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WIRELINE COMPETITION BUREAU SEEKS NOMINATIONS FOR SIX BOARD MEMBER POSITIONS ON THE UNIVERSAL SERVICE ADMINISTRATIVE COMPANY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

CC Docket Nos. 96-45, 97-21

Nominations Due By: October 23, 2013

Pursuant to section 54.703(c) of the Commission's rules,¹ the Wireline Competition Bureau (Bureau) seeks nominations for the following board member positions on the Board of Directors of the Universal Service Administrative Company (USAC). The terms will expire on December 31, 2013.²

- Representative for commercial radio service providers (position currently held by Scott Bergmann)
- Representative for libraries that are eligible to receive discounts pursuant to § 54.501 (position currently held by Anne Campbell)
- Representative for schools that are eligible to receive discounts pursuant to § 54.501 (position currently held by Daniel Domenech)
- Representative for cable operators (position currently held by Jose Jimenez)
- Representative for state consumer advocates (position currently held by Wayne Jortner)
- Representative for non-rural incumbent LECs (position currently held by Joel Lubin)

On behalf of the Commission, the Bureau wishes to thank these individuals for their diligent efforts and dedicated service on the USAC Board.

¹ 47 C.F.R. § 54.703(c). This matter is designated as exempt from the *ex parte* restrictions. See 47 C.F.R. §§ 1.1200(a), 1.1204.

² See Letter from D. Scott Barash, Acting Chief Executive Officer, USAC, to Julie Veach, Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau, FCC, CC Docket Nos. 96-45, 97-21 (dated Aug. 21, 2013).

Pursuant to section 54.703(c)(2) of the Commission's rules, each nomination must be captioned: **"In the Matter of: Nomination for Universal Service Administrator's Board of Directors, CC Docket Nos. 97-21 and 96-45."**³ Each nomination must specify the position on the Board of Directors for which such nomination is submitted, and should be accompanied by the nominee's professional and biographical information, such as a résumé or professional biography. All submitted nominations will be reviewed, and pursuant to section 54.703(c)(3), the Chairperson will select individuals to represent the relevant industry or non-industry groups on the Board.⁴

All nominations must be filed with the Office of the Secretary by October 23, 2013.

Nominations may be filed using the Commission's Electronic Comment Filing System (ECFS), or by filing paper copies.⁵

- **Electronic Filers:** Comments may be filed electronically using the Internet by accessing the ECFS: <http://www.fcc.gov/cgb/ecfs/>.
- **Paper Filers:** Parties who choose to file by paper must file an original and one copy of each filing. Because more than one docket number appears in the caption of this proceeding, filers must submit two additional copies for each additional docket number.

Filings can be sent by hand or messenger delivery, by commercial overnight courier, or by first-class or overnight U.S. Postal Service mail. All filings must be addressed to the Commission's Secretary, Office of the Secretary, Federal Communications Commission.

- All hand-delivered or messenger-delivered paper filings for the Commission's Secretary must be delivered to FCC Headquarters at 445 12th St., SW, Room TW-A325, Washington, D.C. 20554. The filing hours are 8:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. All hand deliveries must be held together with rubber bands or fasteners. Any envelopes must be disposed of before entering the building.
- Commercial overnight mail (other than U.S. Postal Service Express Mail and Priority Mail) must be sent to 9300 East Hampton Drive, Capitol Heights, MD 20743.
- U.S. Postal Service first-class, Express, and Priority mail must be addressed to 445 12th Street, SW, Washington, DC 20554.
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In addition, we request that one copy of each pleading be sent to each of the following:

- (1) Vickie Robinson, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, 445 12th Street, SW, Room 5-A465, Washington, DC 20554; e-mail: Vickie.Robinson@fcc.gov; and

³ 47 C.F.R. § 54.703(c)(2).

⁴ 47 C.F.R. § 54.703(c)(3).

⁵ See *Electronic Filing of Documents in Rulemaking Proceedings*, 63 FR 24121 (1998).

(2) Charles Tyler, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau, 445 12th Street, SW, Room 5-A452, Washington, DC 20554; e-mail: Charles.Tyler@fcc.gov.

For further information, please contact Vickie Robinson, Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau at (202) 418-7400 or TTY (202) 418-0484.

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