

ORDER NO. 12 192

ENTERED MAY 29 2012

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION  
OF OREGON**

UM 1585

In the Matter of the

OREGON CUSTOMER ACCESS PLAN.

ORDER

**DISPOSITION: MOTION TO EXTEND DEADLINE GRANTED**

Earlier this year, we granted a request by the Oregon Exchange Carrier Association (OECA) to extend the date by which an incumbent local exchange carrier must notice a decision to not participate in Oregon Exchange Carrier Association (OECA) pooling.<sup>1</sup> In Order No. 03-294, this Commission required such notice to be provided by March 1 of the applicable year. In order to provide carriers more certainty as to amounts of Oregon Universal Service Fund (OUSF) support per line for this year, we extended the notification date until June 1, 2012.

On May 24, 2012, OECA filed a second request to extend the notification deadline. Because the level of OUSF funding will be determined at the Commission's June 5, 2012 Public Meeting, OECA requests that the deadline be further extended until June 11, 2012. OECA also states that Staff supports the requested extension.

OECA's request is granted.


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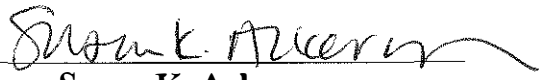
<sup>1</sup> See Order No. 12-092 (Mar 13, 2012).


**ORDER**

IT IS ORDERED that any incumbent local exchange carrier deciding not to participate in Oregon Exchange Carrier Association pooling for 2012 must give notice of its decision by June 11, 2012.

Made, entered, and effective MAY 29 2012.

  
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**John Savage**  
Commissioner

  
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**Susan K. Ackerman**  
Commissioner

  
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**Stephen M. Bloom**  
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