

ORDER NO. 16 290

ENTERED AUG 01 2016

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

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In the Matter of the Cancellation of the
Certificate of Authority Held by PRIMUS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY CANCELED

On October 6, 1995, Primus Telecommunications, Inc. (Primus) was granted a certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider. See Order No. 95-1071.

In a letter dated July 28, 2016, Douglas Brandon, Counsel to Primus Telecommunications, Inc., requested that the Commission cancel Primus' certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as Primus transferred its customers to Ionex Communications North, Inc. dba Birch Communications effective May 13, 2016. Primus no longer has any customers in Oregon. Primus is reminded that because it had a certificate of authority for one or more days in 2016, 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 Primus Telecommunications, Inc. should be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of authority held by Primus Telecommunications, Inc. is canceled.

Made, entered, and effective AUG 01 2016.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Jason Eisdorfer", is written over a horizontal line.

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.