BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Request of)

STAR TELECOM NETWORK, INC.

To Voluntarily Surrender its Certificate of Authority.

DOCKET NO. 98-0075

<u>ORDER NO. 19674</u>

Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy KAREN HIGASHI

Chief Clerk, Public Utilities Commission, State of Hawaii.

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ORDER

I.

By Decision and Order No. 16271, filed on April 3, 1998, the commission granted STAR TELECOM NETWORK, INC. (Petitioner) a certificate of authority (COA) to operate as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services.

By letter dated June 25, 2002, filed on August 5, 2002, Petitioner requests commission approval to voluntarily surrender its COA. Petitioner states that by the end of 2001, it "no longer sold prepaid calling cards in which it was the service provider to its distributor in Hawaii." By letter dated September 20, 2002, filed on September 23, 2002, Petitioner responded to the commission's directive by submitting its applicable public utility fees. In this letter, Petitioner reiterates that, as of December 31, 2001, it "no longer provided telecommunications services in the State of Hawaii[.]"

Upon review, the commission will approve the proposed surrender of Petitioner's authority. In addition, given Petitioner's status as a seller of prepaid calling cards, the

commission will, under the circumstances, waive the customer notification requirement set forth in Hawaii Administrative Rules \S 6-80-123.

II.

THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

- 1. Petitioner's request to surrender its COA to operate as a reseller of intrastate telecommunications services is granted, effective from the date of this order.
 - 2. This docket is closed.

DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 26th day of September, 2002.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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Wayne H. Kimura, Chairman

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Janet/E. Kawelo, Commissioner

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Gregg J. Kinkley, Commissioner

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael Azama

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. 19674 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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DATED: September 26, 2002