

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of)	
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Petition for correction of certification)	
FCC Form 486)	
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Mendon Upton Regional School District)	CC Docket No. 02-6
(Mendon Upton Regional District, BEN 120285)	
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Schools and Libraries Universal Service)	
Support Mechanism)	

Petition for Correction of Certification
FCC Form 486 Approval for Funding Year 2017
RE: FCC Form 486 #45446

I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

The Mendon Upton Regional School District (“Mendon Upton Regional School District”) serves low income pre-kindergarten through Grade 12 children spanning 2 towns in Massachusetts. Since the 1990’s, the Mendon Upton Regional School District has been a very small but successful participant of the E-Rate program.

The Mendon Upton Regional School District submitted and certified their Funding Year 2017 FCC Form 486, 45446, in the “EPC” portal of the Schools and Libraries Division (“SLD”) of the Universal Service Administrative Company’s (“USAC”) website, on July 5, 2017, within the required time for filing.

As a staff member of the rural Mendon Upton Regional School District, I work E-Rate into my already busy work schedule, and I am the sole staff member performing E-Rate duties.

As I was completing the certification, I erroneously checked the first certification box:
“I am providing notification that, as of the date of the start of discounted services, I am unable to make the certifications required by the Children’s Internet Protection Act, as codified at 47 U.S.C. § 254(h) and (l), because my state or local procurement rules or regulations or competitive bidding requirements prevent the making of the certification(s) otherwise required. I certify that the schools or libraries represented in the Funding Request Number(s) on this FCC Form 486 will be brought into compliance with the CIPA requirements before the start of the Third Funding Year in which they apply for discounts.”

This has resulted in a necessary review of the submission by USAC that has not occurred to present day. USAC customer support has informed us that they have no mechanism to edit the submission and cannot approve this form to release payment to the service providers. This has caused the school district to pay the full price for all services on this form until a resolution is reached.

II. Request

The Mendon Upton Regional School District respectfully petitions the Commission to grant an approval of the FCC Form 486 #45446 with the corrected certification. This will allow the service providers to invoice USAC, and for USAC to issue reimbursement.

Respectfully submitted,



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Summary Associated FRNs Review Inquiries News Related Actions

In-Review Outreach Review Completed Notification Issued

FCC Form 486 Form Details

View Status (+) Submitting Organization MENDON-UPTON REG SCH DISTRICT (BEN: 120285) Created By JOSEPH LEACU Created On 7/5/2017 10:43 AM EDT Funding Year 2017

Billed Entity Information

MENDON-UPTON REG SCH DISTRICT Billed Entity Number: 120285 150 NORTH AVENUE FCC Registration Number: 0012551263 MENDON, MA 01756 Applicant Type: School District 508-634-1585

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Service Information

FRN Number	Application Number	FRN Nickname	Category of Service	SPIN	Service Provider	Actual Service Start Date
1799032387	171016880	COMCAST-Fiber	Category 1	143003990	Comcast Business Communications	7/1/2016
1799032397	171016891	Charter-Fiber	Category 1	143005817	Charter Communications	7/1/2017
1799070241	171032121	CELT-INTERNET	Category 1	143005050	CELT- Center for Educational Leadership & Technology	7/1/2017

Certifications

- ☐ The Funding Requests listed in this FCC Form 486 have been approved by USAC as shown in my Funding Commitment Decision Letter (FCDL). I have confirmed with the service provider(s) featured in those Funding Requests that these services will start on or before July 31 of the Funding Year.
- ☐ I am providing notification that, as of the date of the start of discounted services, I am unable to make the certifications required by the Children's Internet Protection Act, as codified at 47 U.S.C. § 254(h) and (l), because my state or local procurement rules or regulations or competitive bidding requirements prevent the making of the certification(s) otherwise required. I certify that the schools or libraries represented in the Funding Request Number(s) on this FCC Form 486 will be brought into compliance with the CIPA requirements before the start of the Third Funding Year in which they apply for discounts.
- ☐ I certify that the services listed on this FCC Form 486 have been, are planned to be, or are being provided to all or some of the eligible entities identified in the FCC Form 471 application(s) cited above. I certify that there are signed contracts covering all of the services listed on this FCC Form 486 except for those services provided under tariff or on a month-to-month basis. I certify that I am authorized to submit this receipt of service confirmation on behalf of the above-named Billed Entity; that I have examined this request; and that, to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief, all statements of fact contained herein are true.
- ☐ I understand that the discount level used for shared services is conditional, for future years, upon ensuring that the most disadvantaged schools and libraries that are treated as sharing in the services receive an appropriate share of benefits from those services. I recognize that I may be audited pursuant to this application and will retain for at least ten years (or whatever retention period is required by the rules in effect at the time of this certification) after the latter of the last day of the applicable funding year or the service delivery deadline for the funding request any and all records, including FCC Forms 479 where required, and, if audited, will make such records available to the Administrator.
- ☐ I certify that as of the date of the start of discounted services: a. the recipient(s) of service represented in the Funding Request Number(s) on this FCC Form 486 has (have) complied with the requirements of the Children's Internet Protection Act, as codified at 47 U.S.C. § 254(h) and (l).
- ☐ I certify that as of the date of the start of discounted services: Pursuant to the Children's Internet Protection Act, as codified at 47 U.S.C. § 254(h) and (l), the recipient(s) of service represented in the Funding Request Number(s) on this Form 486: (FOR SCHOOLS and FOR LIBRARIES IN THE FIRST FUNDING YEAR FOR PURPOSES OF CIPA) is (are) undertaking such actions, including any necessary procurement procedures, to comply with the requirements of CIPA for the next funding year, but has (have) not completed all requirements of CIPA for this funding year.
- ☐ I certify that as of the date of the start of discounted services: The Children's Internet Protection Act does not apply because the recipient(s) of service represented in the Funding Request Number(s) on this FCC Form 486 is (are) receiving discount services only for telecommunications services.
- ☐ I certify as the Billed Entity for the consortium that the only services that have been approved for discounts under the universal service support mechanism on behalf of eligible members of the consortium are telecommunications services, and therefore the requirements of the Children's Internet Protection Act, as codified at 47 U.S.C. § 254(h) and (l), do not apply.
- ☐ I certify as the Billed Entity for the consortium that I have collected duly completed and signed FCC Forms 479 from all eligible members of the consortium.
- ☐ I certify that some or all of the eligible consortium members checked FCC Form 479 Item 6d to seek a CIPA Waiver, and upon request from the Administrator I can provide this information.
- ☐ I certify that no eligible consortium members checked FCC Form 479 Item 6d to seek a CIPA Waiver.

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Certification Details

Certified By JOSEPH LEACU

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