

SCRPS Status Update

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*Indicate which deadline you are meeting with this filing.

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Explanation of Effort and Availability of Commercial Equipment

*Provide an explanation of efforts undertaken, and challenges encountered, in permanently removing, replacing, and disposing of covered communications equipment or service.

As a small regional provider we continue to be concerned with how we can Financially replace our Huawei gear, when the FCC is currently only reimbursing 40% of Costs. Price quotes for equipment are coming back higher then last years "budgetary quotes" and in some cases Vendors are telling us that using Cost Catalog packages in our original application failed to include some licensing that it looks like we will also need to cover out of our pocket. Since the FCC mandated that USF recipients must replace this gear (We are a member of a CAF2 winning consortium) According to our lawyer this program represents a "government taking under the constitution" So the FCC and Congress need to figure out how to reimburse us 100%!

*Explain whether you are finding commercially available equipment in the marketplace. If not, then explain efforts taken to obtain replacement equipment.

We have received back quotes from RAN vendors that are indicating longer delivery lead times. The Tower router/switch we had planned to use has a 52 week lead time so we are now evaluating and testing other substitute models.

* If there is additional information relevant to the preceding questions or that you believe the Commission should be aware of, please include the information below.

Program Compliance

*Indicate whether recipient has fully complied with (or is in the process of complying with) all requirements of the Reimbursement Program.

Yes No

*Indicate whether recipient has permanently removed from its communications network, replaced, and disposed of (or is in the process of permanently removing, replacing, and disposing of) all covered communications equipment or services that were in the recipient's network as of the date of submission of the recipient's application requesting funding.

Yes No

If you have not yet completed the removal, replacement, and/or disposal process, what estimated percentage of the removal, replacement, and/or disposal process have you completed?

*Indicate whether recipient has fully complied with (or is in the process of complying with) the timeline submitted by the recipient. If not, provide explanation for deviation.

Yes No

*The filer has indicated no to a question in this section, please provide additional information.

The timeline on our original proposal was based on the FCC launching the program on time with 100% reimbursement and no Covid related supply chain delays.

Certifications

*By checking the box and providing the electronic signature where indicated below, the Certifying Official on behalf of the filer certifies under penalty of perjury that:

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