

libraries universal service support mechanism and described the basis for initiating debarment proceedings against you, the applicable debarment procedures, and the effect of debarment.⁴

As described in the Notice of Suspension, you were suspended from participating in activities associated with or relating to the schools and libraries universal service support mechanism as a result of your conviction for conspiring with others to defraud and obtain money from the E-Rate Program by controlling the application, bidding, and implementation process of the E-Rate program for schools located in four states.⁵ As further described in the Notice of Suspension, you conspired with owners of Global Network Technologies, Inc. ("GNT") to offer and deliver \$28,500 in bribes to school officials in exchange for steering E-Rate contract work to GNT.⁶ In furtherance of your scheme, you accepted fraudulent billing invoices from a school employee for services never provided by that employee,⁷ and concealed material facts concerning the source of your payments to school officials.⁸ For your role in the fraudulent scheme, you were sentenced to serve one year and one day in federal prison, followed by two years of supervised release for conspiring to defraud the E-Rate program.⁹ The court also ordered you to pay a \$4,000 criminal fine.¹⁰ Pursuant to Section 54.8(c) of the Commission's rules, your conviction of criminal conduct in connection with the E-Rate program serves as a basis for your debarment.¹¹

In accordance with the Commission's debarment rules, you were required to file with the Commission any opposition to your suspension or its scope, or to your proposed debarment or its scope, no later than thirty (30) calendar days from either the date of your receipt of the Notice of Suspension or of publication of the Notice of Suspension in the **Federal Register**,

whichever is earlier in time.¹² The Commission did not receive any such opposition.

For the foregoing reasons, you are debarred for three years from the Debarment Date.¹³ During this debarment period, you are excluded from participating in any activities associated with or related to the E-Rate program, including the receipt of funds or discounted services through the schools and libraries support mechanism, or consulting with, assisting, or advising applicants or service providers regarding the schools and libraries support mechanism.¹⁴

Sincerely,
Theresa Z. Cavanaugh
Acting Chief
Investigations and Hearings Division
Enforcement Bureau
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FEDERAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS EXAMINATION COUNCIL

[Docket No. AS11-32]

Appraisal Subcommittee Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Appraisal Subcommittee of the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

Description: In accordance with Section 1104 (b) of Title XI of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Appraisal Subcommittee (ASC) will meet in closed session:

Location: OCC—250 E Street SW., Room 7C/7CA, Washington, DC 20219.

Date: December 14, 2011.

Time: Immediately following the ASC open session.

Status: Closed.

¹² 47 CFR 54.8(e)(3), (4). Any opposition had to be filed no later than August 30, 2011.

¹³ 47 CFR 54.8(e)(5), (g). See also Notice of Suspension, 26 FCC Rcd at 10527.

¹⁴ 47 CFR 54.8(a)(1), (5), (d). See also Notice of Suspension, 26 FCC Rcd at 10527.

Matters To Be Considered

November 9, 2011 minutes—Closed Session.

Preliminary discussion of State Compliance Reviews.

Dated: December 2, 2011.

James R. Park,

Executive Director.

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FEDERAL FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS EXAMINATION COUNCIL

[Docket No. AS11-31]

Appraisal Subcommittee Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Appraisal Subcommittee of the Federal Financial Institutions Examination Council.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting.

Description: In accordance with Section 1104 (b) of Title XI of the Financial Institutions Reform, Recovery, and Enforcement Act of 1989, as amended, notice is hereby given that the Appraisal Subcommittee (ASC) will meet in open session for its regular meeting:

Location: OCC—250 E Street SW., Room 7C/7CA, Washington, DC 20219.

Date: December 14, 2011.

Time: 10:30 a.m.

Status: Open.

Matters To Be Considered

Summary Agenda

November 9, 2011 minutes—Open Session.

(No substantive discussion of the above items is anticipated. These matters will be resolved with a single vote unless a member of the ASC requests that an item be moved to the discussion agenda.)

Discussion Agenda

Appraisal Foundation 2012 Grant Proposal.

Appraisal Foundation July 2011 Grant Reimbursement Request.

Appraisal Foundation August 2011 Grant Reimbursement Request.

Iowa Compliance Review.

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⁴ Notice of Suspension, 26 FCC Rcd at 10527.

⁵ *United States v. Tyrone D. Pipkin*, Criminal Docket No. 11-15 "A", Plea Agreement (entered Mar. 29, 2011) ("Plea Agreement"). The conspiracy scheme involved schools in Arkansas, Florida, Illinois and Louisiana.

⁶ Notice of Suspension, 26 FCC Rcd at 10527.

⁷ *Id.*

⁸ *Id.*

⁹ Notice of Suspension, 26 FCC Rcd at 10527. See also *United States v. Barrett C. White*, Criminal Case No. 10-324-L, Factual Basis at 2 (E.D.La. filed Mar. 3, 2011).

¹⁰ *United States v. Barrett C. White*, Criminal Docket No. 10-324-L, Judgment at 5 (E.D.La. filed June 9, 2011).

¹¹ 47 CFR 54.8(c).