

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Utah Administrative Code R746-8, Proposing to Repeal R746-360, R746-341, and R746-343

DOCKET NO. 17-R008-01
SCHEDULING ORDER ON
CENTURYLINK REQUEST FOR
ADDITIONAL TIME TO FILE
COMMENTS AND REPLY
COMMENTS

ISSUED: July 14, 2017

On July 5, 2017, the Public Service Commission of Utah (PSC) issued a request for comments regarding a proposal to repeal Utah Administrative Code R746-360, R746-341, and R746-343, replacing the existing rules with a revised, streamlined rule governing all aspects of the Utah Universal Service Fund (UUSF). The PSC requested that comments be submitted by Wednesday, August 2, 2017, and that reply comments be submitted by Thursday, August 17, 2017.

On July 13, 2017, CenturyLink filed a request to extend the comment deadline to Monday, September 18, 2017, and to extend the reply comment deadline to Tuesday, October 3, 2017. Also on July 13, 2017, the Utah Rural Telecom Association filed a joinder to CenturyLink's request.

The PSC notes that granting CenturyLink's request would delay adjudication of any request (a) from a wireless provider for Lifeline UUSF support; (b) from a rate-of-return-regulated incumbent local exchange carrier for a review of its UUSF disbursement; (c) from a non-rate-of-return-regulated incumbent local exchange carrier for UUSF support; and (d) from any provider for a one-time distribution from the UUSF.

Any objection to CenturyLink's request may be filed by **Wednesday, July 19, 2017**.

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DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, July 14, 2017.

/s/ Jennie T. Jonsson
Administrative Law Judge

Approved and confirmed July 14, 2017 by the Public Service Commission of Utah.

/s/ Thad LeVar, Chair

/s/ David R. Clark, Commissioner

/s/ Jordan A. White, Commissioner

Attest:

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