## BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Application of Clear Rate Communications, Inc., for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide/Resell Local Exchange and Interexchange Services in the State of Utah Docket No. \_15-2581-01\_

## AFFIDAVIT OF RONALD SLUSHER

| State of Utah       | )     |
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|                     | ) ss. |
| County of Salt Lake | )     |

I Ronald Slusher swear or affirm that:

- I am employed by the Division of Public Utilities and have been so employed since May 24, 2004. My current position with the Division is Utility Technical Consultant.
- I was assigned to review the Application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity of Clear Rate Communications, Inc. filed with the Utah Public Service Commission on or about April 08, 2015 and Docketed as Docket number 15-2581-01.
- I prepared the Division Memorandum to the Commission dated April 29,
   2015 attached to this Affidavit. I conducted the investigation that resulted in the recommendations of the Division.
- The Applicant has filed under Oath the necessary information and documents to satisfy the Commission's Rules and Regulations for issuance of a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity.

| 5.                 | The Division expects that this Applicant will be unopposed and           |                                       |  |
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|                    | uncontested and therefore, believes that this request can be adjudicated |                                       |  |
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|                    | •  | , 2015, personally appeared before    |  |
| me <b>Ronald S</b> | <b>lusher</b> the signer of the within in                                | strument, who duly acknowledged to me |  |
| that he execut     | ed the same.   |                                       |  |
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