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Federal Communications Commission 445 12th St., S.W. Washington, DC 20554 ConnectAmerica@FCC.gov

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RE: Armstrong Telecommunications, Inc. – Certification of Designation of Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)

Armstrong Telecommunication, Inc. hereby submits this letter to the Commission certifying that it has obtained ETC designation for the census block areas in the State of New York in which it was announced as a winner of CAF II funding as part of the New NY Broadband Grant Program, Phase 3. The census blocks awarded cover 6,709 locations. Armstrong Telecommunications, Inc. is including, as documentation of said designation, the "Order Approving Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carrier" issued by the State of New York Public Service Commission on September 12th, 2018.

If further documentation is required, please contact me at (724) 256-8092 or (914) 329-7182

Sincerely

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