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Re: DT 18-012

Birch Communications, Inc.

Application for Registration to Provide Voice Service

Dear Ms. Collins:

This letter serves as an acknowledgement of Birch Communications, Inc.'s filing, received February 5, 2018. Please reference the docket number cited above on any additional material to be filed in this matter. All filings should consist of one (1) original and six (6) copies of both the cover letter and any associated material.

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Very truly yours,

Debra A. Howland

Executive Director

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