

STATE OF WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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Steven V. King, Executive Director and Secretary Utilities and Transportation Commission 1300 S. Evergreen Park Dr. SW P.O. Box 47250 Olympia, WA 98504-7250

RE: Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission v. US Connect LLC

Staff's Request to Rescind Penalty Assessment Docket UT-140928

Dear Mr. King:

On June 3, 2014, the Utilities and Transportation Commission issued a \$100 Penalty Assessment in Docket UT-140928 against US Connect LLC for 1 violation of Washington Administrative Code (WAC) 480-120-382, which requires telecommunication companies to furnish annual reports to the commission no later than May 1 each year.

The company submitted the annual report via US Mail which was received by the commission on May 2. Since the penalty assessment was issued, it has been discovered the company operates on a wireless basis only and is not required to submit an annual report. US Connect LLC's status has been updated in the appropriate commission database to avoid future annual report mailings. As US Connect LLC is not required to complete an annual report, staff recommends that the assessed penalty be withdrawn and the docket closed.

If you have any questions regarding this recommendation, please contact Amy Andrews, Regulatory Analyst, at (360) 664-1157, or aandrews@utc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Sondra Walsh, Director Administrative Services