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**VIA UPS OVERNIGHT MAIL**

Oregon Public Utility Commission  
Attn: Filing Center  
P.O. Box 2148  
550 Capitol Street NE, Suite 215  
Salem, OR 97308

Re: UM 1648

Dear Commission:

Enclosed for filing, please find an original and one copy of Boomerang Wireless, LLC's Petition to Intervene and Waiver of Paper Service in the above-referenced proceeding, along with a certificate of service.

Please let me know if you have any questions concerning this filing.

Very truly yours,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Alan J. Galloway  
Of Attorneys for Boomerwang Wireless, LLC

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Enclosures  
cc: Service List

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

**UM 1648**

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<b>In the Matter of</b>	)	
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<b>PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON,</b>	)	<b>BOOMERANG WIRELESS, LLC'S</b>
	)	<b>PETITION TO INTERVENE</b>
<b>Staff Investigation into Eligible Communication Carriers' Requirements</b>	)	<b>AND WAIVER OF PAPER SERVICE</b>
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**BOOMERANG WIRELESS, LLC'S  
PETITION TO INTERVENE AND WAIVER OF PAPER SERVICE**

Boomerang Wireless, LLC ("Boomerang") hereby respectfully petitions the Public Utility Commission of Oregon ("Commission") for leave to intervene in the above-captioned proceeding.

In support of its petition, Boomerang states as follows:

I.

Boomerang's name and address are:

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### III.

Boomerang has an interest in the subject matter of this proceeding. Boomerang currently provides Lifeline service in several states, and has applications pending for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (“ETC”) in several additional states. While Boomerang does not currently have an application pending in Oregon, it is exploring providing Lifeline service in Oregon. If and when Boomerang applies for ETC designation in Oregon, it would be subject to the initial designation requirements established by Order No. 06-292 in Docket No. UM 1217.<sup>1</sup> The requirements any future applicant for ETC status would be required to meet are among the issues identified for consideration in this docket. Boomerang could therefore be directly impacted by any change in policies or requirements adopted by the Commission concerning the certification process. Boomerang therefore submits this Petition to Intervene because it is materially interested in, and could be substantially affected by, the Commission’s resolution of the issues presented in this proceeding.

### IV.

Boomerang expects to participate in the docket and to contribute its perspective as a provider of Lifeline service to the investigation. Boomerang will address such issues as it deems relevant in this proceeding.

### V.

Boomerang has knowledge and expertise that will assist the Commission and the parties in addressing the issues presented in this proceeding.

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<sup>1</sup> *In the Matter of PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON Staff Investigation to Establish Requirements for Initial Designation and Recertification of Telecommunications Carriers Eligible to Receive Federal Universal Service Support*, Oregon Public Utility Commission Docket No. UM 1217, Order No. 06-292 (entered June 13, 2006).

VI.

Boomerang's appearance and participation will not unreasonably broaden the issues, burden the record, or unreasonably delay this proceeding.

VII.

Boomerang waives paper service in this proceeding.

**CONCLUSION**

For the reasons stated above, Boomerang respectfully requests that its Petition to Intervene be granted.

DATED this 21<sup>st</sup> day of March, 2013.

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**UM 1648  
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 21, 2013, the foregoing **BOOMERANG WIRELESS, LLC'S PETITION TO INTERVENE AND WAIVER OF PAPER SERVICE** was sent by UPS Overnight Mail to the Oregon Public Utilities Commission, 550 Capitol Street NE, #215, Salem OR 97310 and email to [puc.filingcenter@state.or.us](mailto:puc.filingcenter@state.or.us), and was served on the following persons by email:

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