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Re: *Beehive Telephone Company, Inc.'s Proposed Tariff Revisions*; Docket No. 19-051-T02

Dear Mr. Mason,

The Public Service Commission (PSC) has reviewed Beehive Telephone Company's ("Beehive") proposed revisions to Sheet No. 2 and Schedule 7 of its Utah Local Tariff sheets ("Tariff"), transmitted on November 8, 2019. Beehive proposes to incorporate the rates implemented by the 2016 FCC Lifeline Modernization Order and to include Lifeline in its Tariff. Beehive requests an effective date of December 1, 2019. The PSC also reviewed the comments of the Division of Public Utilities (DPU) filed on November 14, 2019. The DPU has no objection to the proposed revisions and recommends the PSC approve Beehive's proposed revisions to the Tariff.

Based on its review of Beehive's filing and the DPU's comments and recommendation, the PSC approves Beehive's proposed revisions to its Tariff as filed, with an effective date of December 1, 2019.<sup>1</sup>

Sincerely,

/s/ Gary L. Widerburg  
PSC Secretary  
DW#311167

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<sup>1</sup> Going forward, the PSC reminds Beehive (1) it should file tariff changes at least 30 days prior to the requested effective date as required by Utah Administrative Code (UAC) R746-405-1(C)(2); and (2) of the requirement to provide a statement that the proposed tariff sheet does not constitute a violation of state law or PSC rule per Utah Admin. Code R746-405-2(D)(3)(g). We conclude, without prejudice to dissimilar conclusions in future filings, that in this instance these deficiencies are not material enough to be a basis to suspend or deny the tariff.