

**Before the  
Federal Communications Commission  
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of	)	
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Universal Service Contribution Methodology	)	WC Docket No. 06-122
	)	
Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service	)	CC Docket No. 96-45
	)	
Petition for Waiver of the Universal Service	)	
Contribution True-Up Methodology by	)	
Sage Telecom, Inc. (Filer 499 ID 819036) and	)	
Sage Telecom of Texas, L.P. (Filer 499 ID	)	
826362)	)	

**ORDER**

**Adopted: April 16, 2010**

**Released: April 16, 2010**

By the Acting Chief, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau:

1. On June 25, 2008, Sage Telecom, Inc. and Sage Telecom of Texas, L.P., (collectively, Sage Telecom) filed a petition for waiver of certain requirements related to the annual universal service contribution true-up methodology.<sup>1</sup> On March 18, 2010, Sage filed a letter requesting withdrawal of its waiver petition.<sup>2</sup> We grant Sage Telecom's withdrawal request and, accordingly, dismiss the above-captioned pleading.

2. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.204(b), and 0.291 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.204(b), and 0.291, that the request for withdrawal submitted by Sage Telecom, Inc. and Sage Telecom of Texas, L.P., filed March 18, 2010, IS GRANTED.

3. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.204(b), and 0.291 of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.204(b), and 0.291, that the petition for waiver submitted by Sage Telecom, Inc. and Sage Telecom of Texas, L.P., filed June 25, 2008, IS DISMISSED.

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<sup>1</sup> Petition for Waiver of the Universal Service Contribution True-Up Methodology of Sage Telecom, Inc. (Filer 499 ID 819036) and Sage Telecom of Texas, L.P. (Filer 499 ID 826362), WC Docket No. 06-122, CC Docket No. 96-45 (filed June 25, 2008).

<sup>2</sup> Letter from L. Charles Keller, Wilkinson Barker Knauer, L.L.P, to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, Federal Communications Commission, WC Docket No. 06-122 (filed Mar. 18, 2010).

4. IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, pursuant to section 1.102(b)(1) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §1.102(b)(1), that this order SHALL BE EFFECTIVE upon release.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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