LOUISIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS DIVISION

DOCKET NUMBER U-36166

CONNECT HOLDING, LLC; LUMEN TECHNOLOGIES, INC.; CENTURYLINK OF LOUISIANA, LLC; CENTURYLINK OF SOUTH ARKANSAS D/B/A CENTURYLINK AND CENTURYTEL BROADBAND SERVICES, LLC, EX PARTE

In re: Joint Application for Approval of Transfer of Ownership and Control, Associated Financing and Pledge of Security.

REPORT OF JANUARY 13, 2022 VIDEO STATUS CONFERENCE

A video status conference was convened in this proceeding on January 13, 2022 before Administrative Law Judge ("ALJ") Steve Kabel. Remotely participating in the video status conference were:

Paul Guarisco and Brook Villa, on behalf of Connect Holding, LLC, Lumen Technologies, Inc., CenturyLink of Louisiana, LLC, CenturyTel of South Arkansas, Inc., and CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC (collectively, "Joint Applicants");

Rob Rieger, on behalf of intervenor Charter Fiberlink LA-CCO, LLC ("Charter Fiberlink"); and

Arvind Viswanathan, on behalf of the Louisiana Public Service Commission ("Commission") Staff.

Mr. Guarisco indicated that the Joint Applicants and Charter Fiberlink have resolved the contested issues between them, and are preparing documentation to formalize their agreement and to provide for the withdrawal of Charter Fiberlink's intervention and the reversion of the instant matter to a staff-level, "S"-docket proceeding. Mr. Rieger confirmed Charter Fiberlink's agreement with Mr. Guarisco's characterization. Mr. Viswanathan stated that Staff has been in communication with the parties.

In light of the foregoing, Mr. Guarisco proposed that there is no need for the establishment of a procedural schedule in this matter. The ALJ accordingly informed the parties that no action would be taken at this time, but that a status conference may be convened upon the request of any party.

Please be aware that, according to Rule 66 of the Commission's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a docket may be deemed abandoned if no action is taken to move it forward within one year.

Baton Rouge, Louisiana, this 13th day of January, 2022.

Steve Kabel

Administrative Law Judge

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