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## **BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION**

## **OF OREGON**

## CP 1080

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the	)	
Certificate of Authority Held by GLOBAL	)	ORDER
TELECOM & TECHNOLOGY	)	
AMERICAS INC.	)	

## DISPOSITION: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY CANCELLED

On August 7, 2002, Global Internetworking Inc. ("GTTA") was granted a certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider. *See* Order No. 02-540. The company later changed its name to Global Telecom & Technology Americas Inc.

Global Telecom & Technology Americas Inc. has failed to file the 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2008 OUS2 report to comply with Oregon Universal Service Fund requirements per ORS 759.425.

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 the investigation. In view of the foregoing, the Commission determined at its December 23, 2008, Public Meeting that the certificate holder has failed to comply with Commission rules and terms of the certificate. The certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service should be cancelled, per OAR 860-032-0008(2). The company is reminded that because it had a certificate of authority for one or more days during 2008, it is required to file an annual fee statement and pay a minimum of \$100 for that year.

The Commission notes that this is the third time it has canceled a certificate held by the certificate holder. Additional requirements will be imposed before another application will be considered. Before the Commission will process any future application for certification or request for reconsideration, the certificate holder must fully comply with Commission rules. Any future application or request for reconsideration must include:

- Payment of all revenue fees, including all applicable late fees, owed for each calendar year of operation as a certified telecommunications provider pursuant to ORS 756.310(4)(a), in accordance with Commission requirements;
- 2. Confirmation of compliance with Oregon Universal Service Fund (OUSF) requirements pursuant to ORS 759.425 and OAR 860-032-0610 through 860-032-0660. All OUSF reports, contributions, late payment penalties, interest and late statement fees are due and owing for all

quarters of operation, regardless of whether the telecommunications service provider held a certificate for the applicable period(s); and

- 3. Annual reports for each calendar year of operation as a certified telecommunications provider pursuant to OAR 860-032-0060.
- 4. A letter to the Commission describing specific, detailed plans GTTA has in place to ensure all Commission rules are followed.

To summarize, the certificate holder must include: (a) all fees and documents for each year of operation it held a valid certificate of authority from this Commission, and (b) all OUSF reports, contributions, penalties, interest and late fees as set forth in number (2) above regardless of whether the telecommunications service provider held a certificate for the applicable period(s). If the certificate holder fails to include these items with its application or request for reconsideration, the Commission will deem the application or request for reconsideration incomplete and return it.

If GTTA 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.

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of authority held by Global Telecom & Technology Americas Inc. is cancelled.

Made, entered, and effective \_\_\_\_\_ DEC 2 9 2008



BY THE COMMISSION

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Commission Secretary

A party may request reheating or reconsideration of this order pursuant to ORS 756.561. A request for reheating 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.

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