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Memorandum

To: Public Service Commission of Utah
From: Utah Division of Public Utilities
Chris Parker, Director
Brenda Salter, Assistant Director
Abdinasir Abdulle, Utility Technical Consultant Supervisor
Shauna Benvegnu-Springer, Utility Technical Consultant
Date: February 14, 2024
Re: **Docket No. 23-999-06**, Lifeline Request for Reimbursement for Sage Telecom Communications, LLC dba Truconnect

Recommendation (Approval)

The Division of Public Utilities (Division) has conducted a desk audit of the Request for Utah Lifeline Discount Reimbursement submitted by Sage Telecom Communications, LLC dba Truconnect (Company), under Rule R746-8-403 (2)(a), for the period of July 1, 2023, through December 31, 2023. The desk audit included reviewing the information provided by the Company and the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC). The Division finds that the amounts claimed are reasonable and justified. The Division recommends that the Public Service Commission of Utah disburse from the Utah Universal Service Fund **\$59,041.50**, which equals discounts granted to subscribers. Remit to:

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Los Angeles, CA 90015

cc: Nathan Johnson, CEO, Truconnect
Olegario Gonzalez, Accounting Manager, Truconnect