

BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
MIDVALE TELEPHONE EXCHANGE, INC.) **CASE NO. MID-T-99-2**
AND SAWTOOTH TELEPHONE COMPANY) **SAW-T-99-2**
FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING THE)
MERGER OF THE APPLICANT COMPANIES.) **THIRD AMENDED**
) **CERTIFICATE NO. 254**

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED that this Third Amended Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, Certificate No. 254, is issued to Midvale Telephone Exchange, Inc. This Certificate authorizes Midvale to provide local exchange services within parts of the State of Idaho. Third Amended Certificate No. 254 authorizes Midvale Telephone Exchange, Inc. to provide services within the following areas:

All of T11N, R1E, Sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30, 31 and 32, and that portion of Sections 4, 9, 16, 21, 28, 33 lying within Washington County.

All of T11N, R1W.

All of T11N, R2W.

All of T11N, R3W, Sections 1, 2, 11, 12, 13, 14, 23, 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36.

All of T12N, R1E, Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 17, 18, 19, 20, 29, 30, 31, 32, and that portion of Sections 3, 10, 15, 16, 21, 28 and 33 lying within Washington County.

All of T12N, R1W.

All of T12N, R2W.

All of T12N, R3W, Sections 1 through 6, 7 through 12, 13 through 16, 21 through 24, 25 through 28, and 33 through 36.

All of T12N, R4W, Sections 1, 2, 11, and 12.

All of T13N, R1E, Sections 27 through 30, 31 through 33, and that portion of Sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 34 and 35 lying within Washington County.

All of T13N, R1W, Sections 17, 18, 19 through 22, 25 through 30, 31 through 36, and that portion of Sections 6, 7, 8, 9, 15, 16, 23 and 24 lying within Washington County.

All of T13N, R2W, Sections 2 through 6, 7 through 12, 13 through 18, 19 through 24, 25 through 30, 31 through 36, and that portion of Section 1 lying within Washington County.

All of T13N, R3W.

All of T13N, R4W, Sections 1 through 6, 7 through 12, 13 through 18, 19 through 24, 25, 26, 35 and 36.

All of T13N, R5W, Sections 1 through 6, 7 through 12.

All of T13N, R6W, Sections 1 through 6, 7 through 12.

All of T13N, R7W, Sections 1 through 4, 9 through 12, and that portion of Sections 5, 7 and 8 lying within the State of Idaho in Washington County.

All of T14N, R2W, the southerly one-half of Sections 13 through 34.

All of T14N, R3W, Sections 19 through 21, 27 through 30, 31 through 36, and that portion of Section 22 lying west of the Weiser River, and the westerly one-half of Section 26.

All of T14N, R4W, Sections 6, 7, and 18, 19 through 24, 25 through 30, 31 through 36.

All of T14N, R5W.

All of T14N, R6W.

All of T14N, R7W, Sections 13, 24, 25, 34, 35, 36 and that portion of Sections 1, 11, 12, 14, 23, 26, 27, 28 and 33 lying within the State of Idaho in Washington County.

YELLOW PINE EXCHANGE

Beginning at the SW corner of Section 32, T18N, R8E, Valley County, Idaho; thence proceeding North to the SW corner of Section 29, T19N, R7E; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 29, T19N, R8E; thence proceeding North to the NW corner of Section 26, T19N, R7E; thence proceeding East to the NW corner of Section 29, T19N, R8E; thence proceeding North to the NW corner of Section 20, T19N, R8E; thence proceeding East to the NE corner of Section 21, T19N, R8E; thence proceeding South to the SE corner of Section 33, T18N, R8E; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 32, T18N, R8E, which is the point of beginning.

WARM LAKE EXCHANGE

Beginning at the SE corner of Section 24, T51N, R6E, Valley County, Idaho; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 23, T15N, R6E; thence proceeding North to the NW corner of Section 14, T15N, R6E; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 10, T15N, R6E; thence proceeding North to the NW corner of Section 34, T16N, R6E; thence proceeding East to the NE corner of Section 31, T16N, R7E; thence proceeding South to the SE corner of Section 6, T15N, R7E; thence proceeding East to the NE corner of Section 8, T15N, R7E; thence proceeding South to the SE corner of Section 17, T15N, R7E; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 18, T15N, R7E; thence proceeding South to the SE corner of Section 24, T15N, R6E, which is the point of the beginning.

Together with the following described property:

Section 31, T16N, R7E; Section 5, T15N, R7E; Section 20, T15N, R7E; Section 19, T15N, R7E; Section 15, T15N, R6E; Section 22, T15N, R6E.

WARREN/BURGDORF EXCHANGE

Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, 14, 15, 22 and 23 of Township 21 North, Range 7 East, Valley County, State of Idaho.

Sections 1, 12, 13, 24, 25 and 36 of Township 22 North, Range 4 East, Idaho County, State of Idaho.

Sections 1 through 36 inclusive of Township 22 North, Range 5 East, Idaho County, State of Idaho.

Sections 1 through 36 inclusive of Township 22 North, Range 6 East, Idaho County, State of Idaho.

All of Township 22 North, Range 7 East, excepting therefrom Sections 1, 12, 13, 24, 25 and 36 of said Township 22 North, Range 7 East, Idaho County, State of Idaho.

LAKEVIEW EXCHANGE

Beginning at the approximate midpoint of Lake Pend Oreille and the Boise Meridian also known as the NW corner of Section 6, T55N, R1E; thence proceeding East to the NW corner of Section 5, T55N, R1E; thence proceeding South to the 11th Standard Parallel North at the SE corner of Section 31, T53N, R1E; thence proceeding West to the SW corner of Section 36, T53N, R2W; thence proceeding North to the midpoint of Lake Pend

Orielle; and thence following a meandering course northerly along the midpoint of Lake Pend Orielle to the point of beginning.

STANLEY EXCHANGE

Boise County

T7N, R13E, those portions of Sections 6 and 7 in Boise County.
T8N, R13E, those portions of Sections 19, 30, 31 and 32 in Boise County.

Custer County

T7N, R13E, all in Custer County.
T7N, R14E, all in Custer County.
T8N, R13E, all in Custer County.
T8N, R14E, all in Custer County.
T9N, R13E, all.
T9N, R14E, all.
T10N, R12E, Sections 1 through 4; 9 through 16, 21 through 34.
T10N, R13E, all.
T10N, R14E, all.
T11N, R12E, Sections 1 through 4; 9 through 16, 21 through 28; 33 through 36.
T11N, R13E, all.
T11N, R14E, all.

Blaine County

T7N, R13E, all in Blaine County.
T7N, R14E, all in Blaine County.
T8N, R13E, all in Blaine County.
T8N, R14E, all in Blaine County.

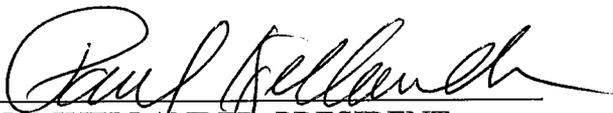
Elmore County

T7N, R13E, those portions of Section 7, 17, 18, 19, 30 and 31 in Elmore County.

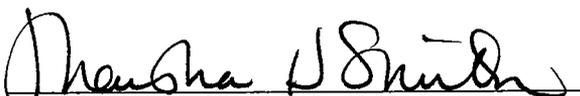
This Third Amended Certificate is predicated upon and issued pursuant to Order No. 28233 issued December 17, 1999.

This Third Amended Certificate supersedes and incorporates by reference for informational purposes only all previous existing Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity granted to Midvale Telephone Exchange, Inc. or its predecessors in interest by this Commission.

DATED at Boise, Idaho this 22nd day of October 2003.



PAUL KJELLANDER, PRESIDENT

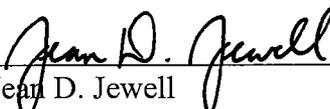


MARSHA H. SMITH, COMMISSIONER



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ATTEST:



Jean D. Jewell
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