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Universal Service Obligation

**Application for funding from the
Universal Service Provider for the period
2014/2015**

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1. On 31 March 2016, ComReg received an application from Eircom Limited for funding for the provision of the universal service for the period 2014/2015.
2. ComReg now wishes to confirm that Eircom Limited has claimed a net cost of €14.67m), (direct net cost of €15.53m less intangible benefits of €0.86m), for its provision of the universal service for the period 2014/2015, which it is seeking to receive funding for.
3. In due course, ComReg will begin the process of assessing Eircom Limited's application for universal service funding in accordance with Decision D04/11.¹
4. Accordingly, ComReg will verify if there is a net cost, determine whether or not any such net cost constitutes an unfair burden on Eircom Limited, and decide whether or not to establish a universal service fund.

¹ <http://www.comreg.ie/fileupload/publications/ComReg1142.pdf>