

**BEFORE THE WASHINGTON STATE  
UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION**

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| In re Penalty Assessment No.       | ) | DOCKET UT-060977               |
| UT-060977                          | ) |                                |
|                                    | ) | ORDER 01                       |
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| VarTec Telecom, Inc. d/b/a VarTec  | ) |                                |
| Telecom and Clear Choice           | ) | ORDER RESCINDING \$100 PENALTY |
| Communications & Telephone Express | ) |                                |
| .....                              | ) |                                |

1 On July 5, 2006, the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission) issued a penalty assessment against VarTec Telecom, Inc. d/b/a VarTec Telecom and Clear Choice Communications & Telephone Express (VarTec Telecom) in the amount of \$100 for a violation of Washington Administrative Code 480-120-382, which requires competitive telecommunications companies to file annual reports with the Commission by May 1 each year. In the penalty assessment order, the Commission alleged VarTec Telecom failed to file its 2005 annual report by the May 1 deadline. That is incorrect.


2 VarTec Telcom's annual report, received on May 1, 2006, was erroneously entered into the Commission's Annual Report Tracking System under another company's name. The record has been corrected.

**ORDER**

3 The Commission rescinds the \$100 penalty issued in the original order in this docket. Staff will revise its records to show there is no amount due from VarTec Telecom, Inc. d/b/a VarTec Telecom and Clear Choice Communications & Telephone Express

DATED at Olympia, Washington and effective July 14, 2006.

WASHINGTON STATE UTILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

  
DENNIS J. MOSS  
Administrative Law Judge