

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION  
Telecommunications Branch

RESOLUTION T-14199  
Date: October 21, 1990

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION T-14199. SACRAMENTO-VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF A NEW CELL SITE IN THE Sacramento-Valley metropolitan area.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 38, FILED ON September 21, 1990.

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SUMMARY

SACRAMENTO-VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP (SVLP), by Advice Letter No. 38, filed on September 21, 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 Sacramento-Valley metropolitan area. This Resolution authorizes the construction of three new cell sites: the Cisco Buttes Cell Site (39 degrees 18' 30" N, 120 degrees 33' 42" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County), the Blue Canyon Cell Site (39 degrees 16' 34" N, 120 degrees 42' 28" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County), and the Gold Run Cell Site (39 degrees 10' 03" N, 120 degrees 51' 50" W, Cold Springs Hill, Placer County)

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 preemption.

DISCUSSION

Advice Letter No. 38 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to construct additional cellular facilities.

SVLP 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 Public Utilities Commission): U.S. Forest Service (Cisco Buttes and Blue Canyon), the Federal Aviation Administration (Blue Canyon and Gold Run), and Placer County (Gold Run).

#### Cell Site Locations

Cisco Buttes Cell Site: 39 degrees 18' 30" N, 120 degrees 33' 42" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County.

Blue Canyon Cell Site: 39 degrees 16' 34" N, 120 degrees 42' 28" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County.

Gold Run Cell Site: 39 degrees 10' 03" N, 120 degrees 51' 50" W, Cold Springs Hill, Placer County.

#### Cell Site Equipment and Improvements

Cisco Buttes Cell Site will consist of a 12 foot by 24 foot prefabricated communications shelter to house cellular radio transceivers and associated power equipment. One 100 foot, self-supporting lattice tower will also be constructed.

Blue Canyon Cell Site will consist of a 12 foot by 24 foot prefabricated communications shelter to house cellular radio transceivers and associated power equipment. One 100 foot, self-supporting lattice tower will also be constructed .

Gold Run Cell Site will consist of a 12 foot by 16 foot prefabricated communications shelter to house cellular radio transceivers and associated power equipment; one 125 foot self-supporting lattice tower will also be constructed at this site.

The Cisco Buttes Cell Site, the Blue Canyon Cell Site, and the Gold Run Cell Site will become part of SVLP's cellular system serving the Sacramento-Valley metropolitan area.

Public notice that SACRAMENTO-VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP filed Advice Letter No. 38 requesting authority to construct the Cisco Buttes Cell Site, the Blue Canyon Cell Site, and the Gold Run Cell Site appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's September 26, 1990 Daily Calendar. In addition, copies of SVLP's Advice Letter No. 38 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

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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 SVLP's Advice Letter No. 38.

FINDINGS

1. On September 21, 1990, SACRAMENTO-VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP filed Advice Letter No. 38 requesting Executive authorization to construct the Cisco Buttes Cell Site (39 degrees 18' 30" N, 120 degrees 33' 42" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County), the Blue Canyon Cell Site (39 degrees 16' 34" N, 120 degrees 42' 28" W, Tahoe National Forest, Placer County), and the Gold Run Cell Site (39 degrees 10' 03" N, 120 degrees 51' 50" W, Cold Springs Hill, Placer County).
2. The Cisco Buttes Cell Site, the Blue Canyon Cell Site, and the Gold Run Cell Site represent additional cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in Decision 85-05-041, granting SVLP 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.
4. Advice Letter No. 38 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
5. A SVLP officer signed a declaration which states that SVLP has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 38.
6. Advice Letter No. 38 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed construction of the Cisco Buttes Cell Site, the Blue Canyon Cell Site, and the Gold Run Cell Site: U.S. Forest Service (Cisco Buttes and Blue Canyon), the Federal Aviation Administration (Blue Canyon and Gold Run), and Placer County (Gold Run).

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) SACRAMENTO-VALLEY LIMITED PARTNERSHIP's request for authority to construct the Cisco Buttes Cell Site, the

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Blue Canyon Cell Site, and the Gold Run Cell Site  
cell site is granted.

- (2) The effective date of this resolution is October 21,  
1990.

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