



COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE

D.T.C. 20-2

March 30, 2021

In the Matter of TruConnect Communications, Inc. Petition for Limited Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Massachusetts for the Limited Purpose of Offering Wireless Lifeline Service to Qualified Households.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

On June 1, 2020, TruConnect Communications, Inc. ("TruConnect") petitioned the Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department") for designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier in Massachusetts for the limited purpose of offering wireless Lifeline service to qualified households.

This proceeding is docketed as D.T.C. 20-2. The Department will investigate TruConnect's request as a formal adjudicatory proceeding pursuant to G.L. c. 30A and 207 C.M.R. 1.00 and will hold a public hearing as part of its investigation. This hearing will take place by teleconference at 2 PM on April 29, 2021. The Department will take public comment on this petition during the public hearing. Any person wishing to listen to or submit verbal comments during the public hearing must call the following number at the start of the hearing and enter the following passcode:

Telephone number: 866-844-9419
Passcode: 16823375

Any person wishing to submit verbal comments during the public hearing is asked to notify the Department prior to the hearing by contacting Shonda D. Green, Secretary of the Department, at shonda.green@mass.gov or (617) 305-3580.

The Department will also accept written comments until April 22, 2021. Written comments should be directed to Shonda D. Green, Secretary of the Department, at the following address or electronically at dtc.efiling@mass.gov:

Shonda D. Green, Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Cable
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Boston, MA 02118-6500

Any person wishing to intervene as a party in this proceeding may do so by filing a petition for leave to intervene with the Department by April 13, 2021. Said petition should be directed to Shonda D. Green, Secretary of the Department, at the above address or electronically at dtc.efiling@mass.gov. Petitions for leave to intervene must satisfy the substantive requirements of 207 C.M.R. § 1.03. The text of the petition must specify: (1) the docket number;

(2) the name of the person submitting the filing; (3) that person's title, if any; and (4) a brief descriptive title of the document (e.g., petition to intervene). The petition should also include the name, title, and telephone number of a person to contact in the event of questions about the filing.

Any requests for reasonable accommodations for people with disabilities or other questions about this hearing should be submitted to Shonda D. Green at shonda.green@mass.gov or (617) 305-3580.