

## DECISION MEMORANDUM

**TO:** COMMISSIONER KJELLANDER  
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**DATE:** OCTOBER 31, 2012

**SUBJECT:** PRAXIS LIMITED CO.'S CPCN APPLICATION  
CASE NO. PLC-T-12-01

On July 19, 2012, Praxis Limited Co. applied to the Commission for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) authorizing the Company to provide resold and facilities-based local exchange telecommunications service to customers in Idaho. The Company says it is an Idaho limited liability company that does business as “A+ Satellite.” *See* Application at 4. The Company says it has been doing business in Idaho since 2005, that it retails satellite television service, Internet, and phone services, and that it also builds and maintains private cable systems for commercial and bulk applications. *Id.* at 3. The Company plans to focus on the parts of Ada, Boise, Canyon, Elmore, Gem, Owyhee, Payette, Valley, and Washington Counties that are served by CenturyLink or Citizens as the incumbent local exchange carrier. *Id.* at 4.

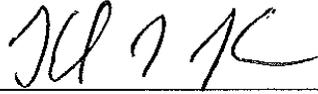
Praxis says it has the real estate, equipment, and staff to sell, install, and maintain telecommunications systems. It does not own any facilities for carrying local exchange or other service, and it has no specific plans to build facilities. But it may build such facilities as its business expands. *Id.* at 3, 5. The Company says it will immediately start negotiating interconnection agreements with Qwest (CenturyLink) and Citizens (Frontier) upon receiving a CPCN. The Company says it has reviewed and will comply with Commission rules. *Id.* at 5.

### STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Commission process the Company’s Application under Modified Procedure with a 21-day comment period.

**COMMISSION DECISION**

Does the Commission wish to process the Company's Application under Modified Procedure with a 21-day comment period?



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