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NextG Networks of Illinois, Inc. :  
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Petition of NextG Networks of Illinois, Inc. :  
For Confidential Treatment of its 2011 :  
Annual/Amended Gross Revenue Tax :  
Return for Public Utilities and Rail Carriers :

12-0256

Petition

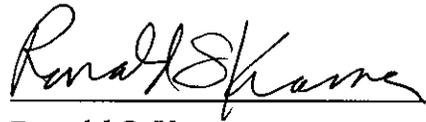
My name is Ronald S. Kramer and I am the Assistant Secretary of NextG Networks of Illinois, Inc. ("NextG"). In my capacity as such, I hereby submit this petition for confidential treatment of NextG's 2011 Annual/Amended Gross Revenue Tax Return for Public Utilities and Rail Carriers submitted to the Illinois Commerce Commission. NextG hereby petitions for confidential treatment based on the following reasons:

1. NextG is a privately held corporation and, as such, financial statements, business planning documents and other related information are confidential and not publicly available.
2. Release of this information would substantially harm NextG's ability to negotiate with vendors, incumbent local exchange carriers, and other competitive local exchange carriers for services and equipment.
3. Release of this information would harm NextG's relationship with investors and would adversely affect its ability to compete with local exchange carriers and interexchange carriers.

4. NextG has faithfully provided actual financial information as required by the report. Should NextG's competitors have occasion to view this actual financial information, NextG will lose its competitive advantage to these other companies.

Dated at Milpitas, California, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.

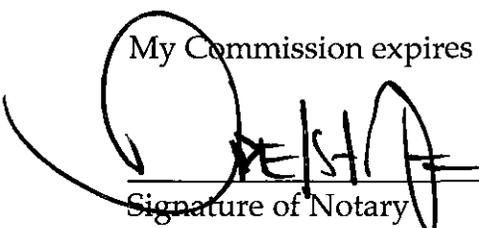
Respectfully submitted,



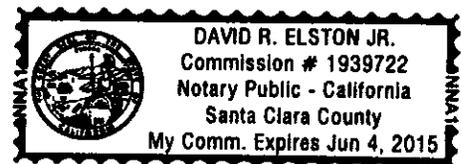
Ronald S. Kramer  
NextG Networks, Inc.  
890 Tasman Drive  
Milpitas, CA 95035-7439

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County above named, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2012.

My Commission expires June 4, 2015



Signature of Notary



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Signature of Document Signer No. 2 (if any)

State of California

County of Santa Clara

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me

on this 30th day of March, 2012,  
by \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Month Year

(1) Ronald Kramer

Name of Signer

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person who appeared before me (.) (.)

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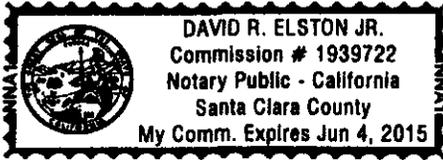
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Signature of Notary Public



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