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Re: In the Matter of the Petition of Comcast of South Jersey, LLC, for a Renewal Certificate of Approval to Continue to Construct, Operate and Maintain a Cable Television System in and for the Township of Commercial, County of Cumberland, State of New Jersey, Docket No. CE22120735

Dear Mr. Barrett;

The Office of Cable Television and Telecommunications ("OCTV&T") is in receipt of the above captioned Petition for Renewal Certificate of Approval and attached application for the Township of Commercial ("Township"). The OCTV&T staff have completed a review of the file would like the company to provide the following information in this matter:

1. **Section VI. System Plant Subsection 4:** This section of the application requires a Map of the entire Municipality be attached as an appendix. The current map submitted with the application, does not meet the criteria that is listed in the application. Staff notes that the current map is missing Municipal Borders, all streets which are to receive services which should indicate the Primary Service Area, and all streets which will be served under a "Line Extension Policy" ("LEP").

**Please submit a map that is legible and meets all of the following criteria;**

1. Map Legend

2. Municipal Borders

3. All of the streets should be labeled, legible and note which are to receive service as the Primary Service Area and the Area Designated for LEP

2. Staff notes that the application form submitted deviates from the form required to be used and contains errors and omissions. The correct form can be found on the Board of Public Utilities ("BPU") website at <https://www.nj.gov/bpu/pdf/cablepdfs/Application%20for%20Municipal%20Cable%20Television%20Franchise%202.1.21.pdf>. Please review and submit an application that contains all parts of the questions and sections of the application, as well as the appropriate answers.

a. **Section III. Cable Experience:** This section requires information for new applicants only requiring information on their experience as a cable provider.

- b. **Section IV. System Design Subsection 5:** This section requires in part, the company to provide information in narrative form, regarding production equipment and facilities to be made available by the applicant for the use of others in the community.
- c. **Section IV. System Design Subsection 6:** This section requires each applicant to describe in narrative form, any other services available to subscribers.
- d. **Section VI. System Plant Subsection 1:** For clarification, this section of the application requires the company to indicate the Aerial and Underground miles for the Trunk and Distribution plant, as well as, how the mileage was determined. Staff notes that Trunk is not indicated and has been removed as part of the application question.
- e. **Section VI. System Plant Subsection 2:** This section of the application requires the company to indicate the rate of annual construction.
- f. **Section VIII. System Channel Allocation:** This section of the application requires the company to list the System Channel Allocation.
- g. **Section XIII. Bonding and Insurance, Subsection 2:** This section requires the amount of performance bond the company will have as of the franchise date.
- h. **Section XV. Special for Proposed Overbuilds:** This section of the application requires information for new applicants only as it is required for new overbuilds.

Please respond to this correspondence by March 8, 2023. If you have any question, please contact me at (609) 341-9170 or [nancy.wolf@bpu.nj.us](mailto:nancy.wolf@bpu.nj.us).

Sincerely,



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