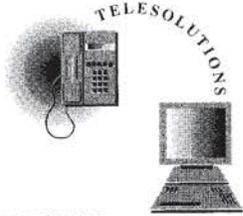


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Dear Sir or Madam:

We are respectfully submitting an Appeal for Reconsideration or Petition for Reconsideration of a Denied Bear Form Extension that was clearly a human error, a mistake made by my assistant in the course of very abnormal conditions during this unprecedented E-rate year.

This E-rate year has been unprecedented with well documented E-rate Website challenges and failures and E-rate Form 470, 471 and attachments that were unstable much of the year. We report that these issues caused severe pressure and stress and may well have resulted in our missing one FRN out of the hundreds we filed.

We made a "human error" and ask the FCC for relief and understanding.

As a consulting firm with nineteen years of professional experience and with thousands of applications over the years, we understand and take seriously **ALL** of the E-rate deadlines. This year we made one error that, if the application or FRN is Denied, could cost a very poor school district (that participates in the Community Eligible Program or CEP Program) over \$32,000 of E-rate revenue already committed to it.

Due to our missing one of their eight FRNs for 2014/2015, they stand to lose that very needed E-rate revenue.

We ask for the FCC's understanding that mistakes can happen and we certainly have learned from this one, to double and triple check all work. We also see by the recent April 29, 2016 ADA order that there are others in a very similar situation.

Background:

Applicant Name: Community Consolidated School District 180

Billed Entity Number: 135689

Form 471 Application Number: 964164

Funding Request Number: 2620110

Funding Year: 2014/2015

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Please reconsider the E-rate Administration's decision to deny the Bear Form Extension Request due to tardiness.

A change to "approved" will certainly help a very poor school district, as every dollar is hugely important to them.

Questions or clarifications:

Please email me at Jerry@TelesolutionsConsultants.com or call me at 630-351-6200 with any questions.

We thank you for your attention on this Reconsideration of a denied appeal.

We look forward to a positive outcome for our school district.

Very sincerely,

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