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BY HAND

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Connect America Fund*, WC Dkt. No. 10-90; *Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization*, WC Dkt. No. 11-42

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Frontier Communications Corp. hereby files its annual report and certifications as required by sections 54.313 and 54.422 of the Commission's rules in accordance with the guidance of the Public Notice issued August 6, 2013 (DA 13-1707) for the companies listed below.¹ Today Frontier is filing only the documents relevant to the companies listed below. Frontier will complete its filings for all of its companies by the Commission's October 15, 2013 filing deadline. A copy of this report is also being filed with the Universal Service Administrative Company and each relevant State public service commission in which Frontier operates as an ETC.

Portions of this filing for select companies are being made confidentially in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") *Third Protective Order* in this docket². Specifically, Frontier requests confidential treatment of the detailed reporting of outages lasting longer than 30 minutes in 2012, which includes the location, cause, duration and efforts taken to prevent further outages. This information is competitively sensitive and is not normally released to the public; release of such sensitive data could give Frontier's competitors an advantage in the

¹ Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Filing Deadline of October 15, 2013 for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers to File High-Cost and Low-Income Annual Reports, and Announces Filing Deadline of December 16, 2013 for States and ETCs to File Annual Use Certifications, *Public Notice*, WC Dkt. Nos. 10-90, 11-42, DA 13-1707 (rel. Aug. 6, 2013).

² *In re*: Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers; Connect America Fund; High-Cost Universal Service Support; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, CC Dkt. No. 01-92, WC Dkt. Nos. 07-135, 10-90, 05-337, GN Dkt. No. 09-51, *Third Protective Order*, DA 10-1749 (rel. Aug. 30, 2012).

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markets described therein.³ The non-redacted portions have been marked as confidential. Frontier requests that the documents marked as confidential be withheld from public inspection. Frontier is also filing a redacted copy of this report for public inspection.

Frontier submits today information for the following companies; only those so marked are being filed confidentially.

State	Study Area Name	SAC	Confidential Treatment Requested?
GA	Frontier-Fairmount	220362	No
GA	Frontier Georgia, LLC	220387	Yes
NE	Citizens-Frontier-NE	371128	No
NV	Frontier Communications of the Southwest, Inc.	552302	No
NV	Citizens-Frontier-NV	554431	No
NV	Citizens-Frontier-NV	554432	No
NY	Frontier-Ausable Valley	150072	Yes
NY	Frontier Comm of NY	150100	No
NY	Ogden Tel d/b/a Frontier	150110	No
NY	Frontier-Rochester	150121	No
NY	Frontier-Seneca Gorham	150122	No
NY	Frontier-Sylvan Lake	150128	Yes
NY	Citizens-Frontier-NY	154532	Yes
NY	Citizens-Frontier-NY	154533	No
NY	Citizens-Frontier-NY	154534	Yes
OH	Frontier North, Inc.	300615	Yes
OH	Frontier MI-OH	300682	No
UT	Citizens-Frontier-UT	504429	Yes
UT	Navajo-UT-Frontier	504449	No

Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

Sincerely,

/s/

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Attachment

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³ Frontier notes that section 4.2 of the Commission's rules, which governs disruptions of communications service, states that reports of service disruptions are "presumed to be confidential." 47 C.F.R. § 4.2 (2013).