



January 15, 2010

Mr. Robert A. Morin
Secretary General
Canadian Radio-television and
Telecommunications Commission
Ottawa ON K1A 0N2

Dear Mr. Morin,

Re: MTS Allstream application for forbearance from the regulation of residential local exchange services in Brandon, MB

Westman Communications (Westman) is in receipt of an application from MTS Allstream, for forbearance of residential local telephone service in the Brandon MB exchange, dated September 20, 2009, and updated on December 16, 2009.

Pursuant to the Commission staff's letter of June 2, 2009, Westman confirms that it is capable of serving at least 75% of residential of the network access lines in the Brandon exchange.

Yours truly,



Rob Bazilewich
Chief Technology Officer

cc: MTS Allstream