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Oregon Public Utility Commission Attn: Filing Center Public Utility Commission of Oregon PO Box 1088 Salem OR 97308-1088

Re: <u>UM 1763 Clarification of Scope of Petition</u>

Dear Filing Center:

Commission staff has sought clarification of the status of Citizens Telecommunications Company of Oregon ("Citizens") in this docket, noting that Citizens was listed as a party once in the body of the petition, but not named as a party in the caption.

The intent of the petition is to seek a waiver in relation to directories published by Dex Media, Inc. in Oregon. Although Citizens is a telephone operating company affiliated with copetitioner Frontier Communications Northwest Inc., and Dex Media publishes directories for Citizens in other states, Dex Media does not publish directories for Citizens in Oregon. Accordingly, the petition does not seek a waiver for Citizens in Oregon at this time. The relief sought in the petition is intended to encompass only the directories for the cities and communities that CenturyLink's Qwest and Embarq affiliates and Frontier serve in the state, as detailed on page 8 of the petition. Relief is not requested for either the areas served by CenturyTel¹ or Citizens operating companies.

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¹ Dex Media also does not publish for CenturyTel in Oregon.

Dex Media has consulted with the co-petitioners and they have approved this clarification on behalf of all petitioners.

Sincerely,

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