## - BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF UTAH -

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In the Matter of the Notice of ) Termination of Service of Rhythms ) Links, Inc. )

### DOCKET NO. 01-2282-01

**CANCELLATION OF CERTIFICATE** 

ISSUED: December 24, 2001

# **SYNOPSIS**

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Applicant having sought voluntary certificate cancellation, and no detriment to the public interest appearing, the Commission canceled the certificate.

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By The Commission:

## PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On November 30, 2001, RHYTHMS LINK, INC. (Petitioner), petitioned the Commission for voluntary cancellation of its Certificate of Convenience and Necessity, No. 2282, granted August 26, 1999. Due to financial difficulties, Rhythms and its parent company, Rhythms NetConnections Inc., voluntarily filed for reorganization under Chapter 11 of the United States Bankruptcy Code in the Southern District of New York on August 1, 2001. On November 19, 2001, the Commission authorized the company to terminate customer service in Utah. As Petitioner does not currently provide telecommunications service to any customers within the state, no detriment to the public interest appears and the Commission hereby issues the following

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

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that:

- The Certificate of Convenience and Necessity, No. 2282, issued August 26, 1999, to RHYTHMS LINKS, INC., be, and it is, canceled and annulled effective the date of this Order.
- Any person aggrieved by this Order may petition the Commission for review within 20 days of the date of this Order. Failure so to do will forfeit the right to appeal to the Utah Supreme Court.

DATED at Salt Lake City, Utah, this 24th day of December, 2001.

/s/ Stephen F. Mecham, Chairman

/s/ Constance B. White, Commissioner

/s/ Richard M. Campbell, Commissioner

Attest:

<u>/s/ Julie Orchard</u> Commission Secretary

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