

FEDERAL SECT 222

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**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
New Jersey, DC 20554**

In the Matter of)	
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Request for Review of the)	
Decision of the)	
Universal Service Administrator by)	
)	
Wathena Unified School District 406)	File No. SLD- 115761
Wathena, Kansas)	
)	
Federal-State Joint Board on)	CC Docket No. <u>96-45</u>
Universal Service)	
)	
Changes to the Board of Directors of the)	CC Docket No. 97-21
National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.)	

ORDER

Adopted: June 7, 2000

Released: June 10, 2000

By the Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau:

1. This Order dismisses the Letter of Appeal filed by Wathena Unified School District 406 (Wathena), Wathena, Kansas, on April 11, 2000.¹ Wathena seeks review of a decision issued by the Universal Service Administrative Company's Schools and Libraries Division on March 9, 2000.² Under section 54.720 of the Commission's rules, any such appeal must be filed within 30 days of the issuance of the decision as to which review is sought.³ Documents are considered to be filed with the Commission only upon receipt.⁴ Because the instant Letter of Appeal was not filed within the specified 30-day period, it will be dismissed without further consideration.

¹ Letter from Leslie Rullman, Wathena Unified School District 406, to Federal Communications Commission, filed April 11, 2000 (Letter of Appeal).

² See Letter from the Schools and Libraries Division, Universal Service Administrative Company, to Leslie Rullman, Wathena Unified School District 406, issued March 9, 2000.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.720.

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 1.7.

2. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a), that the Letter of Appeal filed April 11, 2000, by Wathena Unified School District 406, Wathena, Kansas, IS DISMISSED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION



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