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Allan J. Arlow  
Administrative Law Judge  
Public Utility Commission of Oregon  
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Re: *In the Matter of: Staff Investigation into Eligible Telecommunications Carriers'  
Requirements*  
PUC Docket No.: UM 1648  
DOJ File No.: 860105-GB0226-13

Dear ALJ Arlow:

Staff files this status report regarding Phase II of this docket. The parties held an additional workshop/settlement conference addressing initial application requirements for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers (ETCs) on January 30, 2015. This workshop centered on the requirements for designation to receive high-cost funds. The parties continue to discuss the remaining issues, and expect to schedule another workshop/settlement conference in March. Staff proposes to file another status report on or before April 15, 2015.

Sincerely,

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