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*Re: In the Matter of the Utah Affordable Base Rate for Telecommunications Services  
Docket No. 16-R360 –URTA'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, and the Office of Consumer Services. If you have any questions concerning the above, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

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