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VIA ECFS

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, DC 20554

Re: The Telephone Company Withdrawal of Compliance Plan (WC
Docket Nos. 09-197 and 11-42)

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On September 18, 2013, The Telephone Company (“TTC”) submitted its Compliance Plan outlining the measures it would take to implement the conditions imposed by the Commission in its *Lifeline Reform Order*.¹

TTC hereby withdraws its Compliance Plan. TTC has voluntarily relinquished its ETC designation, as affirmed by Order No. 652264 issued by the Oklahoma Corporation Commission on May 3, 2016. TTC has ceased all operations and is not providing Lifeline services. Therefore, approval of a Compliance Plan is unnecessary.

This letter is being filed electronically for inclusion in the public record of the above-referenced dockets, and in view of the Public Notice issued by the Wireline Competition Bureau on May 18, 2016. Please contact the undersigned if there are any questions.

Very truly yours,



George M. Makohin

¹See *Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization, Lifeline and Link Up, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, Advancing Broadband Availability Through Digital Literacy Training*, WC Docket No. 11-42, WC Docket No. 03-109, CC Docket No. 96-45, WC Docket No. 12-23, Report And Order and Further Notice Of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 12-11 (Feb. 6, 2012) (“*Lifeline Reform Order*”).