#### ATTACHMENT 1

# to Section 214 Application for Authority to Assign Authorization File No. ITC-214-19960227-00019

### **Answer to Question 10**, providing <u>contact information</u> pursuant to Section 63.18(c):

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**Answer to Question 10**, providing information regarding <u>previous Section 214</u> <u>authorizations</u> pursuant to Section 63.18(d):

WIN holds authorization to provide global switched resale authority under Section 214 pursuant to File No. ITC-214-19960226-00089. In addition, WIN is the assignee of Section 214 authority granted in File No. ITC-214-20161026-00289 (via assignment of that authorization under File No. ITC-ASG-20161214-00359). WIN also provides interstate service by virtue of blanket domestic Section 214 authority, 47 C.F.R. § 63.01.

**Answer to Question 11**, providing <u>ownership information</u> pursuant to Section 63.18(h):

#### **Transferors**

Respond Communications, Inc. ("Respond"), an Illinois corporation, holds 100% of the shares of both MMTC and Montrose Mutual Long Distance, Inc. ("MMLD"). Respond is widely-held, with no person or entity holding ten percent or more of its shares. The two persons with the largest holdings in Respond are:

| Name and Address   | <u>Percentage</u> | <u>Citizenship</u> | <u>Business</u> |
|--------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| George P. Tays     | 8%                | USA                | Communications  |
| 102 N Main St      |                   |                    |                 |
| Dieterich IL 62424 |                   |                    |                 |
|                    |                   |                    |                 |
| David Behrns       | 5%                | USA                | Communications  |
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### **Transferee**

WIN is wholly-owned by Wabash Telephone Cooperative, Inc. ("Wabash"), FRN 0004327201, an Illinois incumbent telephone company, organized as a cooperative corporation. Wabash is owned by its members-subscribers; no single member-subscriber owns or controls more than five percent (5%) of the equity interests of Wabash. The address for both WIN and Wabash is 210 S. Church Street, Louisville, Illinois 62858. The principal business of both WIN and Wabash is telecommunications.

**Answer to Question 13**, providing information regarding the proposed means of transfer:

WIN proposes to acquire all of the stock of Respond through a reverse triangular merger, wherein a single-purpose acquisition subsidiary is formed by WIN for the purpose of merging with Respond, which will be the survivor of the merger transaction. Specifically, WIN has formed an Illinois corporate subsidiary, Wabash Respond Corporation, which will merge with Respond, in accordance with the corporate law of the State of Illinois. Respond will be the surviving

corporation and the existence of Wabash Respond Corporation, upon consummation and effectiveness of the proposed transaction, will terminate, leaving Respond as a wholly-owned subsidiary of WIN. After consummation of this transaction, both MMTC and MMLD will continue to exist and operate in their existing corporate formats and under existing corporate names

**Answer to Question 20**, providing information regarding <u>streamlined processing</u> pursuant to Section 63.18(p):

This application is entitled to streamlined processing because (1) no party hereto is affiliated with any foreign carrier; and (2) no party hereto is affiliated with a dominant US carrier whose international switched or private line services are to be resold.