March 20, 2017

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Higher Ground LLC, Blanket License Application for C-band Mobile Earth Terminals, IBFS File No. SES-LIC-20150616-00357

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Please find Tri-State’s Response to Higher Ground’s Technical Appendix Attached to Its Application and Waiver Request, IBFS File No.: SES-LIC-20150616-00357.

Tri-State Generation and Transmission Assoc. Inc. an Electric Generation and Transmission Cooperative serving 43 member distribution cooperatives and over 1 million end users in Colorado, Nebraska, Wyoming and New Mexico, wishes to add its name to the list of private microwave operators who are opposed to the proposed grant of use in the 5925-6425 frequency band to Higher Ground LLC by the Federal Communications Commission.

Pleases see attached “Response to Higher Ground’s Technical Appendix Attached to an FCC Waiver in the 6 GHz Microwave Frequency Band” and “6 GHz Microwave Paths that will potentially be Interferred with by Higher Ground’s 5927.5 MHz Hailing Frequency using an 8 MHz Emissions Bandwidth Window (5923.5 MHz to 5931.5 MHz)”

Sincerely,

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