

ORDER NO. 26-224

ENTERED Jul 06 2026

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION
OF OREGON**

CP 955

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the
Certificate of Authority Held by BENDTEL
INC.

ORDER

DISPOSITION: CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY CANCELED

On August, 17, 2001, Bendtel Inc. was granted a certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon as a competitive provider (original name Automotive Experts Group, Inc.). *See* Order No. 01-737.

In a letter dated June 2, 2025, Brett P. Ferenczak, Counsel for Vero Broadband, LLC, informed the Commission of the transfer of Bendtel Inc.'s customers to Vero Broadband, LLC and the subsequent abandonment of services by Bendtel Inc. Although the company did not specifically ask for Bendtel Inc.'s certificate of authority to be canceled, subsequent correspondence with the company has confirmed that as Bendtel Inc. ceased all operations in December 2025, the cancellation of the certificate of authority is required. The company is reminded that because it had a certificate of authority for one or more days in 2025, it is required to file a revenue statement and pay a minimum of \$100 for that year.

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In view of the foregoing, the certificate of authority to provide telecommunications service in Oregon held by Bendtel Inc. should be canceled.

IT IS ORDERED that the certificate of authority held by Bendtel Inc. is canceled.

Made, entered, and effective Jul 6, 2026.



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

Alison Lackey
Chief Administrative Law Judge

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.