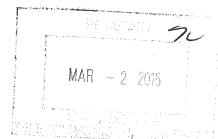


## **BOARD OF SELECTMEN**

# TOWN OF SOMERSET MASSACHUSETTS

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TOWN OFFICE BUILDING - WOOD AND COUNTY STREETS



February 25, 2015

Sara J. Clark, Secretary Secretary Department of Telecommunications & Cable 1000 Washington Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, Suite 820 Boston, MA 02118-6500

RE: Petition to Intervene - D.T.C. 14-4

#### Dear Ms Clark:

The Board of Selectmen, as statutory Issuing Authority for the Town of Somerset, hereby petitions the Cable Television Division to intervene in the proposed Comcast basic service tier programming, equipment and installation rates, D.T.C 14-4. The Issuing Authority has designated the following person to represent it during this Comcast Rate Hearing proceedings:

John J. Clorite, Jr. 145 Windward Drive Somerset, MA 02726 Chairman, Somerset Cable Advisory Board Tel: 508-676-3967

Fax: 508-673-2270

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Enclosed please find the Petition for Leave to Intervene.

Thank you.

Donald Setters, Chairman Somerset Board of Selectmen

cc: Joseph R. Bolton, Acting Town Administrator

Cable Advisory Committee

Clement Brown, Esquire, Town Counsel

Peter J. Epstein, Esquire

Marc E. Reilly, Esquire, Comcast Communications

# COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE Docket No. D.T.C. 14-4

In re: Comcast Cable Communications, LLC, Rate Hearing April 8, 2015 (Boston)

### Petition for Leave to Intervene

TO THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT (by e-mail to <a href="mailto:dtc.efiling@state.ma.us">dtc.efiling@state.ma.us</a>):

Pursuant to 801 C.M.R. 1.01(9), the Town of Somerset by and through its issuing authority, the Board of Selectmen, represented by its Cable Advisory Committee, hereby requests leave of the Division to intervene as a party to the above-captioned rate hearing. As reason, the Town states that it is the issuing authority for the current license held by Comcast Cable Communications, LLC, in Somerset, which is the only cable television franchise presently licensed and operating in the Town of Somerset, and consequently the Town and its citizens will be substantially and specifically affected by the results of said proceedings.

Respectfully submitted, TOWN OF SOMERSET, By its CABLE ADVISORY COMMITTEE,

John Clorite, Chairman

Somerset Cable Advisory Committee

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