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### **NOTICE**

With this Notice, the Department of Telecommunications and Cable (“Department”) amends certain filing requirements for telecommunications carriers’ calendar year 2020 annual returns. The filing deadline for these annual returns will remain **March 31, 2021**.

The Department generally requires the signature of a company’s Treasurer and Chief Accounting Officer on each annual return. In addition, if the signatures of these individuals were affixed outside of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Department requires that they be properly sworn to, in person, as attested to by a Notary Public. As we did for carriers’ 2019 annual returns, due to the COVID-19 pandemic, the Department will require that each 2020 annual return be signed and certified under oath by a company representative with knowledge of the annual return’s contents. Electronic signature is sufficient. The Department will not require for this filing multiple signatures on a filing or that the signature be sworn to, in person, as attested to by a Notary Public.

If you have any questions regarding this Notice, please contact Department Secretary Shonda Green at 617-305-3580.