

ORDER NO. 14 424

ENTERED DEC 04 2014

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of the Cancellation of the
Certificate of Authority Held by
TELECONNECT LONG DISTANCE
SERVICES & SYSTEMS CO.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY CANCELED

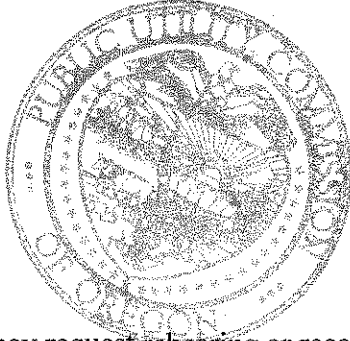
On September 22, 1989, Teleconnect Long Distance Services & Systems Co. (Teleconnect) was granted a certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider. *See* Order No. 89-1246.


In a letter dated November 18, 2014, Donald Eachus, Director of State Government Relations for Verizon, requested the Commission cancel Teleconnect's certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon. Teleconnect's customers were transferred to MCI Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a Verizon Business Services in conjunction with an internal reorganization, and Teleconnect has ceased providing services in Oregon. Teleconnect is reminded that because it had a certificate of authority for one or more days in 2014, it is required to file a revenue statement 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 Teleconnect Long Distance Services & Systems Co. should be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of authority held by Teleconnect Long Distance Services & Systems Co. is canceled.

Made, entered, and effective DEC 04 2014.




Jason Eisdorfer
Director
Utility Program

A party may request rehearing or reconsideration of this order under 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 860-001-0720. A copy of the request must also be served on each party to the proceedings as provided in OAR 860-001-0180(2). A party may appeal this order by filing a petition for review with the Court of Appeals in compliance with ORS 183.480 through 183.484.