

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION)	
OF LIBERTY-BELL TELECOM, LLC FOR)	CASE NO. LBT-T-10-01
A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC)	
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY)	NOTICE OF APPLICATION
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)	NOTICE OF
)	MODIFIED PROCEDURE
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)	ORDER NO. 32128

NOTICE OF APPLICATION

YOU ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED on June 23, 2010, Liberty-Bell Telecom, LLC ("LBT" or "Company") filed an Application, including a copy of its illustrative tariff, for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN"), pursuant to *Idaho Code* §§ 61-526 through -528¹, *Idaho Code* § 62-604, IDAPA 31.01.01.111 (Rule 111), IDAPA 31.42.01.202 (Rule 202) and Procedural Order No. 26665, to provide facilities-based local exchange, switched exchange access and non-facilities-based interexchange telecommunications services in Idaho. Later, LBT filed a revised copy of its illustrative tariff.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company states in its Application that it proposes to offer competitive local exchange services initially including basic local exchange services and custom calling features for residential and commercial subscribers. Subsequently, the Company proposes to offer exchange access services to interconnecting carriers.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Company's local exchange services will be provided on a facilities-based basis, utilizing the unbundled network elements of its underlying carriers. Interexchange services will be offered exclusively on a resold, non-facilities-based basis. LBT has no current plan to construct facilities or deploy equipment in Idaho.

¹ Pursuant to the Idaho Telecommunications Act of 1988, specifically *Idaho Code* § 62-604(1)(a), LBT is exempt from Title 61 regulation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that LBT's proposed Idaho service territory will include all areas of Idaho currently being served by Qwest Corporation, its sole incumbent local exchange carrier competitor.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that LBT will begin negotiating an interconnection agreement with Qwest Corporation following the Commission's decision regarding its Application.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that LBT has reviewed all of the Commission's rules and agrees to comply with such rules.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that LBT requests a waiver of the escrow account requirement because it will not require its customers to submit advance payments or deposits in exchange for service.

NOTICE OF MODIFIED PROCEDURE

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Commission has determined that the public interest may not require a formal hearing in this matter and will proceed under Modified Procedure pursuant to Rules 201 through 204 of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.201 through .204. The Commission notes that Modified Procedure and written comments have proven to be an effective means for obtaining public input and participation.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that any person desiring to state a position on this Application may file a written comment in support or opposition with the Commission within twenty-one (21) days from the service date of this Notice. 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 addresses reflected below:

Commission Secretary
Idaho Public Utilities Commission
PO Box 83720
Boise, ID 83720-0074

Street Address for Express Mail:

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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 will consider this matter on its merits and enter its Order without a formal hearing. If written comments are received within the time limit set, the Commission will consider them and, in its discretion, may set the same for formal hearing.

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that the Application has been filed with the Commission and is available for public inspection during regular business hours at the Commission offices. The Application is also available on the Commission's web site at www.puc.idaho.gov and then clicking on "File Room" and then "Telephone Cases."

YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this case will be held pursuant to the Commission's jurisdiction under Title 62 of the Idaho Code, specifically *Idaho Code* § 62-604 and 62-615. The Commission may enter any final Order consistent with its authority under Title 62 and Commission Rule of Procedure 114, IDAPA 31.01.01.114.

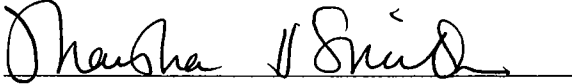
YOU ARE FURTHER NOTIFIED that all proceedings in this matter will be conducted pursuant to the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.000 *et seq.*

ORDER

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this Application be processed under Modified Procedure. Persons interested in submitting written comments regarding this case or protesting the use of Modified Procedure should do so no later than 21 days from the service date of this Order.

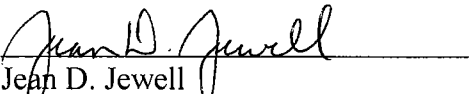
DONE by Order of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission at Boise, Idaho this 24th
day of November 2010.


JIM D. KEMPTON, PRESIDENT


MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER


MACK A. REDFORD, COMMISSIONER

ATTEST:


Jean D. Jewell
Commission Secretary

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