## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to establish guidelines for the purpose of certifying the use of federal universal service support.

In the Matter of the Nebraska Public Service Commission, on its own motion, seeking to establish guidelines for the purpose of certifying the use of state universal service support.

APPLICATION NO. NUSF-25 Progression Order No. 33

APPLICATION NO. NUSF-66

ORDER

Entered: September 20, 2016.

BY THE COMMISSION:

## OPINION AND FINDINGS

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- 1. Pursuant to the requirements established by the FCC, recipients of Phase I Mobility Funds were required to file their FCC Annual Form 690 Report with the Commission on or before July 1st of this year. The report is intended to provide an adequate description of how the Mobility Funds were used. Form 690 Reports were filed by N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc., d/b/a Viaero Wireless and by Pinpoint Wireless, Inc.
- 2. 47 C.F.R. § 54.314 requires state commissions, after conducting a detailed review of ETC's use of federal universal service support, to determine whether universal service support was used for its intended purpose in the preceding calendar year and will be used for its intended purpose in the following calendar year.
- 3. The Commission finds that N.E. Colorado Cellular, Inc. d/b/a Viaero Wireless and Pinpoint Wireless, Inc. have demonstrated that they have used federal Mobility Fund Phase I support for the provision, maintenance and upgrading of facilities and services for which support is intended, pursuant to 47 C.F.R § 54.314 (May 8, 2012) and WC Docket No. 10-90:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> See also 47 C.F.R. §54.1009.

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		COMPANY	NAME			 MOBILITY FUND	
						PHASE I	
						STUDY AREA CODE	
						(SAC)	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378001	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	 378002	-
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378003	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378004	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378006	-
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378012	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	 378013	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378014	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378015	- ·
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378017	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378018	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378019	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378020	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378021	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378022	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378023	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378024	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378025	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378028	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378029	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378030	
NE	Colorado	Cellular,	Inc.	dba	Viaero	378033	
Pinpoint Wireless, Inc.						378034	
Pinpoint Wireless, Inc.						378035	

- 4. Accordingly, the Commission will provide certification to the Administrator of the federal high-cost universal service support mechanisms and the FCC, that the above-listed carriers have used federal high-cost support in the preceding calendar year (2015) and will continue to use federal high-cost universal service support in the coming year (2017) only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and/or service for which the support is intended in accordance with § 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended.
- 5. Certification in this Order shall not be construed as precedent as to the sufficiency of the information considered acceptable by the Commission in subsequent years.

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## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the Department certify to the Administrator of the federal high-cost universal service support mechanisms and the Federal Communications Commission, that the above-listed eligible telecommunications carriers have used and will continue to use in the coming year federal Mobility Fund support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and/or service for which the support is intended in accordance with § 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, as amended.

ENTERED AND MADE EFFECTIVE at Lincoln, Nebraska this 20th day of September, 2016.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Executive Director

//s//Frank E. Landis
//s//Tim Schram