### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

### OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

In the Matter of the Application of)

ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC

DOCKET NO. 01-0235

To Voluntarily Surrender its Certificate of Authority.

# <u>ORDER NO. 19768</u>

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#### <u>ORDER</u>

I.

By Decision and Order No. 18856, filed on August 28, 2001, the commission granted ONESTAR COMMUNICATIONS, LLC (Petitioner) a certificate of authority (COA) to operate as a facilities-based carrier and reseller of intrastate telecommunications services.

By application dated June 19, 2002, filed on June 20, 2002, Petitioner requests commission approval of several matters, including the voluntary surrender of its COA. Petitioner explains that because the transfer of assets and control from OneStar Long Distance, Inc. to Petitioner will not occur, the COA issued to Petitioner is no longer necessary.<sup>1</sup> By letter dated July 15, 2002, the commission instructed Petitioner to notify its affected customers in writing of its intent to discontinue service.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>In Docket No. 01-0239, the commission approved this transaction. <u>See</u> Decision and Order No. 19010, filed on November 14, 2001.

Thereafter, by letter dated October 15, 2002, filed on October 18, 2002, Petitioner states that it "is currently not operating, nor does it have an existing customer base within the State of Hawaii." Thus, customer notification is not necessary. Accordingly, Petitioner reiterates its request to surrender its COA.<sup>2</sup>

Upon review, the commission will approve the proposed surrender of Petitioner's authority. In addition, under the circumstances, the commission will waive the customer notification requirement set forth in Hawaii Administrative Rules § 6-80-123.

#### II.

## THE COMMISSION ORDERS:

1. Petitioner's request to surrender its COA to operate as a facilities-based carrier and reseller of intrastate telecommunications services is granted, effective from the date of this order.

2. This docket is closed.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Subsequently, on November 6, 2002, Petitioner paid its initial fee, in compliance with Decision and Order No. 18856.

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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

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Chairman Wā me Kimura,

By

Janet E. Kawelo, Commissioner

By (RECUSED) 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. 19768 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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