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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)	
ONVOY, INC. DBA ONVOY VOICE SERVICES)	CASE NO. OVS-T-12-02
FOR A REGISTRATION/ CERTIFICATION AS)	
A WHOLESALE PROVIDER OF)	COMMENTS OF THE
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES.)	COMMISSION STAFF
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The Staff of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission comments as follows on Onvoy, Inc. dba Onvoy Voice Services' April 10, 2012 Application for a registration/certification as a wholesale provider of telecommunications service in Idaho.

BACKGROUND

On April 10, 2012, Onvoy, Inc. dba Onvoy Voice Services ("Onvoy" or "Company") applied for a registration/certification as a wholesale provider of telecommunications service in Idaho pursuant to Commission Order No. 32277 in Case No. GNR-T-11-01, Commission Rule of Procedure 114 and Title 62 of the Idaho Code. Application at 1. The Company amended its Application on May 4, 2012, to include additional information about its subsidiaries and to describe its proposed services. *See* Amendment to Application.

In Case No. GNR-T-11-01, The Commission determined that it will register a telecommunications company as a wholesale provider of telecommunications services in Idaho if the company does not intend to provide basic local exchange service and it completes an application describing the company's (1) name, address, and form of business; (2) tariff and customer contact

information; (3) interconnection agreements; and (4) intent to comply with Commission rules including telephone numbering conservation measures. *See* Rule 114 Sections 1, 5-8; Order No. 32277.

With this Application, Onvoy seeks registration/certification as a wholesale telecommunications services provider. The Company describes itself as a “competitive telecommunications company that intends to offer intrastate telecommunications services for commercial and wholesale customers statewide.” *See* Amendment to Application. The Company says “[s]uch services may include, but will not be limited to, wholesale local exchange and long distance, competitive tandem switching, switched access and other access services, transit, intrastate PRI service, direct inward dialing and SS7 services.” *Id.*

STAFF ANALYSIS

Onvoy is a Minnesota corporation and lists its principal business address as 300 South Highway 169, Suite 700, Minneapolis, Minnesota. *Id.* at 1. The Company confirms it is registered with the Idaho Secretary of State as a foreign corporation. *Id.* Attachment A. Onvoy lists CT Corporation System, 1111 West Jefferson, Suite 350, Boise, ID 83702 as its Idaho registered agent for service. *Id.* at 2. The Company states that it is a wholly owned subsidiary of Zayo Group Holdings, Inc., a Delaware Corporation, and it outlines its corporate structure and lists information for its subsidiaries, officers, and directors. *Id.* at 1-2, Exhibits 1-4; Amended Application.

The Company says it has not yet initiated interconnection negotiations but intends to do so as necessary upon being granted authority by the Commission. The Company represents that it will seek Commission approval of any ensuing interconnection agreements. *Id.* at 4.

Onvoy agrees to comply with all of the Commission’s Rules and Procedures. *Id.* The Company also acknowledges that “to the extent [it] has telephone number resources in Idaho, [it] shall be subject to numbering conservation measures including mandatory one thousand (1,000) block pooling.” *Id.* at 5. The Company provides contact information for customer complaints and for Commission inquiries regarding price lists, tariffs, and general questions. *Id.* at 3-4.

In Order No. 32277, the Commission ruled that “registration or certification of telecommunications companies that do not provide basic local exchange service, as defined by state law, is necessary to enable those companies to access important rights or privileges identified in the federal Telecommunications Act as they enter the telecommunications markets in Idaho.” Order No. 32277 at 8. “Telecommunications companies that do not intend to provide basic local exchange

service, but request Commission registration may file an application pursuant to Rule 114, with minor modifications to eliminate information required by the Rule relating to retail basis local exchange service.” *Id.*

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff has reviewed Onvoy’s Application for a CPCN and believes the Company understands and agrees to comply with the Commission rules and requirements. Based on this review, Staff believes Onvoy’s filing fulfills the requirements of the Commission Rule of Procedure 114 and Order No. 32277. Staff believes that the Company possesses the requisite financial, managerial, and technical qualifications necessary to operate as a provider of telecommunications services. Staff, therefore, recommends Commission approval that Onvoy has successfully registered as a wholesale communications provider subject to the following conditions:

1. Onvoy complies with number pooling and reporting requirements of the North American Number Plan Administrator, as set forth in Commission Order No. 30425;
2. Onvoy provides necessary reports, and contributes as appropriate to the Idaho Universal Service Fund, Idaho Telecommunications Relay System, Idaho Telecommunications Service Assistance Program; and
3. Onvoy complies with all future reporting requirements deemed appropriate by the Commission for competitive telecommunications providers.

Respectfully submitted this 12th day of June 2012.



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