EXHIBIT 4

CERTIFICATION RELATING TO ACCOUNTING STANDARDS

I, Michael J. Shultz, am an officer of Consolidated Communications of Washington Company, LLC. (the Company as set out in the Petition to which this is an Exhibit). Thereby, I certify that the Company complies with state and federal accounting, cost allocation, and cost adjustment rules pertaining an incumbent local exchange carrier for the period of time that the Company will receive support under the Petition to which this is an Exhibit.

This Certification is a sworn statement made under the penalty of perjury as set forth in RCW 9A.72.085 and is made this 3rd day of August, 2023.

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Michael J. Shultz

Sr. Vice President – Regulatory & Public Policy