

THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF KANSAS

Before Commissioners:           Mark Sievers, Chairman  
  Ward Loyd  
  Thomas E. Wright

In the Matter of a General Investigation        )  
To Determine the Assessment rate for         )  
the Sixteenth Year of the Kansas             ) Docket No. 12-GIMT-168-GIT  
Universal Service Fund, Effective             )  
March 1, 2012.                                    )

**ORDER GRANTING INTERVENTION OF CURB**

NOW, this matter comes before the State Corporation Commission of the State of Kansas (“Commission”) upon the Petition of the Citizens’ Utility Ratepayer Board (“CURB”) to intervene in the above captioned matter. Having been fully advised in the premises and from the pleadings before it, the Commission finds as follows:

1. On September 29, 2011, the Commission ordered this docket be opened.
2. On October 4, 2011, CURB filed its Petition to Intervene.
3. The Commission notes that CURB has been made a party in prior KUSF Assessment Rate Determination dockets but appears to have been inadvertently left out in the September 29, 2011 Order.

4. CURB should be a party herein and its Petition should be granted.

IT IS, THEREFORE, BY THE COMMISSION ORDERED THAT:

A. The Petition to Intervene by CURB herein is granted.

BY THE COMMISSION IT IS SO ORDERED.

Sievers, Chmn.; Loyd, Com.; Wright, Com.

Dated: DEC 09 2011



ORDER DEC 09 2011

Patrice Petersen-Klein  
Executive Director

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