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Via ECFS and IBFS

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

**Re: WC Docket No. 14-64
ITC-T/C-20140422-00132
ITC-T/C-20140422-00140**

Dear Secretary Dortch:

On April 22, 2014 Birch Communications, Inc. (“Birch”) and Cbeyond Communications, LLC (“Cbeyond”) filed a Joint Application requesting authority from the Commission to transfer control of Cbeyond to Birch (the “Application”). The Commission approved the domestic portion of the Application effective June 2, 2014, and approved the international portion of the Application effective May 23, 2014. Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 63.24(e)(4), the parties hereby notify the Commission that the transaction was consummated on July 18, 2014.

The contact person for any future correspondence with Cbeyond is Angela Hoke, Manager, Legal & Regulatory, Birch Communications, Inc., 2323 Grand Blvd., Suite 925, Kansas City, MO, 64108; 816-300-1049; angela.hoke@birch.com

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

Respectfully submitted,



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