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Re: Red Fiber Parent LLC’s State of Hawai`i Application to Transfer Control of Cable Franchise held by Hawaiian Telcom Services Company, Inc. from Cincinnati Bell Inc.

Dear Messrs. Morihara and Lau, Ms. Yoshikane, and Ms. Figueroa:

This letter constitutes formal notice that the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs, State of Hawai`i ("DCCA") accepts for filing, pursuant to laws of the State of Hawai`i and federal requirements, the State of Hawai`i Application for Transfer of Cable Television Franchise, the Federal Communications Commission Form 394, and certain exhibits (collectively, the “Application”) submitted by Red Fiber Parent LLC (“RFP”) on July 17, 2020, as amended, concerning the proposed indirect transfer of control of Hawaiian Telcom Services Company, Inc.’s (“HTSC”) Hawaii cable franchise on Oahu at the parent company level from Cincinnati Bell Inc. to RFP, and related matters.

For your information, a public hearing on the Application will be scheduled shortly, and notice of the public hearing will be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the City and County of Honolulu. As a reminder, HTSC, the cable franchise holder, is expected to make a copy of the Application and other documents submitted for public review at the following location:
Copies of the Application and documents are to be available for public review no later than August 18, 2020.

At the public hearing, a representative of the Applicant shall provide a summary of the Application. Due to the ongoing COVID-19 health and safety concerns, the public hearing will be held remotely using telephone and video conferencing technology. DCCA will inform all interested parties on the appropriate methods and options for participation in the public hearing while maintaining the practice of social distancing.

Pursuant to Hawaii Administrative Rules § 16-133-12, DCCA reserves the right at any time during the Application process to request from the Applicant additional information or supporting documentation to clarify or supplement the information contained in the Application.

If you have any questions on the above, please do not hesitate to contact me at (808) 586-2620. Thank you for your assistance and cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

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