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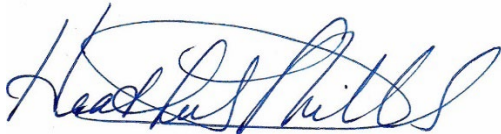
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Dear Christopher,

This is to confirm that Columbia Telecommunications Corporation (CTC Technology & Energy) is the sole source provider for the California State Library (the State Library) California Library Connect Broadband Project and associated grants. Lake County Library began contracting with Califa for this service in 2016. The California State Library now contracts with CTC Technology & Energy to manage administration, including contracting and billing, for this broadband service. Additionally, on behalf of the State Library, CTC Technology & Energy contracts with CENIC for access and connectivity to the CalREN high speed network (\$2M annually) for California public libraries and libraries are required to contract with CTC Technology & Energy to access the network. On behalf of participating libraries, CENIC manages E-rate submissions for these circuits and the RFP process for soliciting bids from carriers. This service is only available through contracting with CTC Technology & Energy on behalf of the State Library.

The specific service you are renewing through CTC Technology & Energy is detailed in the attached Agreement. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions.

All the best,



Heather Mills
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