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September 17, 2012

VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL

Catrice C. Williams
Secretary
Department of Telecommunications and Cable
1000 Washington Street
8th Floor, Suite 820
Boston, Massachusetts 02118-6500

Re: D.T.C. 11-12 – Petition of Budget PrePay, Inc. for Limited Designation as a Lifeline-Only Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

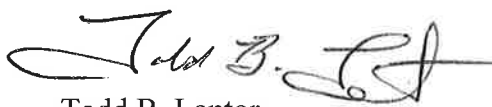
Dear Ms. Williams:

Attached please find the following materials which demonstrate proper publication and service of the Notice of Public Hearing:

- Attachment A – Copy of the Certified Tear Sheet from The Boston Globe as proof of publication of the Notice on August 25, 2012; and
- Attachment B – Copy of Tear Sheet from The Republican as proof of publication of the Notice on August 29, 2012.

Please contact me with any questions regarding this matter.

Sincerely,


Todd B. Lantor

Enclosures

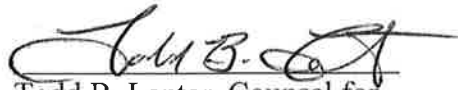
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**Before the
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE**

In the Matter of	)	
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Budget PrePay, Inc.	)	Docket No. 11-12
	)	
Petition for Limited Designation as a	)	
Lifeline-Only Eligible Telecommunications	)	
Carrier	)	

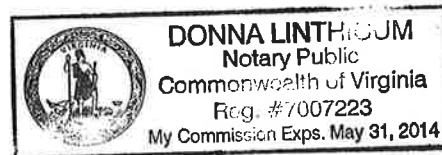
RETURN OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that publication and service of the Notice of Public Hearing has been made and given as therein directed.


Todd B. Lantor, Counsel for
Budget PrePay, Inc.

Subscribed and sworn to be me this 17th day of September, 2012.

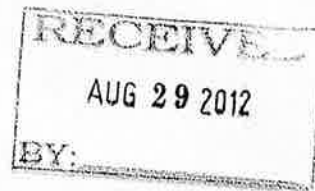

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ATTACHMENT A

Copy of Certified Tear Sheet from The Boston Globe
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D.T.C. 11-12 August 21, 2012
Petition of Budget PrePay, Inc. for Limited Designation as a
Lifetime-Only Eligible Telecommunications Carrier

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

On June 15, 2012, Budget PrePay, Inc. ("Budget") filed a petition for limited designation as an eligible telecommunications carrier ("ETC") pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 210(a)(2) and 47 C.F.R. §§ 54.101 et seq. with the Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department"). Budget seeks ETC designation throughout Massachusetts for the limited purpose of receiving federal support for the provision of prepaid wireless lifeline service to eligible low-income Massachusetts residents. Budget's petition may be viewed at the Department's office Monday through Friday, excluding holidays, from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.

This proceeding has been docketed as D.T.C. 11-12 and is a formal adjudicatory proceeding conducted under G.L.c. 30A and 22B G.M.R. § 1.03 et seq. of the Standard Adjudicatory Rules of Practice and Procedure.

The Department will hold a public hearing to receive comments regarding the petition filed by Budget. The evidentiary hearing will follow immediately thereafter. The public and evidentiary hearings will take place at:

10:00 a.m.
September 25, 2012
Department of Telecommunications and Cable
1000 Washington Street
Hearing Room 3-F
Boston, MA 02118

Any person who desires to file written comments or to participate in this proceeding must file their comments or a written petition for leave to intervene or to participate with:

Catrice C. Williams, Secretary
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1000 Washington Street, Suite 820
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catrice.williams@state.ma.us

Petitions for leave to intervene or to participate must be filed by 5:00 p.m. on September 18, 2012. All petitions or written comments should also be submitted to the Department in electronic format by e-mail attachment to the filereg@state.ma.us. Any such filings must be served on counsel for all parties. The current service list is available from the Department. All filings must specify: (1) an easily identifiable case caption; (2) the docket number; (3) the petitioner if applicable; (4) the name of the person submitting the filing; (5) that person's title, if any; and (6) a brief descriptive title of the document (e.g., petition to intervene or participate). All petitions must satisfy the substantive requirements of 22B G.M.R. § 1.03, and should also include the name, title, and telephone number of a person to contact in the event of questions about the filing.

Any questions regarding this proceeding should be directed to Catrice C. Williams at catrice.williams@state.ma.us or at 617-305-3580.

ATTACHMENT B

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