

May 17, 2017

Ms. Kris Monteith Acting Bureau Chief, Wireline Competition Bureau Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

RE: In the Matter of Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism, CC Docket No. 02-6, Estimate of Demand for Funding Year 2017

Dear Ms. Monteith:

USAC's estimate of demand for Schools and Libraries Universal Service Support Mechanism discounts for Funding Year (FY) 2017 (July 1, 2017 to June 30, 2018) is \$3.20 billion, of which \$2.296 billion is for Category 1 and \$904 million for Category 2. This estimate is based on total funds requested in FCC Form 471 applications received on or before May 11, 2017, the close of the FCC Form 471 filing window. A table showing estimated demand by service type and discount band is attached to this letter.

I would be happy to answer any questions you may have regarding this information.

Sincerely,

//s// Craig Davis
Vice President, Schools and Libraries Division
USAC

Attachment: FY2017 Demand Estimate to FCC

cc: Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, FCC (via electronic filing)
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## Schools and Libraries Funding Year 2017 Estimated Demand by Service Type and Discount

(\$ = millions)

	Category 1			Category 2				
Discount Band	Voice	Data Transmission and/or Internet Access	Total	Internal Connections	Basic Maintenance of Internal Connections	Managed Internal Broadband Services	Total	Totals
0-19%	\$4.58	\$0.00	\$4.58	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$4.58
20-29%	\$44.68	\$1.31	\$45.99	\$0.49	\$0.04	\$0.01	\$0.54	\$46.53
30-39%	\$87.63	\$0.24	\$87.87	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$87.87
40-49%	\$0.00	\$47.21	\$47.21	\$35.23	\$1.30	\$0.93	\$37.46	\$84.68
50-59%	\$0.00	\$85.94	\$85.94	\$82.94	\$2.11	\$1.39	\$86.43	\$172.38
60-69%	\$0.00	\$161.88	\$161.88	\$92.65	\$1.87	\$1.97	\$96.49	\$258.37
70-79%	\$0.00	\$168.76	\$168.76	\$37.99	\$1.32	\$1.96	\$41.27	\$210.03
80-89%	\$0.00	\$816.99	\$816.99	\$588.20	\$30.71	\$22.93	\$641.85	\$1,458.84
90-100%	\$0.00	\$876.67	\$876.67	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$876.67
Totals	\$136.89	\$2,159.00	\$2,295.89	\$837.51	\$37.35	\$29.18	\$904.04	\$3,199.93

## Notes:

These figures represent the total universe of FCC Form 471 applications received in the filing The totals above may reflect some duplicate applications. The applications are as submitted by applicants and have not yet been reviewed for compliance with program rules. Some column and row totals above are rounded. All figures are in millions \$.

Demand Estimate Prepared May 16, 2017

Funding Year: FY2017

**Applications received in window:** 40,257 **Funding Requests (FRNs):** 96,843

Total post discount requested \$: \$3,199,929,923

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