

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)
)
DIRECT TELEPHONE COMPANY INC. and)
INTEGRATED COMMUNICATIONS, LLC)
)
For Exemptions or Waivers, and/or)
For Alternative Approvals Regarding)
§ 269-7.5 and § 269-19, Hawaii)
Revised Statutes.)
_____)

DOCKET NO. 04-0259

ORDER NO. 22936

Filed Oct. 13, 2006
At 2 o'clock P.M.

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Chief Clerk of the Commission

DIV. OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY
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CONSUMER AFFAIRS
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By this Order, the commission approves the withdrawal of the joint application filed by DIRECT TELEPHONE COMPANY INC. ("Direct Telephone") and INTEGRATED COMMUNICATIONS, LLC ("Integrated") (collectively, "Applicants") regarding the proposed restructuring and transfer of Direct Telephone's shared tenant service assets and operations to Integrated.

I.

Withdrawal Request

On August 16, 2004, Applicants filed their joint application requesting commission waivers or exemptions to permit the restructuring and transfer of Direct Telephone's shared tenant service operations and businesses to Integrated as described in their application ("Proposed Transaction"), and, in the alternative, if all necessary waivers or exemptions cannot be

granted, commission approval of the Proposed Transaction ("Application").¹

On September 13, 2006, Applicants filed their withdrawal of the Application. Applicants state that due to the passage of time² and certain new developments: (1) they no longer desire to pursue the transaction which is the basis of the Application; and (2) that they have terminated the Proposed Transaction.

Upon review, the commission finds good cause to approve Applicants' withdrawal of the Application. Withdrawal of the Application is appropriate in this case since Applicants no longer wish to pursue the Proposed Transaction and have terminated it. Accordingly, the commission concludes that Applicants' withdrawal of the Application should be approved and that this docket should be closed.

II.

Orders

1. Applicants' September 13, 2006 withdrawal of their Application is approved.

¹Applicants served copies of the Application on the DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS, DIVISION OF CONSUMER ADVOCACY, an ex officio party to all proceedings before the commission pursuant to Hawaii Revised Statutes § 269-51 and Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-61-62. No persons moved to intervene or participate in this docket.

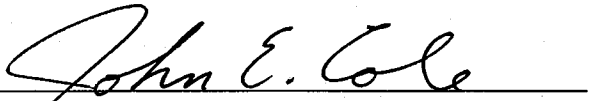
²The commission notes that Applicants' attorney of record had informed commission staff during several telephone conversations in the months prior to the withdrawal request that Applicants intended to file a request to withdraw their Application. Applicants, however, did not file their withdrawal request until September 13, 2006.

2. This docket is closed, unless ordered otherwise by the commission.

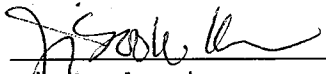
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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
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By 
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

By 
John E. Cole, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


Ji Sook Kim
Commission Counsel

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 22936 upon the following parties, by causing a copy hereof to be mailed, postage prepaid, and properly addressed to each such party.

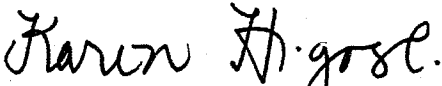
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