

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

CP 1090

In the Matter of)	
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BUDGET PREPAY INC.)	
)	ORDER
Application for a Certificate of Authority)	
to Provide Telecommunications Service in)	
Oregon and Classification as a Competitive)	
Provider.)	

DISPOSITION: CANCELLATION ORDER RESCINDED

On October 15, 2002, the Commission granted a certificate of authority to Budget Prepay Inc., (Budget) to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider. *See* Order No. 02-704.

Oregon telecommunications providers are required to provide requested information to the Commission. After investigation, the Commission found that Budget failed to comply with Oregon Universal Service Fund requirements per ORS 759.425, specifically non-payment of fees. At the October 19, 2004, public meeting, the Commission determined that Budget’s certificate of authority should be canceled. Budget’s certificate of authority was canceled in Order No. 04-639.

On December 6, 2004, Budget filed a request to suspend Order No. 04-639, claiming that it had complied with the Commission’s rules and regulations. A review of the Commission’s records indicates that Budget filed the requested information and Order No. 04-748 was entered on December 21, 2004, reinstating Budget’s certificate of authority.

Again, after investigation, the Commission found that Budget failed to file the 2006 Annual Fee Statement as required by ORS 756.310. On April 12, 2007, the Commission notified Budget that the report had not been received. At the August 7, 2007, public meeting, the Commission determined that Budget’s certificate of authority should be canceled. Budget’s certificate of authority was canceled in Order No. 07-344. On August 30, 2007, Budget filed a request to suspend Order No. 07-344, claiming that it had complied with the Commission's rules and regulations. A review of the Commission's records indicates that Budget filed the requested information.

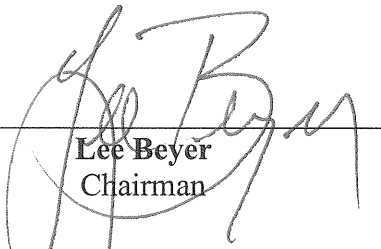
The information sent by Budget to the Commission was late. However, the information has been received and it indicates Budget is providing telecommunications service in Oregon. Under the circumstances, the cancellation of Budget's certificate should be rescinded.

The Commission notes that this is the second time that Budget has sought reinstatement following the cancellation of its authority. Under these circumstances, the Commission emphasizes the need for Budget to fully comply with the Commission's rules and regulations in the future. If Budget again fails to fulfill its regulatory obligations, the Commission may conclude that it is not in the public interest to process a future application for re-certification as a competitive provider.

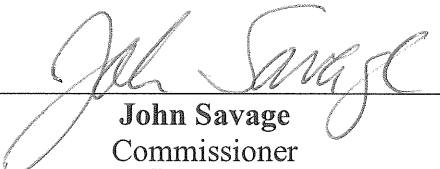
ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that Order No. 07-344 canceling the certificate of authority of Budget Prepay, Inc., is rescinded.

Made, entered, and effective SEP 12 2007.



Lee Beyer
Chairman



John Savage
Commissioner



Ray Baum
Commissioner



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 by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480-183.484.