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RE: *Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45*

TPUC Project No. 25787 - *FCC Letters Regarding ETC Designation Pursuant to FTA '96 § 214(e) (2)*

TPUC Docket No. 40157 - *Application of Cricket Communications, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in the State of Texas (Non-Rural) for the Limited Purpose of Offering Lifeline Service to Qualified Households*

TPUC Docket No. 40191 - *Application of Cricket Communications, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (Rural) in the State of Texas for the Limited Purpose of Offering Lifeline Service to Qualified Households*

Limited ETC Designation of Cricket Communications, Inc. (Lifeline Only)

Pursuant to Section 214(e)(2) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended (the "Act") and 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.201 – 54.203, the Texas Public Utility Commission (TPUC) has granted an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) designation for the limited purpose of providing Lifeline Service to Cricket Communications, Inc. (Cricket or the Company). Cricket was granted ETC designation in two separate dockets: (1) Docket No. 40157 was for the wire centers in non-rural ILECs service areas; and (2) Docket No. 40191 was for the

study areas served by rural ILECs. The attached Order No. 3 (attached hereto as Exhibit A), *Notice of Approval for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)*, TPUC Docket No. 40157, issued on March 12, 2012, grants Cricket a limited ETC designation for the non-rural wire centers listed in Revised Attachment A of its application (attached hereto as Exhibit B). Additionally, the attached Order No. 3 (attached hereto as Exhibit C), *Notice of Approval For Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)*, TPUC Docket No. 40191, issued on April 2, 2012, grants Cricket a limited ETC designation for the rural wire centers listed in Attachment A of its application (attached hereto as Exhibit D).

Also attached for your information are the affidavits of Ms. Julie Buechler, Manager of Government Programs for Cricket (attached hereto as Exhibit E), for Docket Nos. 40157 and 40191 which attests to the company's intent to use the federal support only for the intended purpose, consistent with § 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act, and for provision of the designated services required by 47 C.F.R. § 54.101. This document is forwarded to your attention for the purpose of calculating federal Lifeline service support for Cricket.

If you require any additional information please contact me at (512)-936-7390.

Sincerely,



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EXHIBIT A

DOCKET NO. 40157

***Order No. 3 – Notice of Approval for Designation as an Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier (Conditional)***

DOCKET NO. 40157

APPLICATION OF CRICKET § PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
COMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR §
DESIGNATION AS AN ELIGIBLE § OF TEXAS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER §
(NON-RURAL) IN THE STATE OF §
TEXAS FOR THE LIMITED PURPOSE §
OF OFFERING LIFELINE SERVICE §
TO QUALIFIED HOUSEHOLDS §

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ORDER NO. 3
NOTICE OF APPROVAL FOR DESIGNATION AS
AN ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER AND
ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROVIDER

Procedural History

On February 2, 2012, Cricket Communications, Inc. (Cricket or the Applicant) filed with the Public Utility Commission (Commission) an application for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC), pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 214(e) and P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418 for the limited purpose of providing Lifeline service to qualifying Texas household. No parties sought intervention in this proceeding.

On February 7, 2012, the Commission issued Corrected Order No. 1 in this proceeding which established a procedural schedule, including deadlines for comment, motions to intervene, and publication of notice in the *Texas Register*. Notice was published in the *Texas Register* on February 17, 2012. The Applicant provided a copy of the application to the Office of Public Utility Counsel at the time of filing. Pursuant to P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418(g)(2)(A)(i), the effective date shall be no earlier than 30 days after the filing date of the application or 30 days after notice is completed, whichever is later.

On February 10, 2012, the Applicant filed an amendment to the application. In the amended application Applicant requested ETC designation for the entirety of some of the exchanges previously listed for which Cricket originally sought only a portion of the exchange as its service area. Consequently, Cricket now seeks designation throughout the entire exchange, for each of the wire centers of the non-rural ILECs, AT&T Texas and Verizon, that are listed in Revised Attachment A of its amended application. On March 1, 2012, Applicant filed a second

amendment to its application to clarify that Applicant meets the Federal Communications Commission's (FCC) new classification of supported services defined as "voice telephony services."

On March 13, 2012, Commission Staff filed its final recommendation requesting administrative approval of the application for ETC status for Cricket based on the following:

Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)

To qualify for ETC status, a carrier must meet the following criteria:¹

1. The carrier must be a common carrier, as that term is defined by the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 (FTA), Section 3(10).
2. The carrier must offer the following voice telephony services² using its own facilities or a combination of its own facilities and the resale of another carrier's services:³
 - (a) voice grade access to the public switched network or its functional equivalent;
 - (b) minutes of use for local service provided at no additional charge to end users;
 - (c) access to the emergency services provided by local government or other public safety organizations, such as 911 and enhanced 911, to the extent the local government in an eligible carrier's service area has implemented 911 or enhanced 911 systems; and
 - (d) toll limitation for qualifying low income customers.
3. The carrier must advertise the availability of the above services and charges for the services in a media of general distribution.⁴
4. The carrier must provide Lifeline and Link Up support, and may not collect a deposit from a customer receiving such support if the customer also elects toll blocking.⁵

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201(b)-(d).

² 47 C.F.R. § 54.101.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201.

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201.

⁵ 47 C.F.R. § 54.405.

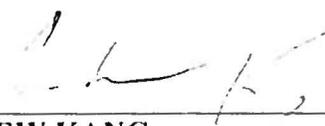
Cricket meets all of the requirements to be designated as an ETC. In addition, Cricket commits to meeting all of the additional ETC requirements as listed in 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a)(1)(i). Consistent with 47 C.F.R § 54.202(a)(1)(ii), Cricket is not required to file a five-year plan that specifies proposed improvements or upgrades to its network because Cricket does not seek high-cost support.

Ordering Paragraph

In accordance with Commission Staff's recommendation and for all the reasons stated therein, pursuant to the FTA § 214(e)(2) and P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418, Cricket's application for ETC designation throughout the non-rural wire centers listed in revised Attachment A to its amended application, is **APPROVED**.

SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS the 13th day of March 2012.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



ANDREW KANG
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

EXHIBIT B

DOCKET NO. 40157

***Revised Attachment A – ILEC Wire Centers (Non-Rural) for Which
Cricket Communications Seeks ETC Designation (Conditional)***

REVISED ATTACHMENT A

ILEC Exchanges for which Cricket Communications seeks ETC Lifeline Designation

CLL	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
AGNTXDA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ANGLETON
AGNTXTI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ANGLETON
ALICTXAL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ALICE
ALVNTXAL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ALVIN
ASTNTXAS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ASHERTON
AUSTTXBC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXCF	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXCR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXCV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXEV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXFA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXFI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXGR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXHI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXHO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXJO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXLE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LEANDER
AUSTTXLW	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXMC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
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AUSTTXTW	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
AUSTTXWA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	AUSTIN
BAVLTXBK	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BRACKETTVILLE
BETNTXBE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BELTON
BEVLTXBV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BEEVILLE
BNDRTXBD	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BANDERA
BRCYTXBR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BRIDGE CITY
BRTLTXBR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BARTLETT
BSTRTXBS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BASTROP
BUMTTXTE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BEAUMONT
BUMTTXTW	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BEAUMONT
BUMTTXUN	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BEAUMONT
BUMTTXVI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BEAUMONT
BWVLTXLI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BROWNSVILLE
BWVLTXOL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BROWNSVILLE
BWVLTXTE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BROWNSVILLE
BYCYTXBY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BAY CITY
BYSCTXBY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BAYSIDE
CHINTXCH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CHINA
CLEVTXCL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CLEVELAND
CLMBTXCL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	COLUMBUS
CLNTTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CLINT

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
CLUTTXCL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CLUTE LAKE JACKSON
CLUTTXLJ	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CLUTE LAKE JACKSON
CMTNTXCB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CAMPBELLTON
CNTLTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CANUTILLO
CRCHTXBU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CORPUS CHRISTI
CRCHTXCA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CALALLEN
CRCHTXFB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FLOUR BLUFF
CRCHTXPD	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PADRE ISLAND
CRCHTXTE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CORPUS CHRISTI
CRCHTXTU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CORPUS CHRISTI
CRCHTXWY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CORPUS CHRISTI
CRCYTXCC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CRYSTAL CITY
CRSPTXCS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CARRIZO SPRINGS
CSVLTXCT	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CASTROVILLE
CTLLTXCO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	COTULLA
CTRNTXCR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CATARINA
CYPRTXCY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CYPRESS
DEVNTXDV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	DEVINE
DONNTXDO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	DONNA
DYTNXXDY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	DAYTON
EDBGTXEB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EDINBURG
EDCHTXED	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EDCOUCH
EDNATXED	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EDNA
EGPSTXEP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EAGLE PASS
ELCMTXEL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL CAMPO
ELGNTXEL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ELGIN
ELPSTXEA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXHA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXHC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXMS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXNE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXNO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXSE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXSH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ELPSTXYS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	EL PASO
ENCLTXEC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ENCINAL
FLHGTXFH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FALCON HEIGHTS
FLTOTXFL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FLATONIA
FNNTXXFN	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FANNETT
FRERTXFR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FREER
FRPTTXFR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	FREPORT
GLTNTXSH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	GALVESTON
GLTNTXSO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	GALVESTON
GLTNTXWI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	GALVESTON
GOLITXGO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	GOLIAD
HERNTXHE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HEARNE

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
HMPSTXHM	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HEMPSTEAD
HONDTXHO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HONDO
HRLNTXHG	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HARLINGEN
HSTNTXAD	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXAI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXAL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXAP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	APOLLO
HSTNTXBA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BAMMEL
HSTNTXBR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	BARKER
HSTNTXBU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXBW	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXCA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON
HSTNTXCH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	CHANNELVIEW
HSTNTXCL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON
HSTNTXDP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	DEER PARK
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HSTNTXID	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
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HSTNTXPE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
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HSTNTXSU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON
HSTNTXUN	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
HSTNTXWA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON
HSTNTXWE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	WESTFIELD
HSTNTXWL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON SUBURBAN
HSTNTXWY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	HOUSTON
KGVLTXKV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	KINGSVILLE
KRCYTXKC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	KARNES CITY
LAPRTXLP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LA PRYOR
LARDTXDG	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LAREDO
LARDTXLA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LAREDO
LBLLTXLB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LA BELLE
LBRTTXLB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LIBERTY
LCKHTXLK	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LOCKHART
LCSTTXLC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LACOSTE
LLNGTXLU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LULING
LMTNTXLM	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LUMBERTON
LSFRTXLF	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LOS FRESNOS
LYTLTXLY	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	LYTLE
MARNTXMR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MARION
MCALTXHI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MCALLEN
MCALTXMU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MCALLEN
MDLKTXML	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MEDINA LAKE
MRCDTXME	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MERCEDES
MRVLTXMR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MAURICEVILLE
MSSNTXMI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MISSION
MTHSTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	MATHIS
NBRNTXNB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	NEW BRAUNFELS
NDLDTXND	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	NEDERLAND PORT NECHES
ORNGTXOR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ORANGE
PCRKTXPC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PIPE CREEK
PHRRTXPH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PHARR
PLTNTXPL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PLEASANTON
PNHRTXPN	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PINEHURST
PRSLTXPS	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PEARSALL
PRVWTXPR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PRAIRIE VIEW
PTARTXPE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PORT ARTHUR
PTARTXWO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PORT ARTHUR
PTARTXYU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SABINE PASS
PTETTXPO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	POTEET
PTISTXPI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PORT ISABEL
PTISTXSP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	PORT ISABEL
RCPTTXRP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ROCKPORT
REFGTXRF	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	REFUGIO
RHNDTXRH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	RIO HONDO
RSBGTXRR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	RICHMOND ROSENBERG
SBNLTXSB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SABINAL
SELYTXSE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SEALY
SGINTXMQ	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SEGUIN

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
SGINTXSG	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SEGUIN
SINTXSI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SINTON
SKDMTXSK	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SKIDMORE
SLCYTXSC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SULLIVAN CITY
SMLKTXSM	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SMITHERS LAKE
SNANTXBA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXCA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXCU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXDI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXED	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXFR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXGE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXHE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXIC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXJA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXLA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXLE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
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SNANTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
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SNANTXSO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXTA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
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SNANTXUC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXWA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNANTXWE	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN ANTONIO
SNBNTXSB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN BENITO
SNDGTXSD	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SAN DIEGO
SPLDTXSP	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SPLENDORA
SPRNTXNO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SPRING
SPRNTXSO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SPRING
SRLKTXSR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SOUR LAKE
TAYLXTA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TAYLOR
TBLTXKL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TOMBALL
TBLTXTB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TOMBALL
TMPLTXDN	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TEMPLE
TMPLTXLB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TEMPLE
TROYTXTR	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TROY
TXCYTXLM	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TEXAS CITY LA MARQUE
TXCYTXTC	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	TEXAS CITY LA MARQUE
UVLDTXUV	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	UVALDE
VCTATXVI	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	VICTORIA
VDORTXRO	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	SOUTH VIDOR

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CLI	OGN	Incumbent	Exchange
VDORTXSU	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	VIDOR
VLLDTXVL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	VALLEY LODGE
VNTNTXMA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	VINTON
WBRYTXWB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	WESTBURY
WDBOTXWB	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	WOODSBORO
WHTNTXWH	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	WHARTON
WLLRTXWL	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	WALLER
ZPTATXZA	SOUTHWESTERN BELL	AT&T	ZAPATA

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
AGDLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	AGUA DULCE
ARCLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ARCOLA
ARPSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ARANSAS PASS
BCLFTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	KEMAH
BHCYTXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BEACH CITY
BLTNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BLOOMINGTON
BORNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BOERNE
BRYNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
BRYNTXXB	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
BRYNTXXC	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
BSHPTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BISHOP
BSNGTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BLESSING
BUDATXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BUDA
BYTWTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BAYTOWN
BYTWTXXB	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BAYTOWN
BYTWTXXC	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BAYTOWN
CLSTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
CLSTTXXB	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
CLSTTXXD	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	BRYAN
CRSBTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	CROSBY
DCSNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	DICKINSON
DLLYTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	DILLEY
DLRITXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	DEL RIO
DLRITXXB	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	DEL RIO
DVRSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	DEVERS
EBRNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	EAST BERNARD
FLFRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	FALFURRIAS
FLVLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	FLORESVILLE
FRBGTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	FREDERICKSBURG
GNZLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	GONZALES
GRGWTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	GEORGE WEST
GRTWTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	GEORGETOWN
HFMNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	HUFFMAN
HGLNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	HIGHLANDS
HTCHTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	HITCHCOCK SANTA FE
HULLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	HULL
INSDTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	INGLESIDE
JRRLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	JARRELL
JRTNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	JOURDANTON
KEMHTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	KEMAH
KEMHTXXB	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	KEMAH
KYLETXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	KYLE
LAFTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	LA FERIA
LGCTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	LEAGUE CITY
LVRNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	LAVERNIA
LYFRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	LYFORD

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
LYSPTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	DALE/LYTTON SPRINGS
MRDLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	MARTINDALE
MTBLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	MONT BELVIEU
NSBYTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	KEMAH
ODEMTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ODEM
ORGVTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ORANGE GROVE
PLCSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	PALACIOS
PNCMTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	POINT COMFORT
POTHTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	POTH
PRMTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	PREMONT
PTLDTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	PORTLAND GREGORY
PTLVTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	PORT LAVACA
PTOCTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	PT O'CONNOR
RBTNTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ROBSTOWN
RGCYTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	RIO GRANDE CITY
RMVLTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	RAYMONDVILLE
ROMATXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ROMA
RSHRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	ROSHARON
RYWDTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	RAYWOOD
SCBGTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	SCHULENBURG
SDRTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	SEADRIFT
SMRTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	SOMERSET
SNRSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	SANTA ROSA
SNTFTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	HITCHCOCK SANTA FE
STFRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	STAFFORD
STSPTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX (CONTEL	VERIZON	SUTHERLAND SPRINGS
TAFTTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	TAFT
THRRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	THREE RIVERS
TIVOTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	TIVOLI
VNDRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	VANDERBILT
WALSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	WALLIS
WEMRTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	WEIMAR
WILSTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	WILLIS
WSLCTXXA	GTE-SW DBA VERIZON SW INC.-TX	VERIZON	WESLACO

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*Order No. 3 – Notice of Approval for Designation as an Eligible
Telecommunications Carrier (Conditional)*

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APPLICATION OF CRICKET § PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
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FOR THE LIMITED PURPOSE OF §
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**ORDER NO. 3
NOTICE OF APPROVAL FOR DESIGNATION AS
AN ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER**

Procedural History

On February 17, 2012, Cricket Communications, Inc. (Cricket or the Applicant) filed with the Public Utility Commission (Commission) an application for designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC), pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 214(e) and P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418 for the limited purpose of providing Lifeline service to certain rural study areas in Texas. Cricket is requesting ETC designation for designated rural areas throughout the State of Texas. No parties sought intervention in this proceeding.

On February 21, 2012, the Commission issued Order No. 1 in this proceeding which established a procedural schedule, including deadlines for comment, motions to intervene, and publication of notice in the *Texas Register*. Notice was published in the *Texas Register* on March 2, 2012. The Applicant provided a copy of the application to the Office of Public Utility Counsel at the time of filing. Pursuant to P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418(g)(2)(A)(i), the effective date shall be no earlier than 30 days after the filing date of the application or 30 days after notice is completed, whichever is later.

On March 1, 2012 and March 8, 2012, the Applicant filed amendments to the application. Cricket seeks designation throughout the entire exchange, for each of the wire centers of the following rural ILECs: Alenco Communications, Inc., Border to Border Communications, Brazoria Telephone Co., Cameron Telephone Co., CenturyLink, Colorado Valley Telephone Cooperative, Consolidated Communications, Ganado Telephone Co., Inc., Guadalupe Valley Telephone Cooperative, Hill Country Telephone Cooperative, Inc., La Ward Telephone

Exchange, Inc., Riviera Telephone Co., Inc., Southwest Texas Telephone Company, Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc., and Windstream Communications, that are listed in Attachment A of its application.

On March 27, 2012, Commission Staff filed its final recommendation requesting administrative approval of the application for ETC status for Cricket in the rural wire centers listed in Attachment A of the application, based on the following:

Designation as Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)

To qualify for ETC status, a carrier must meet the following criteria:¹

1. The carrier must be a common carrier, as that term is defined by the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 (FTA), Section 3(10).
2. The carrier must offer the following voice telephony services² using its own facilities or a combination of its own facilities and the resale of another carrier's services:³
 - (a) voice grade access to the public switched network or its functional equivalent;
 - (b) minutes of use for local service provided at no additional charge to end users;
 - (c) access to the emergency services provided by local government or other public safety organizations, such as 911 and enhanced 911, to the extent the local government in an eligible carrier's service area has implemented 911 or enhanced 911 systems; and
 - (d) toll limitation for qualifying low income customers.
3. The carrier must advertise the availability of the above services and charges for the services in a media of general distribution.⁴
4. The carrier must provide Lifeline and Link Up support, and may not collect a deposit from a customer receiving such support if the customer also elects toll blocking.⁵

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201(b)-(d).

² 47 C.F.R. § 54.101.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201.

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 54.201.

⁵ 47 C.F.R. § 54.405.

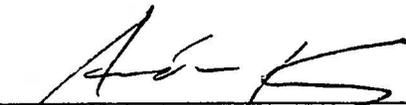
Cricket meets all of the requirements to be designated as an ETC. In addition, Cricket commits to meeting all of the additional ETC requirements as listed in 47 C.F.R. § 54.202(a)(1)(i). Consistent with 47 C.F.R § 54.202(a)(1)(ii), Cricket is not required to file a five-year plan that specifies proposed improvements or upgrades to its network because Cricket does not seek high-cost support.

Ordering Paragraph

In accordance with Commission Staff's recommendation and for all the reasons stated therein, pursuant to the FTA § 214(e)(2) and P.U.C. SUBST. R. 26.418, Cricket's application for ETC designation for the limited purpose of providing Lifeline service for each of the wire centers of the following rural ILECs, Alenco Communications, Inc., Border to Border Communications, Brazoria Telephone Co., Cameron Telephone Co., CenturyLink, Colorado Valley Telephone Cooperative, Consolidated Communications, Ganado Telephone Co., Inc., Guadalupe Valley Telephone Cooperative, Hill Country Telephone Cooperative, Inc., La Ward Telephone Exchange, Inc., Riviera Telephone Co., Inc., Southwest Texas Telephone Company, Valley Telephone Cooperative, Inc., and Windstream Communications, that are listed in Attachment A of its application, is **APPROVED**.

SIGNED AT AUSTIN, TEXAS the 21st day of April 2012.

PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF TEXAS



ANDREW KANG
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE

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*Attachment A – Exchanges in Rural ILEC Study Areas for which Cricket
Communications Seeks ETC Designation*

ATTACHMENT A

LISTING OF REQUESTED DESIGNATION AREA

ATTACHMENT A
CRICKET LIFELINE ONLY SERVICE AREA

CLEC	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
DLRSTXXA	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS	DOLORES
KNPPTXXA	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS	KNIPPA
MODNTXXA	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS, INC.	ALENCO COMMUNICATIONS	DOLORES

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
ZPTATXA	BORDER TO BORDER COMM	BORDER TO BORDER COMMUNICATIONS	FALCON EXCHANGE

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
BRZRTXA	BRAZORIA TELEPHONE CO.	BRAZORIA TELEPHONE CO	BRAZORIA

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent
BKSHTXXA	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF FORT BEND COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
BSLYTXXA	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF FORT BEND COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
CONRTXXA	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF TEXAS COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
CTSHTXXC	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF TEXAS COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
GNLDTXXG	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF TEXAS COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
KATYTXXA	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF FORT BEND COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
KATYTXXB	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF FORT BEND COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS
KATYTXXC	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS OF FORT BEND COMPANY	CONSOLIDATED COMMUNICATIONS

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CLL	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
BRDNTXXA	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	BORDEN
HGHLTXXA	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	HIGH HILL
HSTYTXA	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE	COLORADO VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	HOSTYN

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CLL	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
ATASTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUMBLE
BRCLTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	BERCLAIR
CPCVTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	COPPERAS COVE
FTHDTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	KILLEEN
GLNFTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	GLEN FLORA
HDNHTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HEIDENHEIMER
HMBLTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUMBLE
HMBLTXXC	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUMBLE
HUTTTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUTTO
KGWDTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUMBLE
KGWDTXXC	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	HUMBLE
KLLNTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	KILLEEN
KLLNTXXC	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	KILLEEN
KMPNTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	KEMPNER
LTRVTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	LITTLE RIVER
NLVLTXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	NOLANVILLE
NVSTTXA	UNITED TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	NAVASOTA
ONVLTXXA	CENTRAL TEL. CO. OF TEXAS	CENTURYLINK	OENAVILLE

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
BLCNTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	BALCONES
BLVRTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	BULVERDE
CRMLTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	CRANES MILL
HNCCTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	HANCOCK
KGBRTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	KINGSBURY
KNBGTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	KENBERG
SABNTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	SABINA
SMVYTXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	SMITHSONS VA
STLRTXXA	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	GUADALUPE VALLEY TELEPHONE COOP	SATTLER

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
GANDTXA	GANADO TELEPHONE CO., INC.	GANADO TELEPHONE CO	GANADO
LOUSTXA	GANADO TELEPHONE CO., INC.	GANADO TELEPHONE CO	LOUISE
MRHMTXA	GANADO TELEPHONE CO., INC.	GANADO TELEPHONE CO	MARKHAM

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent
CMFTTXXA	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOP
CNPNTXXA	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOP
INGRTXXA	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	HILL COUNTRY TELEPHONE COOP

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
LWRDTXXA	LA WARD TELEPHONE EXCHANGE, INC.	LA WARD TELEPHONE EXCHANGE	LA WARD

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CLLE	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
ARMSTXXA	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO., INC.	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO	ARMSTRONG
LYBHXXA	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO., INC.	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO	LOYOLA BEACH
RVRATXXA	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO., INC.	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO	RIVIERA
SRTATXXA	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO., INC.	RIVIERA TELEPHONE CO	SARITA

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CLL	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
DHNSTXA	SOUTHWEST TEXAS TELEPHONE CO.	SOUTHWEST TEXAS TELEPHONE CO	D HANIS

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CLI	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
ARWLTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	ARTESIA WELLS
ENCNTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	ENCINO
HRGLTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	HARGILL
LASRTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	LASARA
MCCKTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	MCCOOK
MLETTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	MILLETT
MRCYTXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	MIRANDO CITY
SPRLTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	SAN PERLITA
STLMTXXA	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE, INC.	VALLEY TELEPHONE COOPERATIVE INC -TX	STILLMAN

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CLL	OCN	Incumbent	Exchange
ANHCTXA	TEXAS WINDSTREAM, INC.	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS	ANAHUAC
FBNSTXXC	VALOR TELECOMM TX, LD-TX #2 DBA WINDSTRE	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS	FABENS
HMSHTXXA	TEXAS WINDSTREAM, INC.	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS	HAMSHIRE
HNKMTXXA	TEXAS WINDSTREAM, INC.	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS	HANKAMER
KRVLTXXA	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS KERRVILLE	WINDSTREAM COMMUNICATIONS	KERRVILLE

EXHIBIT E

DOCKET NOS. 40157 and 40191

Affidavits

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BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE BY CRICKET COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

STATE OF California

COUNTY OF San Diego

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared

Julie Buechler of Cricket Communications, Inc. ("Cricket") who on his/her oath
deposed and said:

1. My name is Julie Buechler, and I am employed by Cricket
Communications, Inc. in the position of Mgr. Gov't Programs In this

position I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service support received by Cricket Communications, Inc. and how the Company uses these funds.

2. Cricket was designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") for the limited purposes of the provision of Lifeline by the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Docket No. 40157, by Order dated March 21, 2012. The study area code of the area where Cricket has been designated as an ETC is TBD and is a non-rural service area.
3. Any Federal Universal Service support funds received by Cricket will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities for which the support is intended, as designated by the Federal Communications Commission consistent with Section 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act. These funds will be used to provide the supported services as designated in 47 C.F.R. §54.101, which are available throughout Cricket's study area.
4. The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Julie Bnew 4-11-12

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this the _____ of April, 2012.

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Name of Signer



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DESIGNATION OF COMMON CARRIERS §
AS ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS §
CARRIERS (ETC) TO RECEIVE FEDERAL §
UNIVERSAL SERVICE FUND PURSUANT §
TO THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS §
COMMISSION'S FOURTEENTH REPORT §
AND ORDER ADOPTING A STATE §
CERTIFICATION PROCESS §

BEFORE THE
PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

AFFIDAVIT OF COMPLIANCE BY CRICKET COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

STATE OF California
COUNTY OF San Diego

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared

Julie Buechler of Cricket Communications, Inc. ("Cricket") who on his/her oath
deposed and said:

1. My name is Julie Buechler, and I am employed by Cricket Communications, Inc. in the position of Manager of Govt Programs. In this position I am personally familiar with the Federal Universal Service support received by Cricket Communications, Inc. and how the Company uses these funds.
2. Cricket was designated as an eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") for the limited purposes of the provision of Lifeline by the Public Utility Commission of Texas in Docket No. 40191, by Order dated April ~~4~~^{12, 98}, 2012. The study area code of the area where Cricket has been designated as an ETC is TBD and is a rural service area.
3. Any Federal Universal Service support funds received by Cricket will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities for which the support is intended, as designated by the Federal Communications Commission consistent with Section 254(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act. These funds will be used to provide the supported services as designated in 47 C.F.R. §54.101, which are available throughout Cricket's study area.
4. The matters addressed above are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Julie Buechler 4-11-12

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this the _____ of April, 2012.

See Attached

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Notary Public

CALIFORNIA JURAT WITH AFFIANT STATEMENT

- See Attached Document (Notary to cross out lines 1-6 below)
- See Statement Below (Lines 1-6 to be completed only by document signer[s], not Notary)

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Signature of Document Signer No. 1 _____ Signature of Document Signer No. 2 (if any) _____

State of California
 County of San Diego

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me
 on this 11th day of April, 2012
Date Month Year
 by
 (1) Julie Buechler
Name of Signer



Place Notary Seal Above

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence
 to be the person who appeared before me (1) (X)
 (and

(2) _____
Name of Signer

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence
 to be the person who appeared before me.)

Signature Mary E Ferris
Signature of Notary Public

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by Cricket Communications, Inc.
 Document Date: April 11, 2012 Number of Pages: 2 + CA Jurat

Signer(s) Other Than Named Above: N/A

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