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Ms. Luly Massaro, Clerk
Public Utilities Commission
89 Jefferson Blvd.
Warwick, RI 02888

**Re: Petition Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier of Global
Connection Inc. of America d/b/a STAND UP WIRELESS
Docket No. 4446**

Dear Ms. Massaro,

The Division of Public Utilities and Carriers ("Division") has reviewed the Petition of Global Connection Inc. of America d/b/a STAND UP WIRELESS ("Global") for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier ("ETC") filed on September 30, 2013. Based upon its review of the petition under the Commission's Rules and Regulations Governing the Certification and Verification Procedures for Telecommunications Carriers Eligible to Receive Payments from the Federal Universal Service Fund, and subject to approval by the Commission of Global's concurrently filed Class VI carrier application in Docket #4445, the Division recommends that the Commission approve Global's petition for designation as an ETC dated September 30, 2013.

Respectfully submitted,

Division of Public Utilities and Carriers

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