

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

Public Utilities Commission

Minutes of Open Meeting Held April 6, 2006

Attendees: Chairman Elia Germani, Commissioner Robert Holbrook, Commissioner Mary Bray, Steve Frias, Cindy Wilson-Frias, Alan Nault, Douglas Hartley and Donna Conway.

Chairman Germani called the open meeting to order at 2:00 P.M. in the first-floor hearing room of the Public Utilities Commission.

Minutes of Open Meetings held on March 16, 2006 - After review, Chairman Germani moved to approve the minutes. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Holbrook and unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

Competitive Telecommunications Service Providers

The following companies filed an application for authority to operate in RI. The Division has reviewed the applications and recommends approval of:

3735 – YMax Communications Corp.

3733 – Telrite Corporation

After review, Chairman Germani entertained a motion to approve the applications.

Commissioner Bray moved to approve the applications. Commissioner Holbrook seconded the motion and unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

The following companies submitted tariff revisions. The Division has reviewed the tariff filings and did not recommend suspension of:

2472 – Sprint Communications (tariff filings 3/7 & 3/23/06)

2426 – TCG Rhode Island (tariff filing 3/9/06)

2618 – AT&T Communications (tariff filing 3/9/06)

2535 – Cox Rhode Island Telcom (tariff filings 3/3, 3/6 & 3/7/06)

3647 – XO Communications Services, Inc. (tariff filing 3/20/06)

3691 – Navigator Telecommunications, LLC (tariff filings 3/14 & 3/24/06)

3028 – Qwest Communications Corp. (tariff filing 3/16/06)

3059 – Broadview Networks, Inc. (tariff filing 3/17/06)

2262(F16) – Bell Atlantic d/b/a Verizon Long Distance (tariff filing 3/16/06)

2262(G16) – NYNEX Long Distance d/b/a Verizon Enterprise Solutions (tariff filing 3/16/06)

After review, the Commission followed the Division's recommendation that the tariff filings be allowed to go into effect without suspension.

The following company filed a request to cancel its authority to operate in RI. The Division has reviewed the request and recommends that the authority of the company be rescinded:

3604 – KMC Telecom V, Inc.

After review, Chairman Germani entertained a motion to rescind the authority of KMC Telecom V, Inc. Commissioner Holbrook seconded the motion and unanimously passed.

Vote 3-0.

3588 – Verizon Rhode Island – It was noted that the arbitrated Interconnection Agreement (ICA) Amendment between Verizon RI and Cox RI Telcom is in compliance with Order Nos. 18522 and 18416 and Chairman Germani moved to approve the ICA Amendment as filed. Commissioner Holbrook seconded the motion and the motion was unanimously passed. **Vote 3-0.**

The open meeting adjourned at 2:05 P.M.