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U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission Division of Corporation Finance Office of Technology 100 F. Street N.E. Washington, D.C. 20549 Attn: Edwin Kim

> Windstream Parent, Inc. Registration Statement on Form S-4/A (File No. 333-281068)

Dear Mr. Kim:

With respect to the above-referenced registration statement (the "Registration Statement"), and pursuant to Rule 461 of Regulation C promulgated under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, Windstream Parent, Inc., a Delaware corporation (the "Registrant"), hereby respectfully requests that the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission accelerate the effective date of the Registration Statement, so that it is declared effective at 4:00 p.m. (Eastern Time) on February 12, 2025 or as soon as practicable thereafter or at such later time as the Registrant or its counsel may orally request via telephone call to the staff of the U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission.

Please contact our counsel, Debevoise & Plimpton LLP, by calling Benjamin R. Pedersen at (212) 909-6121 or Steven J. Slutzky at (212) 909-6036, as soon as the Registration Statement has been declared effective, or if you have any other questions or concerns regarding this matter.

Sincerely,

WINDSTREAM PARENT, INC.

By: /s/ Drew Smith

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Title: Chief Financial Officer and Treasurer

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