#### PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION Telecommunications Branch

RESOLUTION T-14241 Date: December 6, 1990

## RESQLUTION

RESOLUTION T-14241. SACRAMENTO CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE MODIFICATION OF AN EXISTING CELL SITE IN THE SACRAMENTO METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 34, FILED ON NOVEMBER 6, 1990.

#### SUMMARY

SACRAMENTO CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY (SCTC), by Advice Letter No. 34, filed on November 6, 1990, requests authority under the provisions of General Order 159 (G.O. 159) and Decision No. 90-03-080 (March 28, 1990) to modify an existing cellular radiotelephone cell site in its existing cellular system serving the Sacramento Ketropolitan Statistical Area. This Resolution authorizes the modification of the existing cell site, known as the American River site, located at 314 Fifteenth Street, Sacramento, CA. 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 or modification 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 modify after it has received all approvals for the proposed modification required by any governmental agencies with jurisdiction over the proposed modification, or which would have jurisdiction absent the Commission's preemption.

## DISCUSSION

Advice Letter No. 34 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to modify additional cellular facilities.

SCTC 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 modification (with the exception of the California Public Utilities Commission): the City of Sacramento, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

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The proposed modification will be located at 314 Fifteenth Street, Sacramento, CA and is known as the American River site. It will consist of the addition of six cellular antennas to an existing tower

The modifications to American River site will become part of SCTC's cellular system serving the Sacramento Metropolitan Statistical Area.

Public notice that SACRAMENTO CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY filed Advice Letter No. 34 requesting authority to modify the American River site appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's November 9, 1990 Daily Calendar. In addition, copies of SCTC's Advice Letter No. 34 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 SCTC's Advice Letter No. 34.

### **FINDINGS**

- 1. On November 6, 1990, SACRAMENTO CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY filed Advice Letter No. 34 requesting Executive authorization to modify the American River cell site located at 314 Fifteenth Street, Sacramento, CA.
- The American River site represents a modification of a cellular radiotelephone facility not described in Decision 87-10-037, granting SCTC 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 or modify cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in a utility's certificate of public convenience and necessity.
- 4. Advice Letter No. 34 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
- 5. A SCTC officer signed a declaration which states that SCTC has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 34.
- 6. Advice Letter No. 34 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed modification of the American River cell site: the City of Sacramento, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

# THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) SACRAMENTO CELLULAR TELEPHONE COMPANY's request for authority to modify the American River cell site is granted.
- (2) The effective date of this resolution is December 6, 1990.

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