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Via email to cabletv@dcca.hawaii.gov

Catherine P. Awakuni Colón, Director
Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs
335 Merchant Street, 1st Floor
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Attention: Ji Sook Kim, Cable Television Administrator

Re: Closing of Merger Agreement and Completion of Proposed Transaction

Dear Ms. Kim:

In accordance with Section VI.E.1 in the Director's Decision and Order No. 377, dated November 13, 2020, Hawaiian Telcom Services Company, Inc. ("HTSC") is hereby providing formal notice to the Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs that effective September 7, 2021, the Merger Agreement between Red Fiber Parent LLC, Cincinnati Bell Inc., and RF Merger Sub Inc.¹ closed and the Proposed Transaction was completed. No material changes were made to the Merger Agreement or to the structure or operation of HTSC's Cable System in the State as a result of the Merger Agreement or consummation of the Proposed Transaction.

A press release issued by Cincinnati Bell Inc. on September 7, 2021 officially announcing the completion of the acquisition can be found at Hawaiian Telcom's website (hawaiiantel.com) under "About Us/Company News".

If you have any questions concerning this notification, please feel free to contact me at steven.golden@hawaiiantel.com.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Steven P. Golden

Steven P. Golden
Vice President, External Affairs

¹ See FCC Form 394, Exhibit 1, Merger Agreement