



## GOBIERNO DE PUERTO RICO

Junta Reglamentadora de Telecomunicaciones

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Federal Communications Commission  
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**RE: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-58, Annual State Certification of Support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314**

To whom it may concern:

Pursuant to the requirements of 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, the *Telecommunications Regulatory Board of Puerto Rico* hereby certifies to the *Federal Communications Commission* and the *Universal Service Administrative Company* that the telecommunications carriers included in this letter are eligible to receive federal high-cost support and have used such funds in the preceding calendar year (2016) and will be using the support in the coming calendar year (2018) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> 47 C.F.R. § 54.314(a) *Certification. States that desire eligible telecommunications carriers to receive support pursuant to the high-cost program must file an annual certification with the Administrator and the Commission stating that all federal high-cost support provided to such carriers within that State was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended. High-cost support shall only be provided to the extent that the State has filed the requisite certification pursuant to this section.*





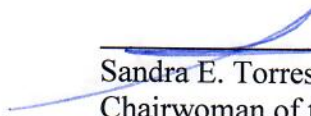
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**Table of Certified Carriers**

COMPANY NAME	STUDY AREA CODE
PRTC-Central (PRTC)	633200
Puerto Rico Tele Co. (PRTC)	633201
Puerto Rico Telephone Company (Claro)	639006
PR Wireless, Inc. d/b/a Open Mobile	639007
AT&T Mobility Puerto Rico, Inc.	639005
WorldNet Telecommunications, Inc.	639008
T-Mobile (SunComm Wireless)	639003

Signed,

  
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Chairwoman of the Telecommunications  
Regulatory Board of Puerto Rico

