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BY HAND

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th St., S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: *Connect America Fund*, WC Dkt. No. 10-90; *Lifeline and Link Up Reform and Modernization*, WC Dkt. No. 11-42

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Frontier Communications Corp. hereby files its annual report and certifications as required by sections 54.313 and 54.422 of the Commission's rules in accordance with the guidance of the Public Notice issued August 6, 2013, for the companies listed below.¹ Today Frontier is filing only the documents relevant to the companies listed below. Frontier will complete its filings for all of its companies by the Commission's October 15, 2013 filing deadline. A copy of this report is also being filed with the Universal Service Administrative Company and each relevant State public service commission in which Frontier operates as an ETC.

Portions of this filing for select companies are being made confidentially in accordance with the Federal Communications Commission's ("Commission") *Third Protective Order* in this docket². Specifically, Frontier requests confidential treatment of the detailed reporting of outages lasting longer than 30 minutes in 2012, which includes the location, cause, duration and efforts taken to prevent further outages. This information is competitively sensitive and is not normally released to the public; release of such sensitive data could give Frontier's competitors an advantage in the

¹ Wireline Competition Bureau Announces Filing Deadline of October 15, 2013 for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers to File High-Cost and Low-Income Annual Reports, and Announces Filing Deadline of December 16, 2013 for States and ETCs to File Annual Use Certifications, *Public Notice*, WC Dkt. Nos. 10-90, 11-42, DA 13-1707 (rel. Aug. 6, 2013).

² *In re*: Developing a Unified Intercarrier Compensation Regime; Establishing Just and Reasonable Rates for Local Exchange Carriers; Connect America Fund; High-Cost Universal Service Support; A National Broadband Plan for Our Future, CC Dkt. No. 01-92, WC Dkt. Nos. 07-135, 10-90, 05-337, GN Dkt. No. 09-51, *Third Protective Order*, DA 10-1749 (rel. Aug. 30, 2012).

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markets described therein.³ The non-redacted portions have been marked as confidential. Frontier requests that the documents marked as confidential be withheld from public inspection. Frontier is also filing a redacted copy of this report for public inspection.

Frontier submits today information for the following companies; only those so marked are being filed confidentially.

State	Study Area Name	SAC	Confidential Treatment Requested?
AZ	Citizens-Frntr-Rural	452172	Yes
AZ	Frontier Communications of the Southwest, Inc.	452302	Yes
AZ	Citizens-Frontier-Wh Mt	454426	No
AZ	Navajo-AZ-Frontier	454449	Yes
CA	Frontier Communications of the Southwest	541863	No
CA	Citizens-Frontier-CA	542308	No
CA	Citizens Telecomm Co of CA	542315	No
CA	Frontier Communications West Coast	542344	No
CA	Citizens-Frontier-GST	543402	Yes
CA	Citizens Telecomm Co of CA	544342	Yes
FL	Frontier Comm-South	210318	No
IL	Frontier-Depue	340998	Yes
IL	Frontier of Lakeside	341011	No
IL	Frontier North, Inc.	341015	Yes
IL	Frontier North, Inc.	341036	No
IL	Frontier of Illinois	341038	Yes
IL	Frontier-Midland	341055	Yes
IL	Frontier Mt. Pulaski	341061	No
IL	Frontier-Orion	341067	No
IL	Frontier-Prairie	341073	No
IL	Frontier-Schuyler	341079	Yes
IL	Citizens-Frontier IL	341183	Yes
IL	Frontier Communications of the Carolinas	343035	No
MN	Citizens-Frontier-MN	361123	Yes
MN	Frontier-Minnesota	361367	No
MN	Citizens-Frontier-MN	367123	No
OR	Frontier Communications Northwest, Inc.	532416	Yes
OR	Citizens-Frontier-Oregon	533401	No
WA	Frontier Communications Northwest, Inc.	522416	No
WA	Frontier Communications Northwest, Inc.	522449	No

Please feel free to contact me with any further questions.

³ Frontier notes that section 4.2 of the Commission's rules, which governs disruptions of communications service, states that reports of service disruptions are "presumed to be confidential." 47 C.F.R. § 4.2 (2013).

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Sincerely,

/s/

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