DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

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Questions and Answer Set #8 Request for Proposals (RFP) Local Telecommunications Services RFP# 060B3490013 January 28, 2014

Ladies/Gentlemen:

The Department of Information Technology received the following questions by e-mail for the above referenced RFP. These are answered below for all Offerors:

117. Do you have addresses for the access on the PRI's and MPLS?

Answer: There are two parts to this answer: Those addresses with network MD access and those addresses without network MD access.

Addresses with network MD access:

There are five POP locations where the State can accept connection to telco UNI's and support MPLS. The five locations are:

- 1. 6 St. Paul Street, Baltimore, MD
- 2. Building 224, Farm Road, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
- 3. 18345 Col. Henry K. Douglas Drive, Hagerstown, MD
- 4. 7053 Ocean Gateway, Radio Tower Shelter, Easton, MD
- 5. 1757 Old Meadow Road, McLean, VA

Addresses without network MD access:

This contract will be for 5 - 7 years, and there are hundreds of possible addresses within the State where IP services could be requested. It is not possible to identify the exact street addresses for each location over the term of the contract. Since the LATA identification gives the general area of possible addresses, it is the State's expectation that each offeror would be able to provide flat rate pricing for each LATA.

118. If you can't supply those we can't quote the access portion on the PRI's and the MPLS as those costs are determined by address for us. Is this a problem?

Answer: See response to question 117 above. The State needs all portions of the "Price Proposal Form (revised Amendment 11)" completed.

119. Is there any way to request another extension?

Answer: See Amendment #14.