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### Answer to Question 10

In Attachment 1, please respond to paragraphs (c) and (d) of <u>Section 63.18</u> with respect to the assignor/transferor and the assignee/transferee.

63.18(c) (assignor)

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Ms. Joey Garner

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63.18(d) (assignee)

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*Please copy on behalf of the assignor and assignee the following on all correspondence related to this application:* 

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### Answer to Question 11

Does any entity, directly or indirectly, own at least ten (10) percent of the equity of the assignee/transferee as determined by successive multiplication in the manner specified in the note to Section 63.18(h) of the rules?

If you answered "Yes" to this question, provide in Attachment 1, the name, address, citizenship, and principal businesses of each person or entity that directly or indirectly owns at least ten (10) percent of the equity of the assignee/transferee, and the percentage of equity owned by each of those persons or entities (to the nearest one percent).

# ASSIGNEE

## **Bay Springs Telephone Company, Inc. Ownership Information:**

Common Stock: *Telephone Electronics Corporation* 236 East Capitol Street Jackson, MS 39201

100.00% US Domestic Corp (Domiciled in MS) Telecommunications Holding Company Principal Business: Telecommunications

**US** Citizen

Principal Business:

Telecommunications

# **Telephone Electronics Corporation Ownership Information:**

#### **Common Stock:**

Joseph D. Fail 236 East Capitol Street Jackson, MS 39201 86.58%

11.48%

Telephone Electronics Corporation and Associated Companies Employee Stock Ownership Plan and Trust 236 East Capitol Street Jackson, MS 39201 Principal Business: Established to invest i

Jackson, MS 39201 Principal Business: Established to invest in company stock for the benefits of employees Trust is governed by Federal and MS law.

The preceding sets forth the name, address, citizenship, and principal businesses of each person or entity that directly or indirectly owns at least ten (10) percent of the equity of the assignee, and the percentage of equity owned by each of those persons or entities.

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## Answer to Question 13

Provide in Attachment 1 a narrative of the means by which the proposed assignment or transfer of control will take place. In circumstances of a substantial assignment or transfer of control pursuant to <u>Section 63.24(e)</u>, where the assignor seeks authority to assign only a portion of its U.S. international assets and/or customer base, please specify whether the assignor requests authority to continue to operate under any or all of its international Section 214 File Nos. after consummation; and, if so, please specify in Attachment 1 each File No. it seeks to retain in its own name.

Bay Springs Long Distance shall sell certain assets to Bay Springs Telephone Company, including the right to use the trademarks and trade-names of Bay Springs Long Distance. In addition, Bay Springs Long Distance shall transfer its Mississippi Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to Bay Springs Telephone Company.

Both the assignor and assignee are Mississippi corporations duly authorized by the Mississippi Public Service Commission.

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### **Answer to Question 20**

If the applicant desires streamlined processing pursuant to <u>Section 63.12</u> of the rules, provide in Attachment 1 a statement of how the application qualifies for streamlined processing. (See Section 63.18(p).) Note that, if the application is being filed in connection with a sale of assets or reorganization of a carrier or its parent pursuant to the U.S. bankruptcy laws, the application may not be eligible for streamlined processing until final bankruptcy court approval of the proposed sale or reorganization.

This application qualifies for streamlined processing under Sections 63.12(a) and (b) of the Commission's Rules.

Neither Bay Springs Long Distance nor Bay Springs Telephone Company is affiliated with any foreign carrier in any destination market.

Neither Bay Springs Long Distance nor Bay Springs Telephone Company has an affiliation with a dominant U.S. carrier whose international switched or private line services the applicants seek authority to resell.

Neither Bay Springs Long Distance nor Bay Springs Telephone Company seeks authority to provide switched basic services over private lines to a country for which the Commission has not previously authorized the provision of switched services over private lines.

Rather, Bay Springs Telephone Company proposes only to acquire certain assets of Bay Springs Long Distance and to operate as a non-dominant carrier that resells the international switched services of one or more unaffiliated U.S. carriers.