



**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE**

D.T.C. 23-1

January 22, 2026

Petition of DISH Wireless, LLC for Limited Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)

**THIRD SET OF INFORMATION REQUESTS BY THE
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE
TO DISH WIRELESS, LLC**

Pursuant to 207 C.M.R. § 1.06(6)(c), the Department of Telecommunications and Cable (“Department”) submits to DISH WIRELESS, LLC the following information requests:

Instructions

The following instructions apply to this set of information requests.

1. All answers should be filed with the Department by the close of business on February 20, 2026.
2. Unless otherwise stated, each request should be answered in writing and include: the case docket number; a reference to the request number; the name of the person responsible for the answer; and a recitation of the request.
3. The term “affiliate” means a person that (directly or indirectly) owns or controls, is owned or controlled by, or is under common ownership or control with, DISH. For purposes of this definition, the term “own” means to own an equity interest (or the equivalent thereof) of more than 10 percent.
4. The term “DISH” means DISH Wireless, LLC d/b/a Gen Mobile Wireless and its corporate predecessors, agents, officers, employees, and assigns.
5. The term “Amended Petition” means DISH amended application for designation as an ETC which the Department received on December 5, 2024.
6. The term “ETC” means eligible telecommunications carrier.
7. The term “FCC” means the Federal Communications Commission.
8. The term “USF” means Universal Service Fund.

9. The term “USAC” means the Universal Service Administrative Company.
10. The term “Boost” means Boost SubscriberCo., L.L.C and its corporate predecessors, agents, officers, employees and assigns.
11. The term “document” is used in its broadest sense and includes, without limitation, writings, drawings, graphs, charts, photographs, phono-records, microfilm, microfiche, computer printouts, correspondence, press releases, handwritten and/or typed notes, records, reports, bills, checks, articles from journals and/or other sources, legal filings, e-mails, SMS text messages, blog postings, RSS feeds, web pages, social media postings such as Facebook and Twitter, and/or other data compilations from which information can be obtained and all copies of such documents that bear notations or other markings that differentiate such copies from the original.
12. The term “provide complete and detailed documentation” means: provide all data, assumptions and calculations relied upon. Provide the source of and basis for all data and assumptions employed. Include all studies, reports and planning documents from which data, estimates or assumptions were drawn and support for how the data or assumptions were used by DISH in developing the projections or estimates.
13. Requests shall be deemed continuing so as to require further supplemental responses if DISH and/or its witnesses receive or generate additional information within the scope of these requests between the time of the original response and the close of the record in this proceeding.
14. If any of these requests are ambiguous, notify the Hearing Officer so that the request may be clarified prior to the preparation of a written response.

Requests

- D.T.C. 3-1 Elaborate on how DISH will continue to control its own core network facilities given the assignment of certain DISH assets to Boost with a detailed explanation of how it controls:
- A. Hardware, including any cellular antenna assets; and,
 - B. Software components.
- D.T.C. 3-2 Elaborate on any changes, with respect to the customer experience, that will result from the assignments of certain DISH assets to Boost.
- D.T.C. 3-3 Identify any electromagnetic spectrum assets in Massachusetts Boost or its affiliated companies own and intend to use for Lifeline customers.
- D.T.C. 3-4 Elaborate on any changes, with respect to how the company handles wireless traffic, that will result from the assignments of certain DISH assets to Boost.
- D.T.C. 3-5 Elaborate on any plans to introduce new offers as mentioned on page two of the Amendment to the Petition.
- D.T.C. 3-6 Identify any other changes that Lifeline customers will experience as a result of the assignment of certain DISH assets to Boost.