

BEFORE THE MINNESOTA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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In the Matter of the Application of Granite Telecommunications, LLC for a Certificate of Authority to Provide Facilities Based Local and Long Distance Services

The above entitled matter has been considered by the Commission and the following disposition made:

**Approved request for a certificate of authority to provide long distance services on a statewide bases;**

**Approved long distance tariff as filed on September 2, 2003;**

**Granted a conditional certificate of authority to provide resold local exchange services in the exchanges currently being served by Qwest, Sprint Minnesota, Citizens Telecommunications of Minnesota and Frontier Communications of Minnesota;**

**In order for the Company to receive an operational certificate of authority for resold local exchange services, the Company is required to fulfill the following conditions:**

- 1. Commission approval of an interconnection agreement;**
- 2. Commission approval of a 911 plan;**
- 3. Filing of tariff pages covering local services and including all of the basic service requirements listed in Minn. Rules pt. 7812.0600;**

**Granted a waiver under Minn. Rules pt. 7829.3200 to the notification requirements in Minn. Rules pt. 7812.0200, subpt. 6;**

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**Denied the Company's request for a waiver under Minn. Rules pt. 7829.3200 for a waiver of the positive equity requirement in Minn. Rules pt. 7812.0300, subpt. 3E.**

**This decision is issued by the Commission's consent calendar subcommittee, under a delegation of authority granted under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (a). Unless a party, a participant, or a Commissioner files an objection to this decision within ten days of receiving it, it will become the Order of the full Commission under Minn. Stat. § 216A.03, subd. 8 (b).**

The Commission agrees with and adopts the recommendations of the Department of Commerce which are attached and hereby incorporated in the Order.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION

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Executive Secretary

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