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ISABEL FITZGERALD Secretary

Amendment #19 to Request for Proposals (RFP) Local Telecommunications Services RFP# 060B3490013 June 2, 2014

Ladies/Gentlemen:

This Amendment is being issued to change, add or delete certain information contained in the above named RFP. Specific parts of the RFP have been amended and the RFP changes are detailed below. The changes are marked with text underlined if it is new and crossed through if it has been deleted. This marking will help you more easily identify what has changed.

1. Delete Sections 1.5.1 and 1.5.2 of the RFP:

provided to its other large similarly sized retail service customers.

1.5.1 Most Favored Customer

1.5.2 To provide ongoing competitive prices to users of this contract, the contractor shall ensure that the State shall receive favorable rates in each LATA during the term of this contract. The rates set forth shall not exceed the contractor's commercial price list, its established tariff, rates being provided to large similarly sized retail service customers. Similarly sized retail service customer will be defined as any retail customer whose average monthly usage minutes over a 12 month period is less than or equal to the average of the State's six highest months of usage minutes in that same 12 month period. If at any time this should occur, the contractor shall immediately notify the contracting office and offer the lower prices for incorporation into this contract. Within a month after the end of each contract year, the Contractor will notify the contracting office and confirm that the State's rates that do not exceed the contractor's commercial price list, its established tariff, or rates being

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