PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION RESOLUTION T-14105 Telecommunications Branch July 18, 1990

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION T-14105. GTE CALIFORNIA. ORDER AUTHORIZING GTE CALIFORNIA TO EXTEND THE EXPIRATION DATE OF ITS PROVISIONAL TARIFF FOR DATA OVER VOICE SERVICE TO MARCH 1, 1991.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 5253, FILED ON JUNE 25, 1990.

SUMMARY

GTE California (GTEC) by Advice Letter No. 5253 filed June 25, 1990 requests authority to extend the termination date of its provisional offering for Data Over Voice (DOV) Service. This Resolution authorizes GTEC to extend its provisional DOV Service, scheduled to expire July 22, 1990 to March 1, 1991. No protests to this Advice Letter were filed.

BACKGROUND

GTEC was authorized by Resolution No. T-13004 to offer a provisional Data Over Voice Service in the Santa Barbara area on a 24 month market trial basic. The trial was designed to verify market demand at different pricing options, to create profiles of pricing preferences, track cost data, and to test procedures (e.g., billings) prior to making the service a general offering.

GTEC determined that it does not have sufficient data to fully evaluate the market demand for this service and requests authority to extend the service to March 1, 1991 to accrue additional data needed to evaluate the service.

PROTESTS

. No protests have been filed on Advice Letter No. 5253.

DISCUSSION

GTEC has requested that the expiration date of its provisional Data Over Voice Service for the Santa Barbara Area be extended from July 22, 1990 to March 1,1991. Based on a review of the workpapers and supporting documentation submitted with this Advice Letter it appears that GTEC needs the additional time to accrue needed data to complete its evaluation of this service. Therefore, we are authorizing GTEC's request to extend the

expiration date of its provisional Data Over Voice Service to March 1, 1991.

PINDINGS

We find that:

- 1. GTEC filed Advice letter No. 5253 on June 25, 1990 requesting Commission authorization to extend the expiration date of its provisional Data Over Voice service to march 1, 1990.
- 2. GTEC provisional Data Over Voice Service is schedule to expire July 22, 1990.
- 3. GTEC needs additional time to collect additional data to evaluate the market demand for this service.

IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) Authority is granted to make the above Advice Letter and associated Provisional Tariff effective on July 18, 1990.
- (2) The Provisional Tariff expiration date is extended from July 22, 1990 to March 1, 1991.
- (3) Prior to the expiration date (March 1, 1991) of this provisional service, GTEC shall submit an advice Letter to the Commission requesting that the service be made permanent, changed, extended or withdrawn.
- (4) The Advice Letter and tariff schedule revisions authorized herein shall be marked to show that they were authorized under Resolution of the Public Utilities Commission of the State of California No. T-14105.

The effective date of this Resolution is today.

I certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular meeting on July 18, 1990. The following Commissioners approved it:

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President

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