



April 19, 2005

Missouri Public Service Commission
Governor Office Building
200 Madison, Suite 100
Jefferson City, Missouri 65102-0537

**Re: USCOC of Greater Missouri, Inc., d/b/a/ U.S. Cellular
High-Cost Certification**

To the Commission:

USCOC of Greater Missouri, Inc., d/b/a/ U.S. Cellular (“U.S. Cellular”, “Company”) has submitted a Petition for ETC designation in the State of Missouri. As required by Sections 54.313(b) and 54.314(b) of the Federal Communications Commission’s rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313(b), 54.313(b), U.S. Cellular hereby submits the certification below in order to begin receiving high-cost support in its designated ETC area.

Accordingly, as Director of External Affairs of U.S. Cellular, I hereby certify on behalf of the company and under penalty of perjury that all high-cost support provided to the Company will be used only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, 47 U.S.C. § 254(e). I also certify that I am authorized to make this certification on the company’s behalf.

Bradley Stein
Director, External Affairs

4.19.2005

Date

SUBSCRIBED, SWORN AND ACKNOWLEDGED before me this 19~~th~~ day of April, 2005.

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My Commission Expires: 8/27/07

