

- BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

In the Matter of the Petition of TracFone)
Wireless, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible) DOCKET NO. 09-2511-01
Telecommunications Carrier in the State of)
Utah for the Limited Purpose of Offering) ORDER GRANTING
Lifeline Service to Qualified Households) RECONSIDERATION

ISSUED: January 20, 2011

By The Commission:

We have reviewed the Utah Rural Telecom Association's (URTA) Petition for Reconsideration, Review, and Rehearing, the Office of Consumer Services' (OCS) Request for Reconsideration, and TracFone's Opposition to those moving papers.

We will grant their petitions, but limit our review and reconsideration primarily to the issue of TracFone's obligation to pay into the state USF. Also, we will give further and other clarification regarding why we decline to make the payment of the 911 tax and other public interest program surcharges a specific condition of ETC designation.

We still find granting TracFone ETC designation is in the public interest, but we will issue other and further conditions on the ETC designation and issue a decision pursuant to U.C.A. § 54-7-15 and § 63G-4-301.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 20th day of January, 2011.

/s/ Ted Boyer, Chairman

/s/ Ric Campbell, Commissioner

/s/ Ron Allen, Commissioner

Attest:

/s/ Julie Orchard
Commission Secretary
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