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June 30, 2020

Sent via electronic mail to secretary@puc.idaho.gov

Ms. Diane Hanian
Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
472 West Washington Street
Boise, Idaho 83720

Re: GNR-T-19-01 – 2020 Annual ETC Filing - Frontier Communications Northwest, LLC

Dear Ms. Hanian:

Frontier Communications Northwest, LLC dba ZiPLY Fiber ("FC Northwest") hereby files a state affidavit. FC Northwest confirms that it successfully filed and certified Program Year 2020 FCC Form 481 and required attachments with USAC on June 16, 2020.

FC Northwest requests the Idaho Public Utilities Commission to file the annual certification regarding federal high cost support with the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) and the FCC, pursuant to 47 CFR 54.314(a).

Any questions or notifications pertaining to this filing should be directed to me at (503) 431-0458 or by email at jessica.epley@ziPLY.com.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JE", written over a light blue horizontal line.

Jessica Epley
Government & External Affairs Director

THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION'S ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER (ETC) ANNUAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

FILING DEADLINES

- **By July 1, 2020:** All ETCs requesting federal high-cost or low-income support from the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC) must confirm with the Commission that they have filed with USAC and the FCC, FCC Form 481 (47 C.F.R. §§ 54.313 & 54.422) and must file with the IPUC a Signed Affidavit (see note). IPUC Filing methods:

Electronic Filings—Email To:
Diane Hanian, Commission Secretary at
diane.hanian@puc.idaho.gov

Paper Filings (One copy)—Mail To:
Diane Hanian
Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
472 W. Washington
Boise, Idaho 83720-0074

- **By September 1, 2020:** All other ETCs who do not receive federal high cost funds must notify the Commission upon filing Form 481 and file the affidavit (minus item 5) with the Commission Secretary. This satisfied the PUC annual report requirement for ETCs. See Order No. 29841.

Notes:

- *When filing Form 481 with the FCC, clearly reference WC Docket Nos. 10-90 and 11-42 (as appropriate).*
- *The FCC does not require the signed affidavit.*
- **Before October 1, 2020:** The PUC Staff will submit the *Annual Use Certification Letter* (47 C.F.R. § 54.314) to USAC and the FCC on behalf of Idaho ETCs who receive federal high-cost support.

Form 481 Templates and Instructions:

<http://www.usac.org/res/documents/hc/pdf/forms/FCC-Form-481-Instructions.pdf>

FOR QUESTIONS RE: THE STATE FILING CONTACT:

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[If your Company does not receive federal high cost support, omit item 2]