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VIA OVERNIGHT DELIVERY

Florida Public Service Commission Division of Records and Reporting 2540 Shumard Oak Boulevard Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0850

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Re:

Application of BroadBand Office Communications, Inc. ("BBOC") for a Certificate of Authority to Provide Local Exchange Service ("Application")

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed are the original and three (3) copies of the financial statements of BBOC's parent, BroadBand Office, Inc. ("Financial Statements"), which are being filed in connection with the above described Application (which was filed under separate cover). The three (3) copies of the Financial Statements are redacted and "CONFIDENTIAL" is prominently displayed on each page thereof. Pursuant to Florida Statute 364.183(1) and Section 25-22.0065(5)(a) of the Florida Public Service Commission's rules, BBOC requests confidential treatment of the Financial Statements.

Please file the Financial Statements in your usual fashion and return one (1) file-stamped copy of the document to us in the enclosed envelope.

If you have any questions or comments, please call the undersigned.

Sincerely,

Charles A.

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