

September 6, 2017

Mr. Steven V. King
Executive Director and Secretary
Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission
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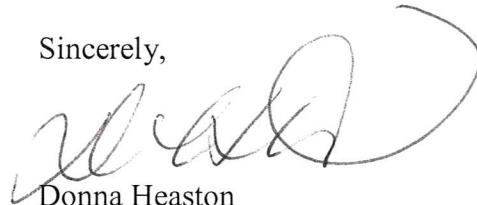
VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Re: Notice of Cessation of Telecommunications Service

Dear Mr. King:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission is a Notice of Cessation of Telecommunications Service pursuant to WAC 480-120-083, submitted via electronic filing by Integra Telecom of Washington, Inc. (UBI 602015663) (“Integra”). Please contact me with any questions you may have about this filing.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'D. Heaston', written over a large, light-colored circular scribble.

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Enclosures
cc: Service List

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON UTILITIES AND
TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

In the Matter of

INTEGRA TELECOM OF WASHINGTON,
INC. AND ITS WASHINGTON
AFFILIATES' NOTICE OF CESSATION OF
SERVICE PURSUANT TO
WAC 480-120-083

Docket No.: UT-_____

**NOTICE OF CESSATION OF
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE**

- 1 Pursuant to WAC 480-120-083, Integra Telecom of Washington, Inc. and its Washington affiliates¹ (together, "Integra") hereby provide notice of the cessation of a telecommunications service.

- 2 The reason for Integra's cessation of the service: Integra received notice from its underlying carrier that it is retiring its SONET and TDM based services in this area by the end of the year.

- 3 The following sets forth the information regarding notifications required by WAC 480-120-083.
 - a. Subsection (2)(a) of the rule requires notification to the Commission at least 30 days in advance. The service is scheduled to be discontinued on November 1, 2017.
 - b. Subsection (2)(b) requires notice to the state 911 program. The required 30-day notice to the state 911 program is being accomplished by copy of this filing.
 - c. Subsection (2)(c) requires notice to customers at least 30 days in advance. The Company began reaching out to impacted customers in May, 2017. At this time, Integra has 9 remaining Washington customers that have not made arrangements to

¹ Electric Lightwave, LLC, Eschelon Telecom of Washington, Inc., Advanced TelCom, Inc., Shared Communications Services, Inc., United Communications, Inc. d/b/a UNICOM, Oregon Telecom, Inc. d/b/a Washington Telecom, and World Communications, Inc. (WCI).

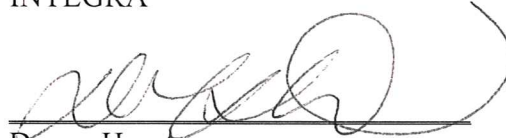
migrate to another Integra service, or to another provider; these customers have been contacted by telephone on multiple occasions, and written notice was mailed on August 31, 2017.

- d. Subsections (2)(d) and (e) apply if the exiting carrier is supplied by other carriers and does not apply in this case.
- e. Subsection (2)(f) requires notice to the numbering administrator if numbers are to be returned. The number of impacted telephone numbers (TNs) associated with Integra's provision of this service is small (i.e., 1,252 TNs) and not in the quantity typically involved with the return of numbering resources. Additionally, the customers are businesses and will likely want to retain the telephone numbers. Therefore, Integra does not believe a notice is required.
- f. Subsection (3) requires the Commission notice to contain certain information. This notice contains the information required under Subsection (3) of the rule. The number of customers for each telecommunications service and their location, described by exchange or by city and county for each telecommunications service being ceased is as follows: 9 customers with 28 circuits, located in Tacoma, WA and Fife, WA.
- g. Subsection (4) requires the customer and Commission notice to contain certain information. A copy of the written customer notice is attached; the notice contains the information required under Subsection (4) of the rule.
- h. Subsections (5) and (6) do not apply to Integra's cessation of this service.
- i. As discussed in e., above, Integra believes that Subsection (7) requirements for the notice to the numbering administrator do not apply.

- j. Subsection (8) does not apply to Integra's cessation of these voice and data services.
- k. Subsection (9) requires that a telecommunications company ceasing a local exchange service used in the provision of emergency services related to the state 911 program inform the commission and the state 911 program within 24-hours of the cessation of telecommunications service of the number of customers and their location, listed by exchange or by city and county, that remained as customers for the telecommunications service when service ceased. Within 24-hours of the cessation of the customers' voice and/or data services, on November 1, 2017, Integra will inform the commission and the state 911 program, if applicable.

Respectfully submitted this 6th day of September, 2017.

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August 31, 2017

CUSTOMER
ADDRESS
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IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING YOUR VOICE AND/OR DATA SERVICE

Dear [CUSTOMER]:

Electric Lightwave has reached out to you multiple times to notify you of important information about your voice and/or data service. This notice is to again inform you that our underlying provider is retiring services in your area. As a result of this change, your voice and/or data service with Electric Lightwave will be discontinued.

On November 1, 2017 your voice and/or data service will be discontinued and will no longer be available. Please take action now to avoid any interruption in service.

The following services will be disconnected on November 1, 2017:

[ACCOUNT NUMBER] – [Service]
[ACCOUNT NUMBER] – [Service]
[ACCOUNT NUMBER] – [Service]

You will need to transition these services to another provider. If applicable, Electric Lightwave will apply a prorated, one-time credit to your account for the number of days for which you have paid for the above-listed services beyond the date of discontinuance.

We understand how important the services are to your business. Please contact me if you have questions or need assistance transitioning your services to another provider.

Respectfully,

John Mizera

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE


I certify that I have caused to be served copies of Integra's Notice of Cessation of Telecommunications Service by email and overnight mail on the following parties:

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Dated this 6th day of September, 2017.



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