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County of Marion, FL
601 SE 25th Ave.
Ocala, FL 34471
Attention: Mounir Bouyounes, P.E, County Admin, County of Marion, FL

Re: Registration of Kinetic ABS FL LLC to Assume Windstream's Assets and Provide Communications Services in the County of Marion, FL's Public Right-of-Way Pursuant to Florida Statute § 337.401(3)(a).

To whom it may concern:

Windstream and its affiliates ("Windstream") currently owns and operates certain telecommunications infrastructure, including fiber optic and copper facilities ("Assets"), located in the public rights-of-way ("ROW") of the County of Marion, FL. Windstream is an indirect subsidiary of Uniti Group Inc ("Uniti"). Uniti is undertaking a transaction whereby it will transfer certain of Windstream's Assets, customer contracts, and arrangements Windstream holds with third parties used to support those Assets and services, to their affiliate, Kinetic ABS FL LLC ("Kinetic"). This letter is to inform you that the Assets in the County of Marion, FL's public ROW will be transferred between affiliated corporate entities, specifically from Windstream to Kinetic on or around June 1, 2026, and Kinetic will thereafter be responsible for the Assets in the County of Marion, FL's public ROW. The transaction should have no other impact on the day-to-day operation of the network, other than making Kinetic the service provider and party responsible for managing and maintaining the underlying rights necessary for the continued provision of service to end user customers, including payment of the Florida local communications services tax to the County of Marion, FL, if applicable.

In Florida Statute § 337.401(3)(a), the Florida Legislature expressed its intent "that the placement, operation, maintenance, upgrading, and extension of communications facilities [shall] not be unreasonably interrupted or delayed through the permitting or other local regulatory process." To that end, Section 337.401 permits a county or municipality to require a provider of communications services that places or seeks to place facilities in its roads or rights-of-way to register with the municipality or county, and establishes the information that a county or municipality may require of a registrant. Specifically, Section 337.401(3)(a) provides:

"To register, a provider of communications services may be required only to provide its name; the name, address, and telephone number of a contact person for the registrant; the number of the registrant's current certificate of authorization

issued by the Florida Public Service Commission, the Federal Communications Commission, or the Department of State; a statement of whether the registrant is a pass-through provider as defined in subparagraph (6)(a)1.; the registrant's federal employer identification number; and any required proof of insurance or self-insuring status adequate to defend and cover claims."

To the extent the County of Marion, FL requires a provider of communications services to register pursuant to Florida Statute 337.401(3)(a), Kinetic is hereby proactively providing all of the information required under that provision, and is requesting to be registered as a provider of communications services. Kinetic's Registration Information is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Kinetic's proof of insurance is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

Uniti looks forward to continuing to work with the County of Marion, FL in the future. Should this notice be more appropriately directed to another department or division, please kindly forward it to the proper recipient. If you have any questions regarding this letter or if you would like to provide any additional information regarding the process of public ROW management in the County of Marion, FL, please contact Fuad Batteh via email at fuad.batteh@troutman.com or by phone at 404-885-3815. Otherwise, we would appreciate acknowledgment of Kinetic's registration with the County of Marion, FL. Kinetic will comply with the County of Marion, FL's construction permitting requirements, as applicable, for future communication facility deployments within the County of Marion, FL.

TROUTMAN PEPPER LOCKE LLP



By: _____
Fuad S. Batteh
Counsel for Uniti

Attachments:

Exhibit A – Kinetic ABS FL LLC – Registration Information
Exhibit B – Kinetic ABS FL LLC – Proof of Insurance

EXHIBIT A

Kinetic ABS FL LLC – Registration Information

Name of Registrant: Kinetic ABS FL LLC

Registrant's Operational Contacts:

William Martine	Sarah Hays
Director-Engineering	Staff Manager – Permitting
William.martine@uniti.com	Sarah.k.hays@uniti.com
4005 N Rodney Parham Rd	4005 N Rodney Parham Rd
Little Rock AR 72212	Little Rock AR 72212
(877) 652-2321	501-748-5864

Registrant's Florida PSC Certificate Number: 9014

Registrant's FEIN: 41-4352445

Registrant's Proof of Insurance: Attached as Exhibit B.

Statement of Registrant

Kinetic ABS FL LLC is not a pass-through provider as defined in Florida Statute § 337.401(6)(a)(1).

EXHIBIT B

Kinetic ABS FL LLC – Proof of Insurance



CERTIFICATE OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

DATE (MM/DD/YYYY)
06-03-2026

THIS CERTIFICATE IS ISSUED AS A MATTER OF INFORMATION ONLY AND CONFERS NO RIGHTS UPON THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER. THIS CERTIFICATE DOES NOT AFFIRMATIVELY OR NEGATIVELY AMEND, EXTEND OR ALTER THE COVERAGE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES BELOW. THIS CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE DOES NOT CONSTITUTE A CONTRACT BETWEEN THE ISSUING INSURER(S), AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE OR PRODUCER, AND THE CERTIFICATE HOLDER.

IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an ADDITIONAL INSURED, the policy(ies) must have ADDITIONAL INSURED provisions or be endorsed. If SUBROGATION IS WAIVED, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s).

PRODUCER Aon Risk Services Northeast, Inc. New Jersey Office 44 Whippany Road, Suite 220 Morristown NJ 07960 USA		CONTACT NAME: PHONE (A.C. No. Ext): (866) 283-7122 FAX (A.C. No.): (800) 363-0105 E-MAIL ADDRESS:	
INSURED Uniti Group, Inc. Windstream Services, LLC 2101 Riverfront Dr Little Rock AR 72202 USA		INSURER(S) AFFORDING COVERAGE INSURER A: National Union Fire Ins Co of Pittsburgh 19445 INSURER B: AIZ Insurance Company 19399 INSURER C: INSURER D: INSURER E: INSURER F:	

Holder Identifier :

COVERAGES **CERTIFICATE NUMBER:** 570116093701 **REVISION NUMBER:**
 THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE POLICIES OF INSURANCE LISTED BELOW HAVE BEEN ISSUED TO THE INSURED NAMED ABOVE FOR THE POLICY PERIOD INDICATED. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY REQUIREMENT, TERM OR CONDITION OF ANY CONTRACT OR OTHER DOCUMENT WITH RESPECT TO WHICH THIS CERTIFICATE MAY BE ISSUED OR MAY PERTAIN, THE INSURANCE AFFORDED BY THE POLICIES DESCRIBED HEREIN IS SUBJECT TO ALL THE TERMS, EXCLUSIONS AND CONDITIONS OF SUCH POLICIES. LIMITS SHOWN MAY HAVE BEEN REDUCED BY PAID CLAIMS. **Limits shown are as requested**

INSR LTR	TYPE OF INSURANCE	ADDITIONAL INSURED	POLICY NUMBER	POLICY EFF (MM/DD/YYYY)	POLICY EXP (MM/DD/YYYY)	LIMITS
A	☒ COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY ☐ CLAIMS MADE ☒ OCCUR ☐ GEN'L AGGREGATE LIMIT APPLIES PER: ☒ POLICY ☐ PRO JECT ☐ LOC ☐ OTHER		9941254	10/01/2025	10/01/2026	EACH OCCURRENCE \$3,000,000 DAMAGE TO RENTED PREMISES (Ea occurrence) \$300,000 MED EXP (Any one person) \$10,000 PERSONAL & ADV INJURY \$3,000,000 GENERAL AGGREGATE \$10,000,000 PRODUCTS COMP OP AGG \$4,000,000
A	☒ AUTOMOBILE LIABILITY ☒ ANY AUTO ☐ OWNED AUTOS ONLY ☐ HIRE AUTOS ONLY ☐ SCHEDULED AUTOS ☐ NON OWNED AUTOS ONLY		762-02-56 AOS 762-02-57 MA	10/01/2025	10/01/2026	COMBINED SINGLE LIMIT (Ea accident) \$5,000,000 BODILY INJURY (Per person) BODILY INJURY (Per accident) PROPERTY DAMAGE (Per accident)
A	☒ UMBRELLA LIAB ☒ EXCESS LIAB ☒ RETENTION \$25,000		BE038395774	10/01/2025	10/01/2026	EACH OCCURRENCE \$10,000,000 AGGREGATE \$10,000,000
B	☒ WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY ANY PROPRIETOR, PARTNER, EXECUTIVE OFFICER MEMBER EXCLUDED? (Mandatory in NH) If yes, describe under DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS below	Y: N N: A	014111883 WC AOS 014111885 WC WI	10/01/2025	10/01/2026	☒ PER STATUTE ☐ OTH ER E.L. EACH ACCIDENT \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE EA EMPLOYEE \$1,000,000 E.L. DISEASE POLICY LIMIT \$1,000,000

Certificate No : 570116093701

DESCRIPTION OF OPERATIONS / LOCATIONS / VEHICLES (ACORD 101, Additional Remarks Schedule, may be attached if more space is required)
 Kinetic ABS FL LLC is included as Additional Insured in accordance with the policy provisions of the General Liability policy.

CERTIFICATE HOLDER

CANCELLATION

Uniti Group, Inc. 2101 Riverfront Dr Little Rock AR 72202 USA	SHOULD ANY OF THE ABOVE DESCRIBED POLICIES BE CANCELLED BEFORE THE EXPIRATION DATE THEREOF, NOTICE WILL BE DELIVERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE POLICY PROVISIONS. AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE
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