



NCTC MEMBERSHIP PROCESS

Qualification Questionnaire for Prospective Applicant

PART I: Qualification. In order to qualify to apply for NCTC membership, a prospective applicant must meet both of the following criteria:

- Provide television reception or service for the public primarily by means of a “cable system” as defined in 47 U.S.C. Section 522(7) (excerpted below).
 - 7) the term “cable system” means a facility, consisting of a set of closed transmission paths and associated signal generation, reception, and control equipment that is designed to provide cable service which includes video programming and which is provided to multiple subscribers within a community, but such term does not include
 - (A) a facility that serves only to retransmit the television signals of 1 or more television broadcast stations;
 - (B) a facility that serves subscribers without using any public right-of-way;
 - (C) a facility of a common carrier which is subject, in whole or in part, to the provisions of subchapter II of this chapter, except that such facility shall be considered a cable system (other than for purposes of section 541 (c) of this title) to the extent such facility is used in the transmission of video programming directly to subscribers, unless the extent of such use is solely to provide interactive on-demand services;
 - (D) an open video system that complies with section 573 of this title; or
 - (E) any facilities of any electric utility used solely for operating its electric utility system.
- Currently provide (or plan to provide in the next 90 -180 days) multichannel video service to residential subscribers.

Please answer the following questions:

1. Does the prospective applicant provide service (or plan to provide service) primarily by means of a “cable system” as defined under Federal law? (see above)

Yes *Proceed to Question 2.*

No **STOP:** *Prospective applicant does not qualify to apply for NCTC membership.*

2. Is the prospective applicant acquiring a cable system(s) from a current NCTC member in the next 90 days?

Yes *Complete system information below and proceed to Part II.*

NCTC member company: _____

Location of the cable system(s): _____

No *Proceed to Question 3.*

3. Is the prospective applicant planning to purchase cable systems from an entity that is not currently a NCTC member company in the next 90 days?

Yes *Provide closing date and proceed to Part II.*

Scheduled closing date: _____

No *Proceed to Question 4.*

4. Is the prospective applicant currently operating a cable system(s)?

Yes *Proceed to Part II.*

No *Proceed to Question 5.*

5. Is the prospective applicant planning to launch a new cable system(s) and offer video service to residential subscribers in the next 180 days?

Yes *Provide launch date and proceed to Part II.*

Scheduled system launch date: _____

No **STOP:** *Prospective applicant does not qualify to apply for NCTC membership at this time.*

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Part II: Prospective Applicant Information

Please provide complete answers to ALL of the following questions:

1. Company Name: _____

2. Doing business as (dba) or alternative name(s) used:

3. Mailing Address

Street or PO Box: _____

Suite: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

4. Shipping Address

Street or PO Box: _____

Suite: _____

City / State / Zip: _____

5. Company web site: _____

6. Main contact for the NCTC membership application process

Name: _____

Title: _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

7. Does/will the prospective applicant own and /or manage the cable systems?
(check all that apply)

Own Manage

Please list the names of all the owners of the prospective applicant and provide the percentage of ownership for each owner.

Confidentiality Agreement

By delivering this executed Qualification Questionnaire to NCTC, the undersigned prospective applicant hereby agrees that it, its agents and employees will treat all materials and information provided or made available by NCTC as confidential (the "Confidential Information".) The prospective applicant shall not disclose any details of the Confidential Information to any third party (in any form, whether written, electronic or verbal), and shall not use the Confidential Information except in communications with NCTC. This confidentiality agreement shall continue whether or not prospective applicant completes the NCTC application process or is accepted for membership by NCTC.

Prospective Applicant:

Authorized Signature: _____

Name (please print): _____

Title: _____

Date: _____

Send this completed form to: NCTC
ATTN: Membership Affairs
11200 Corporate Avenue
Lenexa, KS 66219
Fax: (913) 599-5903
Email: membership@nctconline.org

IMPORTANT NOTE:

The qualification determination process requires approximately 30 days. If NCTC determines that the prospective applicant qualifies to apply for membership, NCTC Membership Affairs will contact the prospective applicant and provide membership application materials at that time.

This is not a membership application. Your answers to this questionnaire will help NCTC determine whether you qualify to apply for NCTC membership. Qualifying to apply for membership does not constitute NCTC's approval of the prospective applicant's application and is not a guarantee of membership.