BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

--------- In the Matter of ---------

PACIFIC LIGHTNET, INC.

Petition for Arbitration Pursuant
To 47 U.S.C. § 252(b) of
Interconnection Rates, Terms, and
Conditions with Verizon Hawaii Inc.)

DOCKET NO. 03-0197

ORDER NO. 20731

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Karen Higashı
Chief Clerk of the Commission

ATTEST: A True Copy
KAREN HIGASHI
Chief Clerk, Public Utilities
Commission, State of Hawaii.

[Signature]
ORDER

I. Introduction

On December 8 and 9, 2003, the commission held a hearing to take evidence relating to this docket, PACIFIC LIGHTNET, INC.’S (“PLNI”) petition for arbitration for arbitration pursuant to 47 U.S.C. § 252(b) of interconnection rates, terms, conditions with VERIZON HAWAII INC. (“Verizon Hawaii”) (PLNI and Verizon Hawaii are collectively referred to as the “Parties”). This order memorializes the agreement of the Parties, as approved by the commission, relating to the deadlines for the filing of the Parties’ respective post-hearing briefs.1

The Parties agreed to provide simultaneous opening post-hearing briefs two weeks after the transcripts from the hearing were available to the Parties, and simultaneous reply

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1The Parties established a schedule of proceedings in their stipulated prehearing order, which was approved by the commission as Prehearing Order No. 20477, filed on October 2, 2003. See also, Transcript of Proceedings at 157-158.
post-hearing briefs two weeks after the filing of the opening post-hearing briefs are filed. The commission received the Transcript of Proceedings from the commission-retained reporter on December 29, 2003. As a result, the Parties must file their respective opening post-hearing briefs not later than January 12, 2004, and their respective reply post-hearing briefs not later than January 26, 2004.

II.

Order


DONE at Honolulu, Hawaii this 6th day of January, 2004.

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF HAWAII

By ________
Carlito P. Caliboso, Chairman

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

By ________
Wayne H. Kimura, Commissioner

By ________
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this date served a copy of the foregoing Order No. 20731 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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