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## Via IBFS

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Office of the Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Room TW-A325 Washington, DC 20554

Re: <u>Tata Communications (America) Inc. - Surrender of International Section 214</u> Authorization (ITC-214-1996-0723-00334)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Tata Communications (America) Inc. ("Tata") hereby surrenders, effective immediately, its International Section 214 Authorization granted in IB File No. ITC-214-1996-0723-00334 to acquire and operate facilities on the CANUS-1 cable system for the provision of switched, private line and other authorized services from the United Sates to international points other than Canada (the "International 214 Authority"). Tata previously surrendered its submarine cable license to provide services via the CANUS-1 subsea cable system, which was decommissioned in 2010. Accordingly, Tata no longer requires the International 214 Authority.

Given than Tata does not offer regulated services pursuant to the International 214 Authority, Tata respectfully submits that the surrender of the International 214 Authority is reasonable and necessary and will not harm the present or future public interest, convenience and necessity. In addition, Tata respectfully submits that it is not subject to the customer notification requirements of Section 63.19 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R § 63.19 because it has no customers pursuant to the International 214 Authority.

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See Public Notice, Actions Taken Under Cable Landing License Act, DA 11-348 (rel. Feb. 24, 2011) (acknowledging surrender of SCL-LIC-19930503-0004).

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Please contact Tata's Senior Counsel, Teresa Marrero, 703-657-8412, or the undersigned if you have any questions regarding this filing.

Respectfully submitted,

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Counsel to Tata Communications (America) Inc.

cc: Rogena Harris, Tata Communications (America) Inc.

Teresa Marrero, Tata Communications (America) Inc.

## **VERIFICATION**

On behalf of Tata Communications (America) Inc., I hereby certify that the contents of foregoing Surrender of International Section 214 Authorization (ITC-214-1996-0723-00334) are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this  $\underline{i}$  day of August, 2011.

Tata Communications (America) Inc.

By:

Name: Title:

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Senior Vice President