Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of)
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Request for Review of the)
Decision of the)
Universal Service Administrator by)
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St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School) File No. SLD- 124787
Greenville, South Carolina)
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Federal-State Joint Board on) CC Docket No. 96-45
Universal Service)
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Changes to the Board of Directors of the) CC Docket No. 97-21
National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.)

ORDER

Adopted: August 1, 2000

Released: August 2, 2000

By the Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau:

1. This Order dismisses the Letter of Appeal filed by St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School (St. Anthony), Greenville, South Carolina, seeking review of a decision issued by the Universal Service Administrative Company's Schools and Libraries Division on March 16, 2000.¹ The Commission received St. Anthony's Letter of Appeal on May 17, 2000.² Under section 54.720 of the Commission's rules, any such appeal must be filed within 30 days of the issuance of the decision as to which review is sought.³ Documents are considered to be filed with the Commission only upon receipt.⁴ Because the instant Letter of Appeal was not filed within the specified 30-day period, it will be dismissed without further consideration.

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.720.

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 1.7.

¹ See Letter from the Schools and Libraries Division, Universal Service Administrative Co., to Sister Catherine Noecker, St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School, dated March 16, 2000.

² Letter from Sister Catherine Noecker, St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School, to Federal Communications Commission, filed May 17, 2000 (Letter of Appeal).

2. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a), that the Letter of Appeal filed May 17, 2000, by St. Anthony of Padua Catholic School, Greenville, South Carolina, IS DISMISSED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Sharon L. Webber Deputy Chief, Accounting Policy Division Common Carrier Bureau