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VIA ECFS AND IBFS

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WC Docket No. 10-197; IB File Nos. ITC-ASG-20100922-00371, ITC-ASG-20100922-00372 — Application of Birch Communications, Inc., Birch Telecom, Inc., American Fiber Network, Inc., and CloseCall America, Inc. for Consent to Assign Assets and/or Transfer Control of Assets pursuant to Section 214 of the Communications Act of 1934, as Amended

Dear Secretary Dortch:

On September 23, 2010, Birch Communications, Inc. (“BCI”), Birch Telecom, Inc. (“Birch Telecom”) (collectively, “Birch”), American Fiber Network, Inc. (“AFN”), and CloseCall America, Inc. (“CCA”) (Birch, AFN, and CCA together, the “Applicants”) filed an application requesting approval to transfer certain CCA and AFN assets, including customers of CCA and AFN, to Birch (the “Transaction”).

Pursuant to Section 63.24(e)(4) of the rules and regulations of the Federal Communications Commission (“Commission”), 47 C.F.R. § 63.24(e)(4), the Applicants hereby notify the Commission of the consummation of the Transaction effective December 17, 2010.

Please contact the undersigned if you have questions regarding this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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INC. AND BIRCH TELECOM, INC.