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Annual Lifeline Eligible Telecommunications Carrier Certification Form
All carriers must complete all or portions of all sections
Form must be submitted to USAC and filed with the Federal Communications Commission

IMPORTANT: PLEASE READ INSTRUCTIONS FIRST

Deadline: January 31st (Annually)

154533
Study Area Code (SAC)
(*An Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) must provide a certification form for **each SAC** through which it provides Lifeline service*).

NY
State

CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPAN
ETC Name

Frontier Communications of New York
DBA, Marketing or Other Branding Name
(If same as ETC name, list "N/A" Do not leave blank)

Frontier Communications Corporation
Holding Company Name
(If same as ETC name, list "N/A" Do not leave blank)

Does the reporting company have affiliated ETCs? Yes ☐ No ☐

Provide a list of all ETCs that are affiliated with the reporting ETC, using page 4 and additional sheets if necessary. Affiliation shall be determined in accordance with Section 3(2) of the Communications Act. That Section defines "affiliate" as "a person that (directly or indirectly) owns or controls, is owned or controlled by, or is under common ownership or control with, another person." 47 U.S.C. § 153(2). See also 47 C.F.R. § 76.1200.

Affiliated ETC's SAC	Affiliated ETC's Name
-- See attached worksheet --	

For purposes of this filing, an officer is an occupant of a position listed in the article of incorporation, articles of formation, or other similar legal document. An officer is a person who occupies a position specified in the corporate by-laws (or partnership agreement), and would typically be president, vice president for operations, vice president for finance, comptroller, treasurer, or a comparable position. If the filer is a sole proprietorship, the owner must sign the certification.

Section 1: **Initial Certification** *All ETCs must complete this section*

I certify that the company listed above has certification procedures in place to:

A) Review income and program-based eligibility documentation prior to enrolling a consumer in the Lifeline program, and that, to the best of my knowledge, the company was presented with documentation of each consumer's household income and/or program-based eligibility prior to his or her enrollment in Lifeline; and/or

B) Confirm consumer eligibility by relying upon access to a state database and/or notice of eligibility from the state Lifeline administrator prior to enrolling a consumer in the Lifeline program.

I am an officer of the company named above. I am authorized to make this certification for the Study Area Code listed above.

Initial JCM

Section 2: Annual Recertification

Do not leave empty blocks. If an ETC has nothing to report in a block, enter a zero.

A	B	C	D	E = (A – B – C – D)
Number of subscribers claimed on February FCC Form 497 of current Form 555 calendar year *(February data month)*	**Number of lines claimed on February FCC Form 497 of current Form 555 calendar year provided to wireline resellers**	**Number of subscribers claimed on the February FCC Form 497 that were initially enrolled in the current Form 555 calendar year** *(These subscribers did not have Lifeline service prior to January 1 of the current 555 calendar year.)*	**Number of subscribers de-enrolled prior to recertification attempt by either the ETC, a state administrator, access to an eligibility database, or by USAC**	**Number of subscribers ETC is responsible for recertifying for current Form 555 calendar year**
98	0	4	7	87

Recertification Results:

F	G	H = (F-G)	I	J = (H+I)
Number of subscribers ETC contacted directly to recertify eligibility through attestation	**Number of subscribers responding to ETC contact**	**Number of non-responding subscribers**	**Number of subscribers responding that they are no longer eligible** *(This should be a subset of Block G.)*	**Number of subscribers de-enrolled or scheduled to be de-enrolled as a result of non-response or response of ineligibility from ETC recertification attempt**
0	0	0	0	0

K	L
Number of subscribers whose eligibility was reviewed by state administrator, ETC access to eligibility database, or by USAC	**Number of subscribers de-enrolled or scheduled to be de-enrolled as a result of finding of ineligibility by state administrator, ETC access to eligibility database, or USAC**
95	49

Note: *If any subscriber was reviewed by an ETC accessing a state database or by a state administrator and subsequently contacted directly by the ETC in an attempt to recertify eligibility, those subscribers should be listed in Blocks F through J as appropriate and not in Blocks K and L. As a result, all subscribers subject to recertification who were not de-enrolled prior to the recertification attempt must be accounted for in Block F or Block K.*

The total of Block F and Block K should equal the number reported in Block E.

Certification:

Based on the data entered above, initial the certification(s) below that apply. Both Certification A and B may apply depending on the recertification procedures in place for the SAC reporting on this form. If Certification C applies, neither Certification A nor B may apply.

A.) I certify that the company listed above has procedures in place to recertify the continued eligibility of all of its Lifeline subscribers, and that, to the best of my knowledge, the company obtained signed certifications from all subscribers attesting to their continuing eligibility for Lifeline. Results are provided in the chart above in Blocks F through J. I am an officer of the company named above. I am authorized to make this certification for the SAC listed above.

Initial _____

AND/OR

B.) I certify that the company listed above has procedures in place to recertify consumer eligibility by relying on: USAC. Results are provided in the chart above in Blocks K through L. I am an officer of the company named above. I am authorized to make this certification for the SAC listed above.

Initial JCM

OR

C.) I certify that my company did not claim federal low income support for any Lifeline subscribers for the February Form 497 data month for the current Form 555 calendar year. I am an officer of the company named above. I am authorized to make this certification for the SAC listed above.

Initial _____

Section 3: De-enroll Percentage

Using the data entered in Section 2, complete the chart below to find the percentage of subscribers de-enrolled for this ETC.

M = (F+K)	N = (J+L)	O = ((N ÷ M) * 100)
Number of subscribers that the ETC attempted to recertify directly or through a state administrator, ETC access to a state database, or by USAC (*This should equal the number reported in Block E)*	**Number of subscribers de-enrolled or scheduled to be de- enrolled as a result of non-response or ineligibility**	**Percentage of subscribers de-enrolled or scheduled to be de-enrolled as a result of ineligibility or non-response**
95	49	51.58%

Section 4: Pre-Paid ETCs

All ETCs must complete the appropriate check-box; pre-paid ETCs must complete all of Section 4. Pre-paid ETCs generally do not assess or collect a monthly fee from their Lifeline subscribers. ETCs that only assess a fee but do not collect such fees are pre-paid ETCs and must complete the chart below.

Is the ETC Pre-Paid? Yes ☐ No ☒

If Yes, record the number of subscribers de-enrolled for non-usage by month in Block Q below.

P	Q
Month	Subscribers De-Enrolled for Non-Usage
January	0
February	0
March	0
April	0
May	0
June	0
July	0
August	0
September	0
October	0
November	0
December	0
Total Subscribers	0

Signature Block

By signing below, I certify that the company listed above is in compliance with all federal Lifeline certification procedures. I am an officer of the company named above. I am authorized to make this certification for the Study Area Code (SAC) listed above.

Signed,

Certified Online
Signature of Officer

Jessica C. Matushek, Director, Accounting
Printed Name and Title of Officer

jessica.matushek@ftr.com
Email Address of Officer

01/22/2015
Date

Cassandra Guinness
Person Completing This Certification Form

585-777-4557
Contact Phone Number

Affiliated ETCs

SAC	Name
250306	Frontier Communications of Alabama LLC
250301	Frontier Communications Lamar County LLC
250318	Frontier Communications of the South LLC
210318	Frontier Communications of the South LLC
454426	CITIZENS UTILITIES CO
452172	CITIZENS UTILITIES RURAL TEL CO
452302	Frontier Communications of the Southwest Inc.
541863	Frontier Communications of the Southwest Inc.
552302	Frontier Communications of the Southwest Inc.
454449	NAVAJO COMM CO
504449	NAVAJO COMM CO
494449	NAVAJO COMM CO
542308	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF CA
542315	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF CA
544342	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF CA
543402	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF CA
542344	Frontier Communications West Coast Inc.
220362	Frontier Communications of Fairmount LLC
220387	Frontier Communications of Georgia LLC
351127	Frontier Communications of Iowa Inc
474427	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF IDAHO
341183	CITIZENS TEL OF ILLINOIS INC
341055	Frontier Communications - Midland Inc.
340998	Frontier Communications of DePue Inc.
341038	Frontier Communications of Illinois Inc.
341011	Frontier Communications of Lakeside Inc.
341061	Frontier Communications of Mt. Pulaski Inc.
341067	Frontier Communications of Orion Inc.
341073	Frontier Communications - Prairie Inc.
341079	Frontier Communications - Schuyler Inc.
341015	Frontier North Inc.
341036	
320772	Frontier North Inc.
320779	Frontier North Inc.
310695	Frontier North Inc.
300615	Frontier North Inc.
330886	Frontier North Inc.
343035	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
230479	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
230509	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
240479	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
240526	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas Inc.
320750	Frontier Communications of Indiana Inc.
320828	Frontier Communications of Thorntown Inc.
323034	Frontier Midstates Inc.
313033	Frontier Midstates Inc.
310682	Frontier Communications of Michigan Inc.
300682	Frontier Communications of Michigan Inc.
361123	CITIZENS TEL OF MINNESOTA
367123	CITIZENS TEL OF MINNESOTA

Affiliated ETCs

SAC	Name
361367	Frontier Communications of Minnesota Inc.
280460	Frontier Communications of Mississippi Inc.
484322	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF MONTANA
371128	CITIZENS TEL OF NEBRASKA
554431	CITIZENS TEL COMPANY
554432	CITIZENS TEL COMPANY
154532	CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY OF N
154533	CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY OF N
154534	CITIZENS TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY OF N
150072	Frontier Communications of AuSable Valley Inc.
150100	Frontier Communications of New York Inc.
150122	Frontier Communications of Seneca Gorham Inc.
150128	Frontier Communications of Sylvan Lake Inc.
150121	Frontier Telephone of Rochester Inc.
150110	OGDEN TELEPHONE COMPANY
533401	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF OREGON
170161	Commonwealth Telephone Company
170149	Frontier Communications of Breezewood LLC
170152	Frontier Communications of Canton LLC
170178	Frontier Communications of Lakewood LLC
170194	Frontier Communications of Oswayo River LLC
170168	Frontier Communications of Pennsylvania LLC
294336	CITIZENS TEL OF TENNESSEE LLC
290580	CITIZENS TEL OF VOLUNTEER STATE
504429	CITIZENS TELECOMM CO OF UTAH
472416	Frontier Communications Northwest Inc.
532416	Frontier Communications Northwest Inc.
522416	Frontier Communications Northwest Inc.
522449	Frontier Communications Northwest Inc.
330912	Frontier Communications of Mondovi LLC
330967	Frontier Communications of Virogua LLC
330964	
330944	Frontier Communications - St. Croix LLC
330870	RHINELANDER TEL CO
330891	Rhinelander Tel Co
330940	Rhinelander Tel Co
330941	Rhinelander Tel Co
200271	CITIZENS MOUNTAIN STATE TEL
204338	Citizens Mountain State Tel
204339	Citizens Mountain State Tel
205050	Frontier West Virginia Inc.
135200	The Southern New England Telephone Comapny