

P-888/CI-90-324 GRANTING EXTENSION OF TIME

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of an Investigation by the Minnesota Public Utilities Commission into the Unauthorized Resale of Local Telephone Service

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PROCEDURAL HISTORY

On May 11, 1990, the Commission issued its ORDER INITIATING INVESTIGATION in the current docket. In that Order, the Commission directed the Department of Public Service (the Department) to initiate an investigation into the unauthorized resale of local telephone service in Minnesota. The Order required the Department to submit a report of its investigation by July 10, 1990.

On July 2, 1990, the Department submitted a request for an extension of time until August 20, 1990 in which to file its report. In the request, the Department cited problems obtaining answers to its information requests. The Department also stated that delays have been caused due to the fact that it is temporarily short-staffed.

No party opposed the request.

The matter came before the Commission on July 10, 1990.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSIONS

The Commission finds that the Department's request for a time extension is reasonable and should be granted. The factors which have caused delay have been beyond the control of the Department. The amount of additional time requested is reasonable. Neither the public interest nor any party's interests will be prejudiced by the delay.

The extension will be granted.

ORDER

1. The Department of Public Service is hereby granted an extension of time until August 20, 1990, in which to file its report of investigation into the unauthorized resale of local telephone service in Minnesota.
2. This Order shall become effective immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

Richard R. Lancaster  
Executive Secretary

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