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Re: In the Matter of the Petition of CenturyLink for a Waiver of the Utah Lifeline

Eligibility Requirements

Docket Nos. 16-049-16 and 16-999-0

Utah Rural Telecom Association's Comments

Dear Mr. Widerburg:

Enclosed, please find the original and two copies of Utah Rural Telecom Association's Comments in the above referenced docket. An electronic version of the document has been emailed to the Public Service Commission, the Division of Public Utilities, the Office of Consumer Services, and CenturyLink. If you have any questions concerning the above, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

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