



January 25, 2013

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554
Reference: CC Docket No. 96-45 and CC Docket No. 02-6

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Ms. Dortch:

This will serve to formally submit a request for an FCC appeal to reverse an earlier errant USAC appeal as it pertains to the following applicant information:

- **Form 471 Number:** 865394
- **Billed Entity Number:** 16068678;
- **Billed Entity Name (Applicant School):** Imagine Columbia Leadership Academy
- **Application Type:** Priority 2 – Internal Connections
- **FRNs:** 2370596, 2370681
- **Funding Year:** 2012
- **Name of Submitter:** John Egan
- **Title of Submitter:** CEO
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FundEd Consulting, on behalf of Imagine Columbia, submitted an appeal to USAC immediately after the 10/30/12 denial of the aforementioned FRNs. The USAC response, dated 11/7/12, is attached herein and it essentially states that our USAC appeal was dismissed due to the fact that "...a decision letter has not yet been issued. Your appeal is premature and is being dismissed." We are hereby requesting that the FCC review this appeal on its merit irrespective of the mistake in judgement on the dismissal of our USAC appeal. For the record, and as of this writing, we have only today received the administrator's decision on appeal from USAC and thus the delay in filing this appeal.

Please forward all questions or requests for clarification to the contact information cited below my signature line herein.

Thank you in advance for your consideration in this important matter.

Sincerely,

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Administrator's Decision on Appeal – Funding Year 2012-2013

November 07, 2012

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Re: Applicant Name: IMAGINE COLUMBIA LEADERSHIP
ACADEMY
Billed Entity Number: 16068678
Form 471 Application Number: 865394
Funding Request Number(s): 2370596, 2370681
Your Correspondence Dated: August 27, 2012

After thorough review and investigation of all relevant facts, the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) has made its decision regarding your appeal for the Application Number indicated above. This letter explains the basis of USAC's decision. The date of this letter begins the 60 day time period for appealing this decision to the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). If your Letter of Appeal included more than one Application Number, please note that you will receive a separate letter for each application.

Funding Request Number(s): 2370596, 2370681
Decision on Appeal: **Dismissed**
Explanation:

- You are appealing an FCC Form 471 for which a decision letter has not yet been issued. Your appeal is premature and is being dismissed. If you still wish to appeal after receiving your decision letter, you may do so within 60 days from the receipt of the letter. Procedures for filing an appeal are explained on the USAC website at www.usac.org/sl.

If your appeal has been approved, but funding has been reduced or denied, you may appeal these decisions to either USAC or the FCC. For appeals that have been denied in full, partially approved, dismissed, or canceled, you may file an appeal with the FCC. You should refer to CC Docket No. 02-6 on the first page of your appeal to the FCC. Your appeal must be received or postmarked within 60 days of the date on this letter. Failure to meet this requirement will result in automatic dismissal of your appeal. If you

are submitting your appeal via United States Postal Service, send to: FCC, Office of the Secretary, 445 12th Street SW, Washington, DC 20554. Further information and options for filing an appeal directly with the FCC can be found in the "Appeals Procedure" posted in the Reference Area of the SLD section of the USAC website or by contacting the Client Service Bureau. We strongly recommend that you use the electronic filing options.

We thank you for your continued support, patience and cooperation during the appeal process.

Schools and Libraries Division
Universal Service Administrative Company

cc: Jeremy Gutierrez