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# PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION OF OREGON STAFF REPORT PUBLIC MEETING DATE: February 7, 2017

REGULAR	CONSENT X EFFECTIVE DATE N/A	
DATE:	January 27, 2017	
TO:	Public Utility Commission	
FROM:	Kathy Shepherd	
THROUGH:	Jason Eisdorfer, Bryan Conway, and Kay Marinos	
SUBJECT:	OREGON PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION STAFF: Request to ca certificates of authority to provide telecommunications service in O of carriers who violated the terms and conditions of their certificate	regon

#### STAFF RECOMMENDATION:

Staff recommends the certificates of authority to provide telecommunications services for the competitive providers listed below be canceled.

### **DISCUSSION:**

ORS 759.020 authorizes the Commission to grant certificates of authority to competitive providers who intend to provide telecommunications service in Oregon. The Commission grants certificates with conditions. Among them is ORS 759.425, which requires providers to comply with Oregon Universal Service Fund (OUSF) requirements. Pursuant to OAR 860-032-0015(1)(b), failure to comply with applicable statutes and rules can result in cancellation of a company's authority to provide telecommunications. service in Oregon.

The competitive providers listed below have failed to comply with OUSF requirements for 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter 2016 by failing to file the required statements and pay the associated fees. ORS 756.515(4) provides that the Commission may, after investigation, but without hearing, make such findings and orders as deemed justified by the results of its investigation. As a result of not complying with Commission rules and terms of their certificates, the following competitive providers should have their certificates of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon canceled.

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### **COMPANY NAME**

CP 1366 CP 1350 NECC Telecom, Inc. Pulse Telecom, LLC

Pursuant to OAR 860-001-0720, the companies have 60 days to file for reconsideration of this cancellation.

# **PROPOSED COMMISSION MOTION:**

Cancel the certificates of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon for the competitive providers listed above.

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