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In the Matter of Bear Lake Communications, Inc. Filing to Revise its Emergency Line Service Tariff Provision	: Docket No. 13-2201-T01 :
In the Matter of Central Utah Telephone, Inc. Filing to Revise its Emergency Line Service Tariff Provision	Docket No. 13-040-T01
In the Matter of Skyline Telecom Filing to Revise its Emergency Line Service Tariff Provision	Docket No. 13-576-T01
	MOTION FOR CLARIFICATION OF COMMISSION ORDERS DATED MAY 30, 2013 AND JUNE 14, 2013

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH

Bear Lake Communications, Inc. ("Bear Lake"), Central Utah Telephone, Inc. ("Central Utah Telephone"), and Skyline Telecom ("Skyline") (collectively "Petitioners") hereby request clarification of the Orders from the Public Service Commission ("Commission") dated May 30, 2013 and June 14, 2013.

Background

On April 29, 2013, Petitioners each filed separate requests to revise their respective "emergency line service" tariff provisions. On May 15, 2013, the Division of Public Utilities (the "Division") filed its review and recommendation with the Commission, recommending approval of the proposed tariff changes. On May 30, 2013, the Commission issued an order suspending the proposed modifications to Petitioners' emergency line service tariffs, and noticed the matter for hearing on June 25, 2013. The Commission noted that further discussion is needed regarding the Companies' request to discontinue emergency line service "at its sole discretion."

In response to the Commission's May 30, 2013 Order, Petitioners filed revised tariff sheets on May 31, 2013 deleting the language related to discontinuing emergency line service "at its sole discretion." On June 14, 2013, the Division recommended that the Commission approve the Petitioners' revised tariff sheets, retroactive to June 1, 2013. On June 14, 2013 the Commission issued an Order noting that "we have reviewed the Companies' proposed changes to the emergency line service, the Division's recommendation, and we note that further evaluation is needed." The Commission declined to cancel the previously scheduled hearing, and indicated that the hearing scheduled for June 25, 2013 at 1:30 p.m. would proceed. On June 19, 2013, Petitioners filed a Motion for Continuance, and requested that the hearing be rescheduled for after August 23, 2013. On July 1, 2013, the Commission issued an Order granting the Petitioners' Motion for Continuance. The Commission rescheduled the hearing for August 29, 2013 at 9:00 a.m., and ordered that "all parties must have their witnesses in attendance and prepared to testify."

Motion for Clarification

In order for Petitioners to ensure that the appropriate witnesses are in attendance and are prepared to testify at the hearing on August 29, 2013, Petitioners respectfully request clarification from the Commission on: 1) The specific concerns the Commission has with the proposed tariff modifications; and, 2) The specific issues the Commission would like Petitioners' witnesses to address at the hearing to assist the Commission in resolving its concerns with the proposed tariff modifications. Such clarification from the Commission will enable the Petitioners to select the appropriate witnesses, and be well prepared to address the Commission's specific issues and concerns at the hearing. Additionally, if the Commission believes that discovery or responses to data requests would assist the Commission, and potentially obviate the need for the hearing, or at least focus the issues for hearing, Petitioners would be more than willing to engage in such discovery and/or data requests.

Conclusion

Based on the foregoing, Petitioners respectfully request that the Commission provide clarification on its Orders dated May 30, 2013 and June 14, 2013, and specifically identify the issues upon which Petitioners' witnesses should be prepared to testify to assist the Commission in resolving its concerns. Additionally, Petitioners respectfully request this clarification as soon as possible to enable its witness selection and preparation well in advance of the hearing.

DATED this 29th day of July, 2013.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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