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RE: Project No. 28691

DSLnet Communications. LLC Workforce Diversity Plan

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Dear Sir/Madam:

Please be advised by this letter that DSLnet Communications, LLC has less than 16 employees in Texas, none of whom are considered minorities. In addition, this company does not contract with any vendors located in Texas. For these reasons, it is DSLnet Communications, LLC's understanding that it is exempt from the requirements of Public Utilities Act §52.256 and is not required to submit a Workforce Diversity Plan for implementation in Texas. As requested four (4) copies of this report have been enclosed.

Please notify me as soon as possible if further action on the part of DSLnet Communications, LLC is required.

To keep our records complete, please acknowledge receipt of this filing by date-stamping the extra copy of this cover letter and returning it to me in the self-addressed, stamped envelope provided for this purpose.

Questions regarding this filing should be directed to me at (407) 740-8575.

Sincerely,

Karen Gillespie

Compliance Reporting Consultant

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