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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING ONLY

Judy Whitney, Clerk  
Vermont Public Utility Commission  
112 State Street  
Montpelier, Vermont 05620

Re: Case Number: 19-4845-PET  
Joint Petition of Southern Vermont Cable Company and Comcast

Dear Judy:

The above referenced case is scheduled for hearing on April 3, 2020.<sup>1</sup> Comcast too supports the approach the Commission is taking to help slow the spread of COVID-19 to protect vulnerable Vermonters. In this regard, Comcast is open to holding our scheduled evidentiary hearing on April 3<sup>rd</sup> by any electronic or telephonic means acceptable to the Commission.

I have had the opportunity to speak with both Eli Emerson representing Southern Vermont Cable Company and Sarah Aceves representing the Department of Public Service and have been authorized to represent that they also agree with the Commission's approach and would like to confirm the hearing now scheduled for April 3<sup>rd</sup> by either electronic or telephonic means. Cor Trowbridge has also indicated on behalf of Brattleboro Community Television that she supports our request to hold our scheduled evidentiary hearing on April 3<sup>rd</sup> by electronic or telephonic means.

The Parties are ready, their witnesses have arranged their schedules and we believe we can efficiently complete the case on April 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

  
Gerald R. Tarrant

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cc: Service List  
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<sup>1</sup> We are in receipt of the Commission's Memo: Changes to Public Utility Commission Operations Due to COVID-19 Outbreak" which indicates, among other things, that "decisions about whether to hold currently scheduled evidentiary hearings by webinar or teleconference or to postpone them will be made on a case-by-case basis."

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