

## STATE OF WASHINGTON

## WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

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July 21, 2011

RE: In the Matter of the Petition of YourTel America, Inc. for an Exemption from WAC 480-123-030(1)(d), (f) and (g), and Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier, Docket UT-110423

## TO ALL PARTIES:

The Washington Utilities and Transportation (Commission) entered its Order 01, Order Granting YourTel America, Inc. (YourTel or the Company) the Exemption from Provisions of WAC 480-123-030(1)(d), (f) and (g), and Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Docket UT-110423 on June 16, 2011.

The Order requires the Company to meet 21 conditions to be classified as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier, and directs the Company to submit compliance filings with regard to several of the conditions. Among others, Condition #2 requires the Company to submit data for Commission approval before it can begin offering service in the state of Washington. Condition #10 requires the Company to work with the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) to establish a procedure to verify the Company's Lifeline customers' eligibility. The Order authorized the Commission's Executive Director and Secretary to approve the required compliance filings, by letter, if the Company complied with the terms of the Order.

On July 5, 2011, YourTel submitted a compliance filing pursuant to Washington State Condition #2 of Commission Order 01 (Appendix B) in this docket, for approval by the Commission. The Company's compliance filing contains a copy of YourTel's Lifeline rate plans, terms and conditions, proposed language to be used in marketing and advertising material, and its Lifeline Customer Enrollment Form. After Commission Staff reviewed the compliance filing and discussed it with the Company's representative, YourTel submitted revisions to the compliance filing on July 11, 2011 and July 14, 2011. Staff finds that the

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Company's final revised compliance filing is satisfactory and meets the condition set forth in the Commission's Order 01. On July 14, 2011, Commission Staff submitted a letter recommending the Commission approve the compliance filing.

YourTel also informed the Commission that it has contacted the Department of Social and Health Services (DSHS) to obtain access to the DSHS database to verify its Lifeline customers' eligibility. This complies with Condition #10 of Commission Order 01.

The Commission has examined YourTel's compliance filing and subsequent revisions and finds the Company's compliance filing meets Condition #2 and Condition #10 of Commission Order 01.

Sincerely,

DAVID W. DANNER

**Executive Director and Secretary** 

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