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VIA THE ELECTRONIC INTERNATIONAL FILING SYSTEM

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

**Re: Notification of *Pro forma* Transfer of Control of International Section 214
Authorizations Held by Ropir Communications, Inc. to Union Springs
Telephone Company, Inc.
International Bureau File No.: ITC-214-19960207-00059**

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to Sections 63.24(d) and (f) of the Rules of the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC" or the "Commission"), 47 C.F.R. §§ 63.24(d) and (f), Ropir Communications, Inc. ("RoCom") hereby notifies the Commission of the consummation of the *pro forma* transfer of control of the international 214 authority held by RoCom to Union Springs Telephone Company, Inc. ("USTC").

Both RoCom and USTC are direct subsidiaries of Troy Cablevision, Inc., d/b/a Troy Cable ("Troy Cable"). RoCom and USTC share common management, employees and office facilities.

As required under 47 C.F.R. § 63.24(f)(2)(i) for carriers subject to a *pro forma* transfer of control, RoCom provides the following information requested in Sections 63.18-(a)-(d) and (h) for the transferee:

(a) Section 63.18(a) - THE NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE TRANSFEREE:

Union Springs Telephone Company, Inc.
206 Hardaway Ave. E
Union Springs, AL 36089
Telephone: (334) 738-4400

(b) Section 63.18(b) - THE STATE UNDER THE LAWS OF WHICH EACH CORPORATE APPLICANT IS ORGANIZED:

USTC is a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Alabama. RoCom is a corporation organized under the laws of the state of Delaware.

(c) 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(c) - ANSWER TO QUESTION 10:

The name, title, post office address and telephone number of the officer to whom correspondence concerning the application is to be addressed:

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(d) 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(d) – ANSWER TO QUESTION 10:

A statement regarding previously received authority under Section 214 and a general description of the facilities and services authorized:

RoCom has existing authority under Section 214 to provide Global Resale Services. See File No. ITC-214-19960207-00059. USTC and RoCom hold blanket domestic Section 214 authority to provide domestic telecommunications services.

(e) 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(h) – ANSWER TO QUESTION 11:

The name, address, citizenship and principal place of business of any person or entity that directly or indirectly owns at least ten percent of the equity of the applicant, and the percentage of equity owned by each of those entities (to the nearest one percent). The applicant shall also identify any interlocking directories with a foreign carrier.

Troy Cable owns all of the Class A common stock and 1200 of the 1400 authorized and outstanding shares of Class B common stock in RoCom. The other 200 shares of RoCom Class B common stock are owned by USTC, which as stated above is a wholly owned subsidiary of Troy Cable. Troy Cable Shareholders with a 10% or Greater Equity or Voting Interest are listed below:

	<u>Equity Percent</u>	<u>Voting Percent</u>
William H. Freeman Troy Cable, President Post Office Box 365 Troy, Alabama 36081-0365 U. S. Citizen	31.2%	31.2%
Vicki F. McPherson Troy Cable, Chairman, Secretary, Treasurer Post Office Box 475 Troy, Alabama 36081-0475 U. S. Citizen	31.2%	31.2%
Vicki F. McPherson, Executor Under the Last Will of William Harold Freeman, Sr. Post Office Box 475 Troy, Alabama 36081-0475 Executor, U. S. Citizen	11.9%	11.9%
Vicki F. McPherson, Trustee of the W. Harold Freeman Irrevocable Trust #3 Post Office Box 475 Troy, Alabama 36081-0475 Trustee, U. S. Citizen	5.4%	5.4%
Vicki F. McPherson, Trustee of the W. Harold Freeman Irrevocable Trust #4 Post Office Box 475 Troy, Alabama 36081-0475 Trustee, U. S. Citizen	2.9%	2.9%
Vicki F. McPherson, Trustee of the W. Harold Freeman Irrevocable Trust #5 Post Office Box 475 Troy, Alabama 36081-0475	3.9%	3.9%

Trustee, U. S. Citizen

As indicated, Vicki F. McPherson votes 55.3% of the ownership interests in Troy Cable in her capacity as a stockholder, executor and trustee. No other entity or individual holds a direct or indirect 10% or greater equity or voting interest in Troy Cable.

(f) 47 C.F.R. § 63.18(h) – ANSWER TO QUESTION 11:

Neither RoCom nor USTC is a foreign carrier, and neither is affiliated with a foreign carrier.

(g) Answer to Question 13:

Provide a narrative of the means by which the proposed transaction of control will take place.

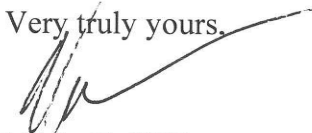
This assignment took place as a result of an internal reorganization involving the merger of RoCom and USTC, with USTC being the surviving entity. USTC will remain a wholly owned subsidiary of Troy Cable. As the surviving entity, USTC will automatically assume the assets and liabilities of RoCom. Ultimate control of the entities is not changed.

The corporate restructuring is *pro forma* in nature, and the newly merged entity will continue to provide the same services as previously provided by RoCom, utilizing the same facilities and employees. The restructuring will be transparent to RoCom's customers, and there will be no change in the rates and other terms and conditions of the services available to customers.

As required under 47 C.F.R. § 63.24(f)(2)(ii) for carriers subject to *pro forma* transfer of control, the subsidiaries each hereby certify that the transfer of control of its international Section 214 authorization from RoCom to USTC was *pro forma*, and that, together with all previous *pro forma* transactions, does not result in a change in the actual controlling party.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter to my office.

Very truly yours,



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