

**Before the  
UTAH PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION**

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In the Matter of )  
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Telrite Corporation d/b/a Life Wireless ) Docket No. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Petition for Limited Designation as an )  
Eligible Telecommunications Carrier )  
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**PETITION FOR LIMITED DESIGNATION AS AN  
ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER**

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## SUMMARY

Telrite Corporation d/b/a Life Wireless (“Telrite” or the “Company”), pursuant to the Federal Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the “Act”), 47 U.S.C. §214(e) and implementing rules of the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”), requests that the Utah Public Service Commission designate Telrite as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”) in portions of the State of Utah (the “Service Area”) for the purpose of receiving federal low-income universal service support for prepaid wireless services, specifically Lifeline. As discussed herein, Telrite meets all of the necessary requirements for ETC designation under the Act to offer services supported by the Lifeline program. Designation of the Company would promote the public interest because it would provide qualifying Utah customers with lower prices and higher quality wireless services. Many low-income customers in Utah have yet to benefit from the intensely competitive wireless market because of financial constraints, poor credit history or intermittent employment and many existing customers lose access to wireless services when their financial position deteriorates as a consequence of losing a job, a medical condition or any other adverse event—all unfortunately too common during a challenging economic period. Telrite’s prepaid service offerings are ideally suited to provide these customers with reliable and free wireless services. As an ETC, Telrite would be able to provide affordable services to these consumers—many of whom are among the intended beneficiaries of USF support.

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**I. INTRODUCTION**

On June 20, 2012, Telrite Corporation d/b/a Life Wireless (“Telrite” or the “Company”), by its undersigned counsel, petitioned the Utah Public Service Commission (“Commission”) for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (“ETC”) in the State of Utah pursuant to the Federal Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the “Act”), 47 U.S.C. § 214(e) and implementing rules of the Federal Communications Commission (“FCC”). Telrite seeks ETC designation in Utah for the purpose of receiving federal low-income universal service support for prepaid wireless services, specifically Lifeline.

In its initial Application the Company filed a copy of its Compliance Plan (“Compliance Plan”) as filed with the FCC as **Exhibit “D”** thereto. Since its initial filing, Telrite revised its Compliance Plan on December 19, 2012. On December 26, 2012, the FCC approved the Compliance Plan as revised. A copy of Telrite’s FCC-approved Compliance Plan is attached hereto as **Supplemental Exhibit D.**

## II. CONCLUSION

Having demonstrated that Telrite satisfies the conditions necessary for designation as an ETC in Utah, and having shown that the public and universal service interests of the telecommunications consumers of the State of Utah will be properly served, Telrite respectfully requests that the Commission designate Telrite Corporation d/b/a Life Wireless as an ETC for the provision of low income support on a wireless basis in the State of Utah.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

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**SUPPLEMENTAL EXHIBIT D**

**FCC-APPROVED COMPLIANCE PLAN**