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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

OF OREGON

CP 918

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the)	
Certificate of Authority Held by ESSEX)	ORDER
COMMUNICATIONS INC. d/b/a ELEC)	
Communications)	

DISPOSITION: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY CANCELLED

On April 25, 2001, Essex Communications Inc. d/b/a ELEC Communications (Essex) was granted a certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider. See Order No. 01-319.

In a letter dated May 29, 2003, Maria Abbagnaro, of Essex, informed the Commission that Essex does not intend to exercise the authority granted to it under its Certificate of Authority and requested that its Certificate of Authority be cancelled. The company is reminded that because it had a Certificate of Authority for one or more days in 2003, it is required to file a Form GRT and pay a minimum of \$100 for that year.

In view of the foregoing, the certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon held by Essex Communications Inc. d/b/a ELEC Communications should be cancelled.

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of authority held by Essex Communications Inc. d/b/a ELEC Communications is cancelled.

Made, entered, and effective _____.

BY THE COMMISSION

John Savage
 Director
 Utility Program

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for rehearing or reconsideration must be filed with the Commission within 60 days of the date of service of this order. The request must comply with the requirements in OAR 860-014-0095. A copy of any such request must also be served on each party to the proceeding as provided by OAR 860-013-0070(2). A party may appeal this order to a court pursuant to applicable law.