

**Southwest Minnesota Broadband Services
Application for Streamlined Global Resale Authority**

RESPONSES TO QUESTIONS 9, 10, 11 AND 12

Response to Question 9: Qualification For Streamlined Processing

Southwest Minnesota Broadband Services (SMBS) qualifies for streamlined processing pursuant to Section 63.12 of the Commission's Rules because: (a) SMBS is not affiliated with any foreign carrier in any destination market; (b) SMBS is not affiliated with any dominant U.S. carrier whose international switched or private line services SMBS seeks authority to resell; (c) SMBS does not seek authority to provide switched basic services over private lines to any country (much less, to any country for which the Commission has not previously authorized the provision of switched services over private lines); and (d) SMBS has no reason to believe that the Commission will inform it in writing that this application is not eligible for streamlined processing.

Response to Question 10: Not Providing Services Over Private Lines

SMBS is not applying for authority to provide switched services over private lines.

Response to Question 11: Applicant Not Foreign Carrier or Affiliated with Foreign Carrier

SMBS certifies that it is not a foreign carrier, and that it is not affiliated with any foreign carrier.

Response to Question 12: No Service to Restricted Destinations

SMBS certifies that it will not provide international telecommunications services to any destination country: (a) in which SMBS is a foreign carrier; (b) in which SMBS controls a foreign carrier; (c) in which an entity that owns more than 25 percent of SMBS, or controls SMBS, controls a foreign carrier; or (d) in which two or more foreign carriers (or parties that control foreign carriers) own, in the aggregate, more than 25 percent of SMBS and are parties to, or the beneficiaries of, a contractual relation affecting the provision or marketing of international basic telecommunications services in the United States.