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SUBJECT:

NEUTRAL TANDEM-IDAHO'S APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE

OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY, CASE NO. NTM-T-08-

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On May 23, 2008, Neutral Tandem-Idaho, LLC, filed an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN). The Company requested authority to provide facilities-based and resold non-switched dedicated and private line services for the provision of broadband transmission services within the State of Idaho. After a preliminary review, Commission Staff determined that Neutral Tandem does not need a Certificate for the services that it plans to offer in Idaho. Specifically, the Application states that the Company "has no plans to provide dial tone services to end user customers at this time." Commission Staff contacted Neutral Tandem regarding its intentions and, on July 17, 2008, the Company voluntarily withdrew its Application. Consequently, this case should now be closed.

Kristine Sasser

Deputy Attorney General