PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION RESOLUTION T-14148
Telecommunications Branch Date: August 26, 1990

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION T-14148. STOCKTON CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF A NEW CELL SITE IN THE STOCKTON METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 25, FILED ON July 26, 1990.

SUMMARY

Stockton Cellular Telephone Company (SKTC), by Advice Letter No. 25, filed on July 26, 1990, requests authority under the provisions of General Order 159 (G.O. 159) and Decision No. 90-03-080 (March 28, 1990) to add a new cellular radiotelephone cell site to its existing cellular system serving the Stockton Metropolitan Statistical Area. This Resolution authorizes the construction of the new cell site, known as the Woodbridge site, located at 3600 W. Peltier Road, Lodi, CA 95242. No protests to this Advice Letter have been filed.

BACKGROUND

Under G.O. 159 (D.90-03-080), a cellular utility must obtain authorization from the Commission before construction of cellular facilities not described in its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity. A cellular utility must file an advice letter requesting authorization to construct after it has received all approvals for the proposed construction required by any governmental agencies with jurisdiction over the proposed construction, or which would have jurisdiction absent the Commission's preenption.

DISCUSSION

Advice Letter No. 25 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to construct additional cellular facilities. Authority to construct the original facility, a certificate of public convenience and necessity, was granted to SKTC by Decision 87-06-019.

SKTC has obtained permits or approvals from the following governmental entities and asserts that these entities comprise all governmental entities that have jurisdiction over the proposed construction (with the exception of the California

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Public Utilities Commission): County of San Joaquin, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

The proposed construction will be located at 3600 W. Peltier Road, Lodi, CA 95242 and is known as the Woodbridge site. It will consist of one galvanized steel 195 foot self-supporting tower, one 12' x 28' x 10' concrete and steel modular building, and radio transmitting/receiving equipment on or near the tower. The transmitting/receiving equipment will include up to four microwave antennas (2 each six foot diameter and 2 each eight foot diameter), up to twelve cellular antennas, a DC powerplant, and one generator.

The Woodbridge site will become part of SKTC's cellular system serving the Stockton Metropolitan Statistical Area.

Public notice that Stockton Cellular Telephone Company filed Advice Letter No. 25 requesting authority to construct the Woodbridge site appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's August 14, 1990 Daily Calendar with a supplement on August 17, 1990. (The original filing contained the wrong advice letter number, twenty-four, and was corrected later with a supplemental filing). In addition, copies of SKTC's Advice Letter No. 25 were mailed in accordance with the Commission's General Order No. 96-A, Section III. G, to competing utilities either privately or publicly owned, adjacent utilities either privately or publicly owned, utilities having requested such notification, and other interested parties having requested such notification.

PROTESTS

No protests have been filed on SKTC's Advice Letter No. 25.

FINDINGS

- 1. On July 26, 1990, Stockton Cellular Telephone Company filed Advice Letter No. 25 requesting Executive authorization to construct the Woodbridge cell site located at 3600 W. Peltier Road, Lodi, CA 95242.
- The Woodbridge site represents an additional cellular radiotelephone facility not described in Decision 87-06-019, granting SKTC a certificate of public convenience and necessity.
- 3. Decision 90-03-080 adopts G.O. 159 which sets forth certain requirements for the filing of advice letters requesting authorization to construct cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in a utility's certificate of public convenience and necessity.

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- 4. Advice Letter No. 25 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
- 5. A SKTC officer signed a declaration which states that SKTC has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 25.
- 6. Advice Letter No. 25 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed construction of the Woodbridge cell site: County of San Joaquin, the Pederal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) Stockton Cellular Telephone Company's request for authority to construct the Woodbridge cell site is granted.
- (2) The effective date of this resolution is August 26, 1990.

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