

**Before the  
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of

Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization

WC Docket No. 11-42

**MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE-FILED COMMENTS**

The Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Cable (MDTC)<sup>1</sup> requests that the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) accept, and treat as timely filed, MDTC's reply comments in the above-captioned proceeding. Grant of this motion is consistent with FCC policies and will not disadvantage any party.

Acceptance of the MDTC's comments, notwithstanding the three day delay in their submission, will promote the development of a complete record and will not prejudice any party in the proceeding.

The MTDC respectfully requests that the Commission accept the MDTC's comments.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> The MDTC regulates telecommunications and cable services within the Commonwealth of Massachusetts and represents the Commonwealth before the FCC. MASS. GEN. LAWS ch. 25C, § 1; MASS. GEN. LAWS ch. 166A, § 16.