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VA FIBER 1 PROPCO, LLC,

Petitioner

APPLICATION: FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE FACILITIES BASED AND RESOLD COMPETITIVE LOCAL EXCHANGE AND INTEREXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA

DOCKET 33646

PROCEDURAL RULING

A hearing was held in this matter on January 15, 2026, in which the Applicant, VA Fiber 1 Propco, LLC (“VA Fiber”), and staff participated. During its testimony, VA Fiber indicated its intention of installing fiber optic cables in Alabama down Interstate 65 towards Huntsville. VA Fiber stated its intention of “leasing” to third parties within the state of Alabama. As expressed during the hearing, the Commission is not certain it has jurisdiction over what VA Fiber is proposing. VA Fiber indicated it did not believe it would enter into an interconnection agreement within one year. As such, the Commission is directing VA Fiber to file a brief in this matter as to why it believes VA Fiber, and the service it proposes to perform, falls under the Commission’s jurisdiction. Briefs are to be filed within 30 days of this Procedural Ruling.

IT IS SO RULED.

Done at Montgomery, Alabama this 16th day of January 2026.


V. Chad Mason, Jr.
Administrative Law Judge

c: All parties of record