

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
Washington, DC 20554**

In the Matter of)	
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Requests for Review of)	
Decisions of the)	
Universal Service Administrator for)	
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Washington County School District)	
)	File Nos. SLD- 879927
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Schools and Libraries Universal)	
Service Support Mechanism)	CC Docket No. 02-6

Request for Review

BEN: 126933
FCC RN: 0013943519
Form 471 Number 879927
FRN: 2400628

NOW COMES Washington County Schools (Appellant) and files this timely Request for Review of a Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) Administrator's Decision on SLD Form 471 879927. Washington County School District (WCS) filed for E-Rate discounted service for application number 879927, FRN 2400628 (Attachment A, FCDL of August, 2013). When preparing the application for submission, a clerical error was made but not detected during application review. The error was not discovered until the technology director received a copy of an invoice from the finance department confirming services had begun.

During the filing window, while typing the application, WCS mistakenly used the monthly amount stated in the contract of \$11,485.00 (Attachment B, Receipt Acknowledgment Letter, 471 Application #879927) instead of the actual bill amount of \$13,151.26, which included taxes and fees not itemized in the contract (Attachment C, invoice from July, 2013). The incorrect monthly amount was transferred to the Item 21, as WCS typically uses Block 5 information to populate the Item 21. This mistake was not detected with the RAL or during PIA review. The contract pricing was used (Attachment D, contract pricing page) to prepare the Form 471 form and all through application review, additional charges beyond the contract price were unknown and unknowable. The price differential was not discovered until after an FCDL was issued.

WCS is a small, economically disadvantaged school district in the Northeast section of North Carolina and serves approximately 2000 students. With an E-Rate discount of 89 percent, any shortfall in funding is devastating to the school district.

WCS respectfully requests that the Federal Communications Commission to waive any rules or USAC procedures governing post-commitment funding procedures, and allow USAC to issue a Revised Funding Commitment Letter (RFCDL) in the total monthly, E-Rate eligible amount of \$13,151.26 for Washington County School District for WAN service with Century Link.

If there are any other questions or concerns that arise, we are more than willing and able to answer.

Respectfully submitted October 21, 2013,

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