Before the Federal Communications Commission Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of)
Request for Review of the Decision of the Universal Service Administrator by)
Anderson County School District Clinton, Tennessee) File No. SLD-329179
Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service) CC Docket No. 96-45
Changes to the Board of Directors of the National Exchange Carrier Association, Inc.) CC Docket No. 97-21

ORDER

Adopted: July 11, 2003 Released: July 14, 2003

By the Telecommunications Access Policy Division, Wireline Competition Bureau:

1. E-Rate Consulting, on behalf of, Anderson County School District (Anderson County), Clinton, Tennessee, seeks review of an April 10, 2003 decision by the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Service Administrative Company (Administrator). For a review of decisions by SLD issued on or after August 13, 2001, appeals to the Commission must be filed within 60 days of the issuance of the SLD decision date. Here, Anderson County filed its appeal on June 10, 2003, after the 60-day period, in contravention of our rules. We therefore dismiss the appeal.

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¹ Letter from Georgia Morrow, E-Rate Consulting, to Federal Communications Commission, filed June 10, 2003 (Request for Review); Letter from the School and Libraries Division, Universal Service Administrative Company, to Johanna Whitley, Anderson County School District, dated April 10, 2003; 47 C.F.R. § 54.719(c).

² 47 C.F.R. § 54.720(b). See Implementation of Interim Filing Procedures for Filings of Requests for Review, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45, Order, 17 FCC Rcd 339 (rel. Dec. 26, 2001), as corrected by Implementation of Interim Filing Procedures for Filings of Requests for Review, Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Service, CC Docket No. 96-45, Errata (Com. Car. Bur. rel. Dec. 28, 2001 and Jan. 4, 2002).

2. ACCORDINGLY, IT IS ORDERED, pursuant to authority delegated under sections 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a) of the Commission's rules, 47 C.F.R. §§ 0.91, 0.291, and 54.722(a), that the Request for Review filed on June 10, 2003, by Anderson County School District, Clinton, Tennessee, IS DISMISSED.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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