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## **WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU ANNOUNCES FILING WINDOW FOR BRINGING PUERTO RICO TOGETHER FUND AND CONNECT USVI FUND CARRIERS TO SUBMIT LOCATION ADJUSTMENT CERTIFICATIONS**

**WC Docket No. 10-90  
WC Docket No. 18-143**

The Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) announces a filing window for Bringing Puerto Rico Together Fund (PR Fund) and Connect USVI Fund carriers to submit certifications to have their required location totals and support adjusted based on the December 2025 Broadband Serviceable Location (BSL) Fabric (Fabric) dataset.<sup>1</sup> **The window will open Friday, February 6, 2026 and close Monday, March 9, 2026.** Attachment A provides the number of units associated with BSLs in each carrier's service areas based on the December 2025 Fabric. Carriers that do not submit timely certifications will be subject to the Commission's non-compliance measures.<sup>2</sup>

*Filing Requirements.* In the *High-Cost Fabric Order*, the Bureau established procedures for making adjustments to PR Fund and Connect USVI Fund support recipients' location totals and support based on the December 2025 Fabric.<sup>3</sup> Specifically, during the filing window, a PR Fund or Connect USVI Fund carrier must submit a certification electronically in WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 18-143 certifying that it has reviewed the December 2025 Fabric and that it reflects more or fewer units than its original estimated location total, as applicable, in each of the carrier's supported service areas where it receives PR Fund or Connect USVI Fund support.<sup>4</sup> The Bureau will find that carriers that timely make this certification have satisfied the preponderance of the evidence standard to have their support and required location totals adjusted for each area.<sup>5</sup>

*Location Total and Support Adjustments.* The Bureau, in coordination with the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC), will then review certifications, verify Fabric-based unit counts, and

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<sup>1</sup> See *Connect America Fund et al.*, WC Docket No. 10-90 et al., Order, 40 FCC Rcd 281, 305-07, paras. 57-62 (WCB 2025) (*High-Cost Fabric Order*).

<sup>2</sup> See, e.g., 47 CFR § 54.320(c).

<sup>3</sup> *High-Cost Fabric Order*, 40 FCC Rcd at 305-07, paras. 57-62.

<sup>4</sup> *Id.* at 305, para. 57. On December 18, 2025, the Bureau posted on its website the final required location list for the PR Fund and Connect USVI Fund based on the December 2025 Fabric. *Interim Required Locations Lists Posted for the Rural Digital Opportunity Fund and Final Location Lists Posted for the Bringing Puerto Rico Together Fund and the Connect USVI Fund*, WC Docket Nos. 10-90 et al., Public Notice, DA 25-1081 (WCB 2025). On January 16, 2026, the Bureau posted updated lists that incorporated corrections to unit counts.

<sup>5</sup> *High-Cost Fabric Order*, 40 FCC Rcd at 306-07, paras. 61-62.

recalculate support on a pro rata per location basis for each supported area.<sup>6</sup> The Bureau will release a future public notice notifying carriers of their revised support and deployment obligations. Adjusted support amounts will be applied to remaining PR Fund or Connect USVI Fund disbursements.

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<sup>6</sup> Pursuant to the *High-Cost Fabric Order*, if the number of units associated with BSLs in the December 2025 Fabric is lower than originally estimated, we will make a corresponding downward adjustment to the carrier's required location total and reduce the carrier's support on a pro rata basis. *See High-Cost Fabric Order*, 40 FCC Rcd at 306, para. 61. The new support amount would be calculated by reducing authorized support by (total support/original required number of locations) x number of deficient locations. *The Uniendo a Puerto Rico Fund and the Connect USVI Fund et al.*, WC Docket No. 18-143 et al., Report and Order and Order on Reconsideration, 34 FCC Rcd 9109, 9145, para. 65 n.238 (2019). If the number of units associated with BSLs in the December 2025 Fabric is higher than originally estimated, we will make a corresponding upward adjustment to the carrier's required location total and increase the carrier's support on a pro rata basis. *See High-Cost Fabric Order*, 40 FCC Rcd at 307, para. 62. The new support amount would be calculated by increasing the authorized support by (total support/original required number of locations) x number of additional locations. Carriers are on notice that any outstanding or pending challenges that were filed and not incorporated into the December 2025 Fabric will not be considered for determining carriers' final deployment obligations. *Id.* at 306, para. 60.

## Attachment A

Number of Units in Bringing Puerto Rico Together Fund (PR Fund) Service Areas Based on Broadband Serviceable Locations in the December 2025 Fabric

<b>PR Fund Carrier</b>	<b>Municipio</b>	<b>Number of Units in December 2025 Fabric</b>
Liberty Communications	San Juan	262,978
Liberty Communications	Carolina	100,881
Liberty Communications	Bayamón	102,138
Liberty Communications	Ponce	70,231
Liberty Communications	Caguas	63,435
Liberty Communications	Toa Baja	38,903
Liberty Communications	Arecibo	40,283
Liberty Communications	Mayagüez	38,091
Liberty Communications	Guaynabo	40,706
Liberty Communications	Cabo Rojo	24,717
Liberty Communications	Vega Baja	23,349
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Aguadilla	24,431
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Manatí	18,397
Liberty Communications	Fajardo	16,429
Liberty Communications	Guayama	18,120
Liberty Communications	Salinas	13,471
Liberty Communications	Cataño	12,012
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	San Sebastián	17,026
Liberty Communications	Isabela	18,490
Liberty Communications	Juana Díaz	18,389
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Yauco	15,411
Liberty Communications	Dorado	15,547
Liberty Communications	Cayey	18,706
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Guánica	8,487
Liberty Communications	Río Grande	20,138
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Camuy	13,563
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Lajas	10,747
Liberty Communications	Toa Alta	25,931
Liberty Communications	Juncos	15,811
Liberty Communications	Loíza	10,854
Liberty Communications	Canóvanas	17,773
Liberty Communications	Ceiba	6,407
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Coamo	15,480
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	San Lorenzo	14,946
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	San Germán	13,604
Liberty Communications	Santa Isabel	9,359

<b>PR Fund Carrier</b>	<b>Municipio</b>	<b>Number of Units in December 2025 Fabric</b>
Liberty Communications	Sabana Grande	9,991
Liberty Communications	Luquillo	8,531
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Aguada	15,273
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Peñuelas	7,994
Liberty Communications	Arroyo	7,981
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Utuado	11,485
Liberty Communications	Humacao	21,852
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Vieques	4,699
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Aibonito	9,562
Liberty Communications	Barceloneta	10,226
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Guayanilla	7,469
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Patillas	7,407
Liberty Communications	Vega Alta	13,964
Liberty Communications	Naguabo	10,372
Liberty Communications	Trujillo Alto	24,420
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Quebradillas	9,438
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Lares	9,985
Liberty Communications	Las Piedras	14,315
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Moca	13,516
Liberty Communications	Yabucoa	12,354
Liberty Communications	Rincón	6,276
Liberty Communications	Cidra	14,279
Liberty Communications	Culebra	1,355
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Ciales	6,076
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Florida	4,579
Liberty Communications	Gurabo	16,689
Liberty Communications	Hormigueros	6,697
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Villalba	7,480
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Orocovis	7,264
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Maunabo	4,293
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Adjuntas	6,532
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Añasco	10,188
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Las Marías	3,136
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Jayuya	4,965
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Corozal	11,203
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Maricao	2,025
Liberty Communications	Barranquitas	9,349
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Comerío	6,297
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Morovis	9,887
Liberty Communications	Hatillo	14,390

<b>PR Fund Carrier</b>	<b>Municipio</b>	<b>Number of Units in December 2025 Fabric</b>
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Naranjito	9,030
Puerto Rico Telephone Co.	Aguas Buenas	8,287

Number of Units in Connect USVI Service Areas Based on Broadband Serviceable Locations in the December 2025 Fabric

<b>Connect USVI Carrier</b>	<b>Area</b>	<b>Number of December 2025 BSL Units</b>
Broadband VI LLC	St. John & St. Thomas Islands	29,223
Broadband VI LLC	St. Croix Island	28,133