

**Before the
Federal Communications Commission
New Jersey, DC 20554**

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| In the Matter of |) | |
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| Request for Review of the |) | |
| Decision of the |) | |
| Universal Service Administrator by |) | |
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| Egg Harbor City Public Schools |) | File No. SLD- 146387 |
| Egg Harbor City, New Jersey |) | |
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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 23, 2000

Released: August 24, 2000

By the Accounting Policy Division, Common Carrier Bureau:

1. This Order dismisses the Letter of Appeal filed by Egg Harbor City Public Schools (Egg Harbor City), Egg Harbor City, New Jersey, seeking review of a decision issued by the Universal Service Administrative Company's Schools and Libraries Division on May 5, 2000.¹ The Commission received Egg Harbor City's Letter of Appeal on June 9, 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.

¹ See Letter from the Schools and Libraries Division, Universal Service Administrative Co., to L. David Rhine, Egg Harbor City Public Schools, dated May 5, 2000.

² Letter from Alfred Savio, Jr. and L. David Rhine, to Federal Communications Commission, filed June 9, 2000 (Letter of Appeal).

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.720.

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 1.7.

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 June 9, 2000, by Egg Harbor City Public Schools, Egg Harbor City, New Jersey, IS DISMISSED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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