Decision No. R04-1540-I

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

DOCKET NO. 04A-577AT

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF APOLLO COMMUNICATIONS, LLC TO DISCONTINUE REGULATED TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES.

INTERIM ORDER OF
ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE
ANTHONY M. MARQUEZ
VACATING PREHEARING CONFERENCE

Mailed Date: December 23, 2004

I. <u>STATEMENT</u>

1. This docket concerns the Application by Apollo Communications, LLC (Apollo)

to Discontinue Regulated Telecommunications Services.

2. By Decision No. R04-1502-I, I scheduled a prehearing conference in this case for

December 29, 2004. The intent of the prehearing conference, for the most part, was to establish

a procedural schedule to consider Apollo's application.

3. On December 22, 2004, the parties to this case, the Colorado Office of Consumer

Counsel (OCC), Staff of the Commission, and Apollo filed their: (a) Joint Motion to Vacate

Prehearing Conference, Expedite Consideration of Proposed Transition Plan, and Request to

Waive Response Time; and (b) Joint Motion to Approve Proposed Transition Plan, Request to

Waive Certain Commission Rules, and Request to Waive Response Time. The proposed

Transition Plan agreed to by the parties appears to settle all issues in this case, and the parties,

therefore, request that I vacate the prehearing conference. In addition, the motion to vacate states

that counsel for the OCC is unavailable on December 29, 2004.

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4. Good cause having been stated, I now vacate the prehearing conference set for December 29, 2004. Further orders will be issued regarding the parties' motion to approve the transition plan.

II. ORDER

A. It is Ordered That:

- 1. The prehearing conference scheduled for December 29, 2004 is vacated.
- 2. This Order is effective immediately.

THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Administrative Law Judge