

Before the
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter)
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Request for Review by CenturyLink) WC Docket No. 06-122
Public Communications, Inc. of Decision)
of Universal Service Administrator)

**CENTURYLINK PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS, INC.’S REPLY COMMENTS IN
SUPPORT OF ITS REQUEST FOR REVIEW
OF DECISION OF THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATOR**

On March 26, 2014, CenturyLink Public Communications, Inc. (“CPCI”) filed a request for review of a January 28, 2014 decision by the Internal Audit Division of the Universal Service Administrative Company (“USAC”) in an audit of CPCI’s universal service contributions reported on its 2012 FCC Form 499-A.¹ The Wireline Competition Bureau publicly noticed the Request for Review for comment and requested opening comments by May 8, 2014. No comments have been filed regarding the Request for Review, and it is thus unopposed. Given the absence of opposition to the Request for Review and for the reasons stated therein, CPCI urges this Commission to expeditiously grant the requested relief.

In its Request for Review, CPCI set out the specific reasons that justify reversal of USAC’s January 28, 2014 decision. Specifically, CPCI demonstrated that a double payment of universal service contributions has and will occur if Finding 1 of USAC’s decision is not

¹ On November 14, 2013, Embarq Payphone Services, Inc. formally changed its name to CenturyLink Public Communications, Inc. Embarq Payphone Services, Inc. was the name of the entity at the time of the revenue reporting that was the subject of the audit for which CPCI requested review.

