

Telrite Corporation d/b/a Life Wireless  
Response to Staff Information Request #2  
Docket No.: TC13-022  
Date: June 24, 2013

2-1) Is there a reason why the financials submitted were for the 2011 calendar year and not the 2012 calendar year? Please submit the 2012 financials, if available, as they are the most current.

The 2012 were not complete at the time. See Exhibit "A" for completed 2012 financials.

2-3) Referring to question 1-15, is the \$3.50 company credit supported by revenues generated from non-lifeline plans?

Yes, the \$3.50 company credit is supported by revenues generated from non-lifeline products and services.

2-4) In Telrite's experience, does the average Lifeline user need to purchase additional minutes in order to meet their usage needs?

Generally speaking, no.

2-5) Pursuant to ARSD 20:10:32:43.05, demonstrate that Telrite offers a local usage plan comparable to the one offered by the Incumbent Local Exchange Carrier. Please prove this assertion using a comparison of costs and benefits of the plans.

Life Wireless offers local usage plans comparable to that offered by the ILEC in the service area for which it seeks designation, with respect to both its 125 Minute and 250 Minute Lifeline Plans. In fact, Life Wireless' Lifeline offerings do not distinguish between "local" calling and extended calling areas. Life Wireless will provide South Dakota consumers nationwide calling capability without regard to the calling area. In addition, Life Wireless's Lifeline offerings would be completely free to Lifeline users after application of the federal Lifeline universal service support. To Life Wireless' knowledge, no South Dakota ILEC offers its customers a comparable service at no cost to the end-user. Moreover, each of Life Wireless' Lifeline offerings include, at no extra charge, several popular features for which ILECs typically charge separately: local and domestic long distance calling, Caller ID, Call Waiting, Call Forwarding, 3-Way Calling, and Voice Mail. Furthermore, Life Wireless' Lifeline customers are not subject to credit check or deposit requirements, and Life Wireless does not charge a service activation fee for its Lifeline offerings. For these reasons, Life Wireless submits that its plans are at least comparable to ILEC plans. See Exhibit "B" for a detailed comparison.

2-6) Telrite identified in the response to Staff Information Request #1-1 that it only intends to provide Lifeline Services in Non-rural and non-Tribal lands. Please submit an amended Exhibit A that lists only the non-rural exchanges that Telrite seeks ETC designation in.

See Exhibit "C"

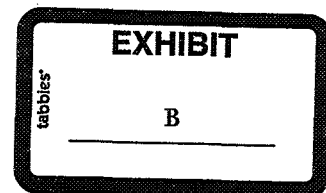
Century Link				Life Wireless			
Plan	Svc Cost	Total Cost	Notes	Plan	Svc Cost	Total Cost	Notes
Basic Local**	\$21.25	\$21.25	No Features or LD. Local Calls only	125 Min w/Rollover and Features	\$0.00	\$0.00	Includes 125 minutes of Local OR Long Distance Calling
Add LD @ .15/min	\$2.99	\$24.24	plus LD usage at applicable Rate per min	250 Min w/o Rollover and Features	\$0.00	\$0.00	Includes 250 minutes of Local OR Long Distance Calling
Add LD @ .05/min	\$8.98	\$30.23	plus LD usage at applicable Rate per min				
Add Unlimited LD	\$29.99	\$51.24	Unlimited Local and LD	Add Unlimited Talk and Text			
				Month	\$29.95	\$29.95	Unlimited Local and Long Distance Calling
Local with Features**	\$35.00	\$35.00		Two Week	\$19.95	\$19.95	Unlimited Local and Long Distance Calling
Add LD @ .05/min	\$0.00	\$35.00	plus LD usage at applicable Rate per min	One Week	\$12.95	\$12.95	Unlimited Local and Long Distance Calling
				3-Day	\$7.95	\$7.95	Unlimited Local and Long Distance Calling
Local with Features**	\$45.00	\$45.00	Unlimited Local and LD	1-Day	\$4.95	\$4.95	Unlimited Local and Long Distance Calling
Add Unlimited LD	\$0.00	\$45.00	Unlimited Local and LD				

\*\* Requires a one-time set up fee of \$25.00

**Compare**

**Local Service with Features and Unlimited Long Distance**

	Cost	Savings
Century Link	\$45.00	\$0.00
Life Wireless	\$29.95	\$15.05



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STATE	OCN_NAME	CATEGORY	RC ABBRE	ATT ZIP Coverage
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