

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

UM 1217

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| In the Matter of |) | |
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| PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF |) | |
| OREGON |) | RULING |
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| Staff Investigation to Establish Requirements |) | |
| for Initial Designation and Recertification of |) | |
| Telecommunications Carriers Eligible to |) | |
| Receive Federal Universal Service Support. |) | |

DISPOSITION: RCC-USCC EXHIBIT 14 ADMITTED

On March 17, 2006, the Oregon Telecommunications Association (OTA) submitted a letter stating its objection to exhibit 14 submitted by RCC Minnesota, Inc. and United States Cellular Corporation (RCC-USCC/14). OTA objected that there was no foundation for the exhibit, but stated that it would withdraw its objection if USCC submitted pages from the transcript of the UM 1083 hearing during which RCC-USCC/14 was discussed extensively. OTA specified the transcript pages that would establish the proper foundation.

On March 22, 2006, USCC submitted the pages requested by OTA and more, including pages 56, line 13, through 58, line 13; pages 79, line 8 through the end of page 110; and pages 118, line 16 through 120, line 19; and pages 124, line 1 through 127, line 16. These pages may be made part of the record through official notice. *See* OAR 860-014-0050(e). With the admission of these pages in the record, OTA has stated that it will withdraw its objection. RCC-USCC/14 is admitted.

Dated at Salem, Oregon, this 23rd day of March, 2006.

Christina M. Smith
Administrative Law Judge