

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of Cricket Communication, Inc.        )  
Notice of Relinquishment of Its Eligible         )  
Telecommunications Carrier Designation         )  
Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. §214(e)(4)                )        **File No. RA-2015-0219**

**ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO  
RELINQUISH ETC DESIGNATION**

Issue Date: April 23, 2015

Effective Date: May 1, 2015

On March 17, 2014, Cricket Communications, Inc. filed a notice relinquishing its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC) designation under 47 U.S.C. §214(e)(4). Cricket asks that the Commission issue an order allowing the company to stop taking orders for new Lifeline service as of May 1, 2015, and to stop offering Lifeline service as July 31, 2015.

On April 3, 2015, the Staff of the Commission filed a recommendation. Staff informs the Commission that the company has satisfied the requirements of §214(e)(4) and that Lifeline customers can continue to receive service. Staff recommends that the Commission grant the company's request to be effective on July 31, 2015; an effective date requested by the company.

Based on the company's notice and Staff's recommendation, the Commission finds that the requirements of §214(e)(4) have been satisfied and will grant the company's request to relinquish its ETC status.

**THE COMMISSION ORDERS THAT:**

1. Cricket Communications, Inc. may stop taking orders for new Lifeline service effective May 1, 2015.

2. Cricket Communication, Inc.'s relinquishment of its Eligible Telecommunications Carrier status is granted effective July 1, 2015.

3. This order shall become effective on May 1, 2015.

4. This file shall be closed on May 2, 2015.

**BY THE COMMISSION**



A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Morris L. Woodruff".

Morris L. Woodruff  
Secretary

Kennard L. Jones, Senior Regulatory Law Judge, by delegation of authority pursuant to Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri, on this 23rd day of April, 2015.