

## EXHIBIT 7

PETITION OF MCDANIEL TELEPHONE COMPANY D/B/A TDS TELECOM  
TO RECEIVE SUPPORT FROM THE STATE UNIVERSAL  
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CORPORATE OPERATIONS EXPENSE ADJUSTMENT CERTIFICATE

I, Joel Dohmeier, an officer of McDaniel Telephone Company d/b/a TDS Telecom (the “Company”) with personal knowledge and responsibility, under penalty of perjury, hereby certify that no amount of corporate operations expense was required by 47 C.F.R. § 54.1308(a)(4)(ii) to be excluded by the Company from corporate operations expense that, for 2017, was input in the high cost loop support cost study of the Company for the Company’s study area(s) in the State of Washington, or that, for 2018, was input in the high cost loop support cost study of the Company for the Company’s study area(s) in the State of Washington.

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Date this \_\_\_<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2019.

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Joel Dohmeier  
Vice President