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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

In the Matter of the Resolution of Certain
Issues Related to the Designation of a
Common Carrier as an Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier.

Docket No. 10-2528-01

**PETITION TO INTERVENE OF BUDGET
PREPAY, INC. D/B/A BUDGET MOBILE**

Pursuant to Utah Code Ann. § 63G-4-207 and Rule R746-100-7, Petitioner Budget PrePay, Inc. d/b/a Budget Mobile (“Budget” or “Petitioner”), by its undersigned attorneys, hereby petitions for leave to intervene in the above-captioned docket. In support of this Petition, Budget states as follows:

1. On June 21, 2012, Budget filed a Petition seeking designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”) for the limited purposes of offering Lifeline service to eligible customers in Utah. That Petition is now pending before the Commission. Subsequent to that filing, Budget became aware of this docket and the scheduled Technical Conference on

August 22, 2012. If Budget's ETC Petition is granted, the issues in this docket including decisions regarding the eRep system may have a direct impact on Budget. Therefore, the legal rights and interests of Budget may be substantially affected by this proceeding.

2. Budget has not fully determined the specific positions it will take or the relief it will seek if it allowed to intervene in this docket. Budget seeks to intervene for the purposes of protecting its interests as they may appear.

3. Budget recognizes that this docket has been underway for some time and that, for example, there is a scheduled Technical Conference on August 22, 2012. Budget agrees to take the docket as it stands including the currently scheduled procedural dates. Therefore, the interests of justice and the orderly and prompt conduct of this proceeding will not be materially impaired by allowing Budget to intervene.

4. Budget requests that all pleadings and notices filed or issued in this proceeding be sent to the following:

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WHEREFORE, Budget requests leave to intervene in this proceeding to protect its interests as they may appear.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 17th day of August, 2012.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on the 17th day of August, 2012, an original and five (5) true and correct copies of the **PETITION TO INTERVENE OF BUDGET PREPAY, INC. D/B/A BUDGET MOBILE** were hand-delivered, and an electronic copy (in Word) of the foregoing was delivered, to:

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I also certify that a copy was sent via electronic mail or hand delivery as indicated to the following:

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