Decision No. C03-0105

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 02A-616AT

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF QCC, INC. FOR AUTHORITY TO ABANDON ITS CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY.

# ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION TO ABANDON CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY

Mailed Date: January 30, 2003 Adopted Date: January 22, 2003

### I. BY THE COMMISSION

## A. Statement and Findings of Fact

- 1. On November 21, 2002, QCC, Inc. (QCC or Company), filed a notification to discontinue operations in Colorado. The Commission processed this notification as an application to discontinue regulated telecommunications services. 4 *Code of Colorado Regulations* 723-25-7.
- 2. QCC was granted a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide non-optional operator services. Decision No. C93-906.
- 3. Notice of the application was posted on the Commission's web site on November 26, 2002. Interventions were due on or before December 16, 2002. None were filed.
- 4. QCC did not file a timely response to a request for additional information by the Commission that is necessary to deem the application complete.

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5. The Commission deemed the application incomplete on December 23, 2002. The Company was given until January 15, 2003 to supplement its application with information that would allow the Commission to deem it complete. Decision No. C02-1451.

6. On January 15, 2003, QCC filed additional information that will allow the Commission to consider it for completeness. The information included a statement that QCC no longer has customers in Colorado.

#### B. Discussion

7. The fact that QCC no longer has customers in Colorado, renders the issue of timely and proper notification to customers moot. The additional information provided is adequate for the Commission to determine completeness.

## II. ORDER

#### **A.** The Commission Orders That:

- 1. QCC, Inc.'s application is deemed complete.
- 2. QCC, Inc.'s application to relinquish its certificate of public convenience and necessity to provide emerging competitive telecommunications service in the State of Colorado is approved.
- 3. The obligation of QCC, Inc., to file an annual report with the Commission and contribute to all applicable Colorado funds for the period up until the effective date of this Order remains. These funds include the Colorado High Cost Fund, Telecommunications Relay Services for the Disabled Telephone Users Program, and the assessment for funding the Commission's operations.

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4. QCC, Inc., complying with the conditions stated above, is no longer authorized to offer emerging competitive telecommunications service in Colorado.

- 5. Following the effective date of this Decision, Commission Staff is directed to withdraw QCC, Inc.'s tariff on file with the Commission.
  - 6. This Order is effective on its Mailed Date.
  - B. ADOPTED IN COMMISSIONERS' WEEKLY MEETING January 22, 2003.



ATTEST: A TRUE COPY

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