Service Date: May 5, 2025

BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION,

DOCKET UT-250046

Complainant,

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v.

ZIPLY FIBER NORTHWEST, LLC d/b/a ZIPLY FIBER

Respondent.

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO WITHDRAW PETITION AND CLOSING DOCKET

BACKGROUND

- On January 24, 2025, Ziply Fiber Northwest LLC ("Ziply Fiber" or Company) filed with the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) a revision to its Tariff WN U-101 (General and Local Exchange tariff) to reflect an increase in its late payment fee, from \$12 to \$15 (25% increase).
- On February 28, 2025, Ziply Fiber filed a letter withdrawing the tariff, in an attempt to comply with WAC 480-07-380(3)(b).¹
- Notwithstanding the notice of withdrawal, that same day, the Commission suspended the tariff, and initiated an investigation of Ziply Fiber's books, accounts, practices, activities, property and operations.
- 4 **MOTION TO WITHDRAW**. On March 12, 2025, Ziply Fiber filed a motion to withdraw its filed tariff. The motion explained:

After consultations with Commission Telecommunications Regulatory Staff, and following an extensive internal review, Ziply Fiber determined that a number of products and services currently listed in Ziply Fiber's Washington General and Local Exchange Tariff WN U-101 more

¹ "A company need not file a motion to withdraw a tariff filing after the commission has entered a complaint and order suspending that tariff but before the commission commences an adjudicative proceeding. In such circumstances, the company need only file a written notice that it is withdrawing that filing."

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properly belong in the Company's Washington General and Local Exchange Service Catalog. Therefore, Ziply Fiber intends to submit a more comprehensive Tariff revision to align Tariff WN U-101 with the Commission's decision and Order 06 in Docket UT-121994, FINAL ORDER APPROVING SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS WITH CONDITIONS AND CLASSIFYING SERVICES AS COMPETITIVE."

The Commission finds it in the public interest to permit the withdrawal of this petition and close the docket. Ziply Fiber does not wish to pursue the tariffs as originally proposed; there is no need for further Commission resources to be expended until such a time Ziply Fiber files a tariff which they wish to pursue.

ORDER

THE COMMISSION ORDERS That Ziply Fiber Northwest, LLC's motion to withdraw its petition in Docket UT-250046 is granted without prejudice and closes the docket.

DATED at Lacey, Washington, and effective May 5, 2025.

WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

/s/ Bijan Hughes
BIJAN HUGHES
Administrative Law Judge

NOTICE TO PARTIES: This is a final order of the Commission. In addition to judicial review, administrative relief may be available through a petition for reconsideration, filed within 10 days of the service of this order pursuant to RCW 34.05.470 and WAC 480-07-850, or a petition for rehearing pursuant to RCW 80.04.200 or RCW 81.04.200 and WAC 480-07-870.