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BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Application of National Telephone Services, Inc., to Transfer, and of Telesphere Communications, Inc. (Parent Company of a Certificated Carrier C.I.S No. U-5016-C), to Acquire Control of National Telephone Services, Inc.

ORIGINAL

Application 90-04-015
(Filed April 11, 1990)

ORDER MODIFYING D.90-06-037

On September 13, 1990 Telesphere Communications, Inc. (Telesphere) filed a petition to modify Decision (D.) 90-06-037 which was issued by the Executive Director on June 15, 1990. That decision in Ordering Paragraph 5 provided that the authority granted in D.90-06-037 would expire unless exercised before September 30, 1990. In the petition, Telesphere seeks additional time to consummate its acquisition of National Telephone Services, Inc. (National).

Although Telesphere initially believed the September 30, 1990 date would allow sufficient time to acquire control of National, delays in closing subsequently occurred. Telesphere points out that the application was not contested and that no parties may be prejudiced by an extension of time. Telesphere cites several other decisions which allowed between 6 1/2 and 12 months to complete an acquisition. Therefore, pursuant to D.86-08-057,

IT IS ORDERED that:

D.90-06-037 at Ordering Paragraph 5 to read as follows:

- 5. The authority granted in Ordering Paragraph 1 shall expire unless exercised before June 15, 1991.

This order is effective today.

Dated September 28, 1990, at San Francisco, California.

I CERTIFY THAT THIS DECISION WAS APPROVED BY THE ABOVE COMMISSIONERS TODAY

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NEAL J. SHULMAN, Executive Director