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**MEMORANDUM**

**To:** Public Service Commission

**From:** Division of Public Utilities  
Chris Parker, Director  
Bill Duncan, Telecommunications / Water Manager  
Ron Slusher, Utility Technical Consultant

**Date:** April 16, 2013

**Re:** In the Matter of the Notification by Wholesale Carrier Services, Inc. and Digizip.com, Inc. of an Asset Purchase Agreement, Docket Number 13-2545-01.

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**RECOMMENDATION (Acknowledgement):**

The Division of Public Utilities (“Division”) has reviewed the notification of Assets Purchase Agreement sent by Wholesale Carrier Services, Inc. Where Digizip.com is a long distance provider and not a certificated company in the State of Utah and therefore not regulated under the Utah Code Title 54 Public Utilities Statutes and Public Service Commission Rules, the Division recommends that the Commission acknowledge the Assets Purchase Agreement between Wholesale Carriers Services, Inc. and Digizip.com, Inc.

**EXPLANATION:**

On or about April 16, 2013, Wholesale Carrier Services, Inc., (Wholesale Carrier”) filed a letter of notice for the Asset Purchase of Digizip.com with the Utah Public Service Commission (“Commission”).

Wholesale Carrier is a Florida corporation with principal offices located at 5471 North University Drive, Coral Springs, FL 33067. The Commission granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Wholesale Carrier on September 07, 2012, docket number 12-2545-01, certificate number 2545.

Digizip.com is an Arizona corporation with principal offices located at 168 Irving Avenue #302, Port Chester, NY 10573. Digizip.com is a registered long distance telecommunications resale provider in the state of Utah.

Wholesale Carrier has stated that they will receive ownership to substantially all of Digizip.com's assets including its customer accounts. Wholesale Carrier further states that they will give the former customers of Digizip.com an opportunity to switch their service from Digizip.com to a different carrier if they wish.

Wholesale Carrier states that the acquisition will serve the public interest in that it will ensure that current Digizip.com customers maintain uninterrupted service. The Acquisition will also serve to create a heightened level of operating efficiency, which generally will serve to enhance the overall capacity of Wholesale Carrier to compete in the marketplace and to provide telecommunications services for a greater number of consumers in the State of Utah at competitive rates.

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