July 20, 2004

NOTICE OF IMPENDING REVOCATION OF REGISTRATION AS A TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANY AND OPPORTUNITY TO REQUEST A HEARING

Re: Revocation of Telecommunications Registrations for Failure to File Annual Reports and Pay Regulatory Fees; Docket No. UT-041188

TO ALL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COMPANIES LISTED IN ATTACHMENT A:

Staff of the Washington Utilities and Transportation Commission (Commission Staff) recently conducted its yearly review of annual reports and regulatory fees for telecommunications companies registered in the state of Washington. As a result, Commission Staff identified the telecommunications companies listed in Attachment A as not complying with regulatory requirements. The companies listed in Attachment A, failed to file annual reports for 2003 and failed to pay regulatory fees for 2004. In one case, a company failed to file annual reports for 2002 and 2003, and failed to pay regulatory fees for 2003 and 2004. This notice is being served to all companies listed in Attachment A and their registered agents, if named, at their last known addresses on file with the Commission.

WAC 480-121-060 provides that the Commission may revoke a company's registration for good cause after notice and opportunity for a hearing. Good cause includes failure to file an annual report or pay regulatory fees. *WAC 480-121-060(a), (b).* In addition, the Commission may impose a penalty not to exceed \$100 for each violation of statute, rule, or order under RCW 80.04.405. Each violation is a separate and distinct offense, and each day of a continuing violation will be deemed a separate and distinct violation. The Commission does not waive its authority to impose a penalty consistent with RCW 80.04.405 upon the companies listed in Attachment A, but it is not now seeking penalties.

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If any company listed in Attachment A wishes to avoid revocation of its registration, the company must, within 30 days after service of this notice, take one of two actions. Companies choosing the first option may obtain regulatory compliance by submitting the delinquent annual reports and paying the delinquent regulatory fees. Annual report forms are available on the Commission's Internet web site – http://www.wutc.wa.gov. Annual report forms are also available by contacting the Commission by email at annualreports@wutc.wa.gov or telephone at (360) 664-1201.

Companies choosing the second option may request a hearing to demonstrate why the company's registration should not be revoked. All requests for hearing must comply with the Commission's procedural rules, chapter 480-07 WAC, which are available at the Commission's Internet web site – http://www.wutc.wa.gov.

Failure to respond within 30 days of this notice will result in the Commission entering an order revoking the company's registration without further notice. Unregistered companies are prohibited from providing telecommunications services in the state of Washington.

Sincerely,

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Attachment