BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	CASE NO. COX-T-06-1
COX IDAHO TELCOM, LLC FOR A)	
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE)	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE LOCAL)	
EXCHANGE SERVICES WITHIN THE STATE)	NOTICE OF MODIFIED
OF IDAHO)	PROCEDURE
)	
	ĺ	ORDER NO. 29981
	_′	

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED that on January 31, 2006, Cox Idaho Telcom, LLC ("Cox") filed an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity with the Commission. In the Application, Cox proposes to provide facilities-based basic local exchange service in the Idaho communities of Ketchum, Sun Valley, Hailey and Bellevue.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that Cox is a Delaware limited liability company with a principal place of business in Ketchum, Idaho. The Company has a Certificate of Good Standing issued by the Delaware Secretary of State on December 3, 2004, a Certificate of Registration as a Foreign Limited Liability Company issued by the Idaho Secretary of State on January 24, 2006 and a Certificate of Existence issued by the Idaho Secretary of State on January 26, 2006. The Company has provided financial information and a letter of financial commitment, as well as the appropriate contact information for its registered agent for service of process within Idaho.

NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has reviewed the Application in this case and has preliminarily determined that the public interest in this matter may not require a hearing to consider the issues presented, and that the issues raised by the Application may be processed under **Modified Procedure**, i.e., by written submission rather than by hearing. IDAPA 31.01.01.210-204.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission may not hold a hearing in this proceeding unless it receives written protests or comments opposing the use of Modified Procedure and stating why Modified Procedure should not be used. IDAPA 31.01.01.203.

1

NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE ORDER NO. 29981 YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the **deadline for filing written comments or protests** with respect to Cox's Application and the use of Modified Procedure in this case is twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Order. The comment must contain a statement of reasons supporting the comment. Persons desiring a hearing must specifically request a hearing in their written comments. Written comments concerning this Application shall be mailed to the Commission and the Applicant at the address reflected below:

Commission Secretary

Idaho Public Utilities Commission

PO Box 83720

Boise, ID 83720-0074

Molly O'Leary

Richardson & O'Leary

515 N. 27th St.

PO Box 7218

Boise, ID 83707

Street Address for Express Mail:

Boise, ID 83/0/

E-mail: molly@richardsonoleary.com

472 W. Washington Street Boise, Idaho 83702-5983

These comments should contain the case caption and case number shown on the first page of this document. Persons desiring to submit comments via e-mail may do so by accessing the Commission's home page located at www.puc.idaho.gov. Click the "Comments and Questions" icon, and complete the comment form using the case number as it appears on the front of this document. These comments must also be sent to the Applicant at the e-mail address listed above.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that if no written comments or protests are received within the time limit set, the Commission may consider the matter on its merits and may enter its Order without a formal hearing. If written comments or protests are received within the deadline, the Commission will consider them and in its discretion may set the matter for hearing or may decide the matter and issue its Order based on the written comments before it. IDAPA 31.01.204.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application and supporting workpapers and exhibits have been filed with the Commission and are available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices or on the Commission's website, www.puc.idaho.gov.

2

NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE ORDER NO. 29981 YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that persons desiring to intervene in this case for the purpose of presenting evidence or cross-examining witnesses must file a Petition to Intervene with the Commission pursuant to Rule 72 and 73 of the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.* Persons desiring to present their views without parties' rights of participation and cross-examination are not required to intervene and may present their comments without prior notification to the Commission or to other parties.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to Title 61 of the Idaho Code.

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Application of Cox Idaho Telcom, LLC be processed by Modified Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201-204. Persons interested in submitting written comments in this matter must do so no later than twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Order.

DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this day of March 2006.

PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER

ENNIS S. HANSEN, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:

Commission Secretary

O:COX-T-06-01_cg

NOTICE OF APPLICATION NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE ORDER NO. 29981