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In the Matter of)
Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization) WC Docket No. 11-42
Telecommunications Carriers Eligible for Universal Service Support) WC Docket No. 09-197
Connect America Fund) WC Docket No. 10-90

ERRATUM

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By the Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Office of Managing Director:

On April 27, 2016, the Commission released a Third Report and Order, Further Report and Order, and Order on Reconsideration ("the Order"), FCC 16-38, in the above-captioned proceeding. On May 6, 2016, the Wireline Competition Bureau released an Erratum amending the Order. This Erratum amends the corrected version of the Order, published in the FCC Record book at 31 FCC Rcd 3962 (2016), as indicated below:

Paragraph 284, on page 4067, is corrected to read as follows:

"284. We find that this process for prospective LBPs protects the integrity of the Lifeline program and guards against waste, fraud, and abuse, while facilitating market entry and encouraging competition. All LBPs, regardless of whether they qualify for streamlined treatment, must meet the requirements for designation as a Lifeline-only ETC established in section 214(e) of the Act and section 54.201 and 54.202 of the Commission's rules. The Commission will examine all petitions for designation as an LBP to ensure that petitioning carriers meet the requirements in the Act and the Commission's implementing rules. The Commission will use its authority to deny petitions, remove petitions from streamlined treatment, or both, if the circumstances so require. Additionally, LBPs must comply with the Lifeline program rules and will be subject to auditing and enforcement in accordance with the Commission's rules."

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