE: Notification of Discontinuance of Common Carrier Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service (WBIAS) by Three Issuing Carriers for John Staurulakis, Inc. (JSI) Tariff F.C.C. No. 1.**

**Comporium Companies:**  
**Fort Mill Telephone Company (South Carolina)**  
**Lancaster Telephone Company (South Carolina)**  
**Rock Hill Telephone Company (South Carolina)**

**CC Docket No. 02-33**

**Dear Ms. Dortch:**

John Staurulakis, Inc. (JSI), on behalf of the three Comporium companies listed above, all issuing carriers for JSI Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, respectfully files the attached notice, pursuant to blanket authority granted by the *Wireline Broadband Order*<sup>1</sup> of the intent of each of the three companies to discontinue as a common carriage service their respective Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service (WBIAS) offerings in JSI Tariff F.C.C. No.

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<sup>1</sup> *Appropriate Framework for Broadband Access to the Internet over Wireline Facilities, Universal Service Obligations of Broadband Providers*, CC Docket No. 02-33, WC Docket No. 05-271, Report and Order and Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, 20 FCC Rcd 14853 (2005), FCC 05-150 (Rel. Sep 23, 2005), (*Wireline Broadband Order*).

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Any questions regarding the notice may be directed to me at the address and telephone number listed above.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Scott Duncan", written in a cursive style.

Scott Duncan  
Staff Director-Regulatory Affairs

Attachment

cc: Comporium Companies  
Special Assistant for Telecommunications at the Department of Defense  
The Honorable Mark Sanford, Governor of South Carolina  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff

**NOTICE OF DISCONTINUANCE OF COMMON CARRIER BROADBAND  
INTERNET ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICE**

**CC Docket No. 02-33**

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**COMPORIUM COMPANIES**

December 12, 2005

**Background**

The Comporium Companies ("Companies") comprise the following three affiliates all of which operate exclusively within South Carolina and each of which is an individual issuing carrier for John Staurulakis, Inc. Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 ("JSI Tariff FCC No. 1"):

	<u>FRN Number</u>	<u>Study Area Code</u>
Rock Hill Telephone Company	0001-8887-18	240542
Lancaster Telephone Company	0001-8892-45	240531
Fort Mill Telephone Company	0001-8896-17	240521

The Companies provide wireline broadband Internet access service (WBIAS) through Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line ("ADSL") Service described in Section 16.2 of JSI Tariff FCC No. 1. These regulations mirror those in National Exchange Carrier Association Tariff F.C.C. No. 5 ("NECA Tariff FCC No. 5") for ADSL Access Service. NECA regulations for ADSL Access Service are at Section 8.1 of NECA Tariff FCC No. 5.

The rates applicable to each of the Companies' ADSL Service are numbered as follows within JSI Tariff FCC No. 1.

	<u>Page Number</u>	<u>Section Number</u>
Rock Hill Telephone Company	17-427.2.1	17.4.8.2
Lancaster Telephone Company	17-461.2.1	17.4.8.2
Fort Mill Telephone Company	17-495.2.1	17.4.8.2

Additionally, there are Special Access rates for DSL Access Connections that will be removed from JSI Tariff FCC No.1 as part of the cancellation in JSI Tariff FCC No. 1 of the above pages.

**Impact on Customers**

The only customer for the Companies' ADSL Service is the nonregulated operations of the respective Companies. The nonregulated operations of each of the Companies purchases the ADSL Service for use as a component in its broadband Internet service sold to consumers and business customers. The cancellation of the tariffed ADSL service will have no effect on the end user service provided by Comporium.

**COMPORIUM COMPANIES**  
**NOTICE OF DISCONTINUANCE OF COMMON CARRIER BROADBAND**  
**INTERNET ACCESS TRANSMISSION SERVICE**

**TIMELINE**

**December 12, 2005**

30-Day Notice filed with following:

Federal Communications Commission (under CC Docket No. 02-33).  
Special Assistant for Telecommunications at the Department of Defense  
The Honorable Mark Sanford, Governor of South Carolina  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff

The 30-day notice to all parties will comprise this document under separate cover letter for each party.

**December 12, 2005**

Notice to customers.

As indicated above, the only customer for the Companies' ADSL Service is the nonregulated operations of the respective Company. The 30-day notice to the nonregulated operations of each Company will be provided by interoffice memorandum cover for this notice document.

**December 27, 2005**

John Staurulakis, Inc. Files transmittal for JSI Tariff FCC No. 1 on fifteen days notice for cancellation of ADSL Service for each of the three Companies.

Note: JSI will provide the Wireline Competition Bureau-Pricing Policy Division (Pricing) with an advance draft and will address any concerns of the Pricing as appropriate, including the filing date.

**January 11, 2006**

Cancellation of tariff pages effective.

Local Exchange Routing Guide (LERG) and NECA Tariff FCC No. 4 indicate removal of ADSL and DSL Access Connection points for Companies.

**January 11, 2006 Forward**

Companies account for WBIAS costs as exclusion from interstate special access revenue requirement.

Companies assess Federal Universal Service Charges (FUSC) on WBIAS based on current level of such charges – through the 270-day period ordered in the *Wireline Broadband Order*.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

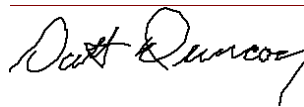
I hereby certify that the foregoing Notification of Discontinuance of Common Carrier Wireline Broadband Internet Access Service was served this 12th day of December, 2005, by mailing true and correct copies thereof, postage prepaid, to the following persons:

Secretary of Defense  
Attn: Special Assistant for Telecommunications  
1000 Defense Pentagon  
Washington, D.C. 20301-1000

The Honorable Marshall C. Sanford, Jr.  
Governor of South Carolina  
Office of the Governor  
P.O. Box 12267  
Columbia, SC 29211

Mr. Charles L.A. Terreni  
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Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
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Scott Duncan