



August 2, 2021

Mr. Steven Kahl
Executive Secretary
North Dakota Public Service Commission
600 E. Boulevard, Dept. 408
Bismarck, ND 58505-0480

Re: USF Certification B Case Nos. PU-439-01-460 and PU-439-02-441

Dear Mr. Kahl:

Enclosed for filing in accordance with the Commission's Order of August 28, 2002, in the above referenced proceeding, is an Affidavit certifying that all federal high-cost support provided to SRT Communications, Inc. was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

In making this filing, the undersigned company is at this time neither contesting, nor conceding, the jurisdiction of the North Dakota Public Service Commission to act in this proceeding.

Sincerely,

Steven D. Lysne
CEO/General Manager
SRT Commissions, Inc.

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Affidavit regarding certification of use of Federal Universal Service Support
SRT Communications, Inc.
Steve Lysne, CEO / General Manager



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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
Office of the Secretary
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

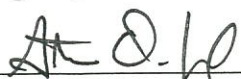
Re: USF Certification B FCC Docket No. 10-90 and Docket No. 14-58

Dear Ms. Dortch,

Enclosed for filing in FCC Docket No. 10-90 and Docket No. 14-58 is an Affidavit certifying that all federal high-cost support provided to SRT Communications, Inc. was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended.

The undersigned carrier has also filed this Affidavit with the North Dakota Public Service Commission, and it is anticipated that the North Dakota Public Service Commission will also certify by October 1, 2021, that the undersigned carrier will only use said universal service support for its intended purpose. However, because of the importance of this issue, and the fast approaching certification deadline of October 1, 2021, the undersigned carrier is also providing certification directly to the Federal Communications Commission to ensure that the undersigned carrier continues to receive the universal service support for which it is eligible.

Signed,



Steven D. Lysie
CEO/General Manager

Date: 8/2/2021

SRT Communications, Inc.

North Dakota

SAC 383303

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August 2, 2021

Karen Majcher
Universal Service Administrative Company
Vice President, High Cost Division
700 12th Street, NW, Suite 900
Washington, DC 20005

Re: CC Docket No. 96-45/WC Docket No. 14-48, Annual Self-Certification of Support for Eligible Telecommunications Carriers Pursuant to 47 C.F.R. § 54.314

SRT Communications, Inc. – North Dakota SAC 383303

Dear Ms. Majcher:

Enclosed is a copy of the letter and Affidavit which was sent to the Federal Communications Commission regarding SRT Communications, Inc.'s certification of use of Federal Universal Service Support.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "S. D. Lysne".

Steven D. Lysne
CEO/General Manager
SRT Communications, Inc.

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BEFORE THE NORTH DAKOTA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION IN CASE NO. PU-439-02-441
AND BEFORE THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION IN WC DOCKET NO. 10-90
AND WC DOCKET NO. 14-58

AFFIDAVIT OF SRT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.
REGARDING
CERTIFICATION OF USE OF FEDERAL UNIVERSAL SERVICE SUPPORT

State of North Dakota)
) ss.
County of Ward)

Steve Lysne, being first duly sworn on oath, does hereby declare and state upon affiant's own personal knowledge as follows:

1. Affiant is employed by SRT Communications, Inc. (hereinafter, the "Company"), in the position of CEO/General Manager.

2. The Company is an eligible telecommunications carrier (ETC) within the meaning of Section 214(e) of the Federal Telecommunications Act of 1996 (hereinafter, the "Act"), and the Company is eligible to receive federal high-cost universal service support (hereinafter, the "Support") pursuant to Section 254(e) of the Act. The North Dakota Public Service Commission (hereinafter, the "NDPSC") has designated the Company as an eligible telecommunications carrier.

3. Affiant is personally familiar with all of the Support received by the Company, and with how the Company uses all of Support that it receives.

4. The Company is filing this affidavit in compliance with the order of the Federal Communication Commission (hereinafter, "FCC") dated May 23, 2001, in WC Docket Number 10-90 and WC Docket Number 14-58 (FCC 01-157) (hereinafter, the "Order"), as codified in 47 C.F.R. § 54.314, which requires certification to the FCC that all federal Support was used in the preceding calendar year and will be used in the coming calendar year by carriers within each state only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended, as required by Section 254(e) of the Act and 47 C.F.R. § 54.7. The Company is also filing this affidavit in compliance with the Orders of the NDPSC dated August 28, 2001, in Case No. PU-439-01-460 and dated August 28, 2002, in Case No. PU-439-02-441. This affidavit is filed to facilitate the Company's receipt of federal support for all four quarters of 2021, and all quarters thereafter.

5. The Company hereby certifies that all federal high-cost support provided to SRT Communications, Inc. was used in the preceding calendar year only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and services for which the support is intended pursuant to and consistent with Section 254(e) of the Act and 47 C.F.R. § 54.7. The Company will use the Support for the following services, as designated in 47 C.F.R. § 54.101, throughout the Company's study area: (a) voice grade access to the public switched network or its functional equivalent; (b) minutes of use for local service at no additional charge; (c) access to emergency services; and (d) toll limitation services to qualifying low-income consumers.

Dated this 14th day of June, 2021.

SRT COMMUNICATIONS, INC.

By 
Steve Lysne
Its: CEO/General Manger

State of North Dakota)
) ss.
County of Ward)

On this 14th day of June, 2021, before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared STEVE LYSNE, known to me to be the CEO/General Manager of SRT COMMUNICATIONS, INC., the corporation that is described in and that executed the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

TRACIE HANSEN
Notary Public
State of North Dakota
My Commission Expires Sept. 6, 2023



Notary Public
For the State of North Dakota