

CERTIFICATIONS
(WESTERN)

TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER, IF AN AGENT IS FILING DATA ON THE CARRIER'S BEHALF:

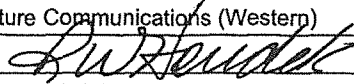
Certification of Officer to Authorize an Agent to File Data Reported on Behalf of Reporting Carrier

I certify that (Name of Agent) National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA) is authorized to submit the information reported on behalf of the reporting carrier. I also certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the data provided to the Authorized Agent; and, to the best of my knowledge, the actual data provided to the Authorized Agent are accurate.

Name of Authorized Agent National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc. (NECA)

Name of Reporting Carrier Venture Communications (Western)

Signature of Authorized Officer



Date 5/25/2016

Printed name of Authorized Officer

Randy W. Houdek

Title or position of Authorized Officer

General Manager/CEO

Telephone number of Authorized Officer: (605) 852-2224 ext.

Study Area Code of Reporting Carrier

391688

Filing Due Date for this form
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6/16/2016

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TO BE COMPLETED BY THE REPORTING CARRIER,

Certification of Officer as to the Accuracy of the CAF ICC Data Reported

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier; my responsibilities include ensuring the accuracy of the actual data reported; and, to the best of my knowledge, the information reported on this form is accurate.

Name of Reporting Carrier				Venture Communications (Western)	
Signature of Authorized Officer					
Date			5/25/2016		
Printed name of Authorized Officer				Randy W. Houdek	
Title or position of Authorized Officer				General Manager/CEO	
Telephone number of Authorized Officer:				(605) 852-2224 ext.	
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TO BE COMPLETED BY AN OFFICER OF THE REPORTING CARRIER

Certification of Officer for Rate-of-Return Carrier Not Seeking Duplicative Recovery

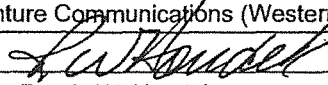
I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier and that, to the best of my knowledge, this reporting carrier is not seeking duplicative recovery in the state jurisdiction for any Eligible Recovery subject to the recovery mechanism as per 51.917(d)(vii).

Name of Reporting Carrier				Venture Communications (Western)	
Signature of authorized officer		<i>Randy W. Houdek</i>		Date	5/25/2016
Printed name of authorized officer		Randy W. Houdek			
Title or position of authorized officer		General Manager/CEO			
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TO BE COMPLETED BY AN OFFICER OF THE REPORTING CARRIER

Certification of Officer for Rate-of-Return Carrier Eligibility for CAF/ICC Recovery

I certify that I am an officer of the reporting carrier and that, to the best of my knowledge, the reporting carrier on this form certifies that it has complied with Eligible Recovery §51.917(d) and Access Recovery Charge §51.917(e) and is eligible to receive the CAF/ICC support requested pursuant to §51.917(f).

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Signature of authorized officer					Date		5/25/2016
Printed name of authorized officer			Randy W. Houdek				
Title or position of authorized officer			General Manager/CEO				
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