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**APPLICATION FOR OR AMENDMENT TO A
STATE-ISSUED CERTIFICATE OF FRANCHISE AUTHORITY (SICFA)**

PROJECT NO. 45785

CERTIFICATE NO. 90040 (If an Amendment)

APPLICANT:—Cequel III Communications I, LLC d/b/a Suddenlink Communications

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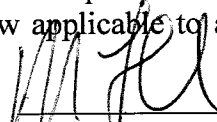
STATE OF MISSOURI §
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COUNTY OF ST. LOUIS §

My name is Michael J. Zarrilli, I am an Officer of Cequel III Communications I, LLC d/b/a Suddenlink Communications (Applicant) My personal knowledge of the facts stated herein has been derived from my employment with Cequel III Communications I, LLC d/b/a Suddenlink Communications.

I swear or affirm that I have personal knowledge of the facts stated in this Application for a State-Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority (SICFA), that I am competent to testify to them, and that I have the authority to make this Application on behalf of the Applicant. I further swear or affirm that Cequel III Communications I, LLC:

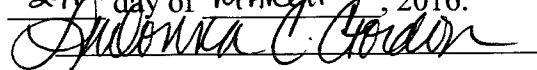
- a. has filed or will timely file with the Federal Communications Commission all forms required by that agency in advance of offering cable service or video service in Texas;
- b. agrees to comply with all applicable federal and state statutes and regulations;
- c. agrees to comply with all applicable municipal regulations regarding the use and occupation of public rights-of-way in the delivery of the cable service or video service, including the police powers of the municipalities in which the service is delivered;
- d. has provided the names of its principal executive officers and its principal business address; and
- e. has included a clear, complete and definitive description of the service area footprint it is requesting to serve within any municipality and/or unincorporated area within Texas.

I swear or affirm that all of the statements and representations made in this Application for a SICFA are true and correct. I also swear or affirm that Cequel III Communications I, LLC understands and will comply with all requirements of law applicable to a Cable and/or Video Service Provider's SICFA.



Michael J. Zarrilli,
Vice President Government Relations

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on the 29th day of MARCH, 2016.



LADONNA C. GORDON

Notary Public In and For the State of Missouri

My commission expires: 8/3/2019

LADONNA C. GORDON
Notary Public - Notary Seal
State of Missouri
Commissioned for St. Louis County
My Commission Expires: August 03, 2019
Commission Number: 15485877

State-Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority (SICFA) Application

1. a. Check applicable category:

Cable Service Provider
 Video Service Provider
 Cable and Video Service Provider

Amendment to SICFA Certification – SICFA No. 90040

- b. If you are filing an amendment to an existing SICFA, please check one or more of the following amendment categories requested in this filing:

Change in Type of Provider (Cable, Video, or Cable and Video)
 Name Change (Additional d/b/as or New Name)
 Expansion of Service Area Footprint
 Transfer in Ownership/Control
 Other (Explain below)

- c. Provide a description of the amendment(s) requested in Question 1(b) above.

**Add the City Limits of:
City of Shepard**

2. Provide the following information:

- a. Principal business address; (*street address, city, state and zip code*):

520 Maryville Centre Drive, Ste. 300, St. Louis, Missouri 63141

- b. Main business telephone number: **314-315-9400**
c. Toll-free customer service telephone number: **1-800-584-5610**
d. Fax number: **314-315-9322**
e. Email address: **mzarrilli@Suddenlink.com**
f. Mailing address, if different from principal business address (*street address, city, state and zip code*):
g. Name and title of Applicant's principal executive officers.

Board of Managers

Craig L. Rosenthal
Charles Stewart
Abdelhakim Boubazine

Officers

Dexter Goei – Executive Chairman
Charles Stewart – co-President and Chief Financial Officer
Abdelhakim Boubazine – co-President and Chief Operating Officer
David J. Agnew - Vice President, Information Technology
Timothy H. Archer - Vice President, Commercial and Advertising Operations Services
Delivery
Christopher W. Arft - Vice President, IT Infrastructure
Rhonda L. Billingslea - Vice President, Sales and Marketing, North Carolina Region
Jeffrey Blaszak – Vice President, Media Operations, Commercial and Advertising
Operations
Brian Borthwick - Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
Gordon M. Bourne - Vice President, Programming
Garry Bowman – Vice President, Systems Operations, Mid-South Region
Peter Brown – Vice President, Operations, Atlantic Region
Jeffrey F. Bryant - Vice President, Marketing
Rodney W. Cates - Vice President, Human Resource, Southwest Region
Kenneth W. Conner - Vice President, Business Services
Bradley L. Cooke - Vice President, Technical Operations, Central Region
Terry M. Cordova - Senior Vice President and Chief Technology Officer
Michelle L. Cutler - Vice President, Sales Call Center, Southwest Region
Robert P. Daleo - Vice President, Sales and Marketing, Atlantic Region
Aimee C. Doane - Vice President, Network Operations, Southwest Region
Jerrold A. Dow - Senior Vice President and Chief Marketing and Sales Officer
Dan J. Drysdale - Vice President, Information Technology
Mark D. Edwards - Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
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James B. Fox - Senior Vice President and Chief Accounting Officer
Justin M. Freesmeier – Senior Vice President, Fiscal Operations/Sales
Beverly J. Gambell - Vice President, Commercial Marketing
Jason Gebhart - Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
Marsha L. Gee - Vice President, Billing
David Gilles - Senior Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
Jeffery L. Gould - Vice President, Technical Operations, Mid-South Region
Gregory B. Graff - Senior Vice President, Sales
Erick H. Guzman - Vice President, Operations Support
Norman E. Harris - Vice President, Commercial Sales, East

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Pamela D. Hermann - Vice President, Business Intelligence
Reginalt A. Jaramillo - Vice President, Fiscal Operations, Central Region
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Don Johnson - Vice President, Human Resources
Stevens Gibbs Jones - Senior Vice President, Customer Experience
Katharine Gardner Kelly - Vice President, Customer Care, Atlantic Region
Larry L. LaFreniere - Vice President, Network Operations, Southwest Region
Ivan Lamoureux - Vice President, Network Engineering
Rodney Lanham - Vice President, Engineering Operations
Robert Lee - Vice President, Systems Operations, Mid-South Region
Robert Legg - Vice President, Technical Operations, Atlantic Region
Brian B. May - Vice President, Information Technology
Christopher McLennan - Vice President, Programming
John M. McNelly - Vice President, Sales and Marketing, Southwest Region
John E. Menendez - Vice President, Marketing Retention
Mark M. Mihalevich - Vice President, Marketing
James N. Mosher - Vice President, Technical Operations, Southwest Region
Tyler Nau - Senior Vice President, Finance and General Manager, Commercial and Advertising Operations
Mark Nelson - Vice President, Shared Services
Michael R. Nelson - Vice President, Fiscal Operations, Southwest Region
Catherine D. O'Bryant-Freeman - Vice President, Sales and Marketing, Mid-South Region
Patrick J. O'Connor - Senior Vice President, Operations, Central Region
Bill Paramore - Vice President, Technical Operations, North Carolina Region
Andrew D. Parrott - Vice President, Technical Operations and Training
Katherine S. Payne - Senior Vice President and Chief Programming Officer
Beth Ann Petti - Vice President, Information Technology
Michael A. Pflantz - Senior Vice President, Corporate Finance
Robert L. Putnam - Senior Vice President and Chief Information Officer
Frederick S. Ricker - Vice President, Corporate Taxes
Craig L. Rosenthal - Senior Vice President and General Counsel and Secretary
Karen A. Sharkey - Vice President, Customer Care
Michael K. Shelton - Vice President, Fiscal Operations, North Carolina Region
Brent Skinner - Vice President, Advertising Sales, Central Region
Daniel R. Spoelman - Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
Kevin A. Stephens - President, Commercial and Advertising Operations
Charlotte Strong - Vice President, Operations, Southwest Region
Richard Strong - Vice President, Fiscal Operations, Atlantic Region
Chandni Thakrar-Ochoa - Vice President, Technology Integration
Jason H. Thomas - Vice President, Customer Care, North Carolina Region
Timothy A. Thompson - Vice President, CLEC Operations

Stephen E. Tulloh, Jr. - Vice President, Commercial Sales, West
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Sabrina A. Warr - Vice President, Accounting and Controller
Thomas A. Wheeler - Vice President, Direct Sales
Kerry W. White - Vice President, Fiscal Operations, Mid-South Region
Amy M. Wildgrube-Atkins - Vice President, Training and OD
Richard W. Young – Vice President, Fiscal Operations, Atlantic Region
Michael J. Zarrilli - Vice President, Government Affairs, and Assistant Secretary

3. State one principal name and any d/b/as in which the Applicant requests the Commission to issue the SICFA in or in which the Applicant currently holds a Cable and/or Video service provider certification.

(NOTE: The certificated name can be the Applicant's legal name, a d/b/a, or an assumed name as long as the requested name(s) is properly registered to do business within the State of Texas. The SICFA holder MUST use ONLY the name(s) and/or d/b/a(s) granted in its SICFA on all bills, advertisements or communications with the public and the Commission. Name changes require an amendment to an existing SICFA.)

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4. As stated in PURA Sec. §66.004(a), an applicant is not eligible to seek a SICFA until the expiration date of an existing municipal franchise agreement for a requested Service Area Footprint. To meet this eligibility requirement, Commission Staff has determined that an Applicant may file an application for a SICFA within 17 business days of the expiration date of its existing municipal franchise agreement. To determine eligibility, the Commission Staff requires the following information:

a. Is the Service Area Footprint requested in this application currently or previously under a municipal franchise agreement entered into by this applicant or an affiliate of this applicant? If yes, answer question (b).

Yes

b. What is or was the expiration date of the municipal franchise agreement for the requested Service Area Footprint?

April 8, 2016

5. Provide a clear, complete and definitive description of the requested Service Area Footprint (SAF) for any municipality(ies) and/or unincorporated area(s) within the State

of Texas. [SAF descriptions shall include one or more of the following descriptions: state line, county line(s), municipalities/city limit(s), subdivision(s), roadway(s), street(s), block(s), street address(s), metes and bounds, or a detailed map(s) properly highlighted and labeled.] Expansions to SAFs shall be made by filing an amendment to an existing SICFA. The amendment application shall require a clear, complete and definitive description of the expansion of the SAF. (For SAF amendments indicate the existing certificated SAF as well as any requested revisions to that existing SAF.)

Requested SAF: city limits:

City of Shepard

Existing Certificated SAF: City limits of Coldspring, Navasota, Onalaska, Patton Village, Prairie View, Roman Forest, Splendora, Waller and Woodbranch.

Unincorporated service areas of Grimes County, Harris County, Montgomery County, Polk County, San Jacinto County, Trinity County, and Washington County.

6. The Applicant shall agree to provide the Commission with written notification when terminating its SICFA. The Applicant shall also agree to provide the Commission with a copy of any order or ruling issued by a court of competent jurisdiction or the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) that either modifies or revokes its SICFA or makes it ineligible to hold a SICFA pursuant to the standards laid out in PURA § 66.003(b). (Commission Staff shall establish a project number to submit all written notices and copies of orders or rulings concerning SICFAs.) The Applicant shall make an affirmative statement that it agrees to provide written notification of termination and copies of orders or rulings issued by a court of competent jurisdiction or the FCC concerning its SICFA.

The Applicant agrees to provide the Commission with a written notification of termination of its State-Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority. The Applicant agrees to provide the Commission a copy of any Court order in which the Applicant's State-Issued Certificate of Franchise Authority has been revoked or modified by any Court of competent jurisdictions.