

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION
Telecommunications Branch

RESOLUTION T-14375
Date: March 22, 1991

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION T-14375. LOS ANGELES SMSA LIMITED PARTNERSHIP. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF 5 NEW CELL SITES IN THE LOS ANGELES METROPOLITAN GEOGRAPHIC SERVICE AREA.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 91, FILED ON FEBRUARY 22, 1991.

SUMMARY

Los Angeles SMSA Limited Partnership (LASLP), by Advice Letter No. 91, filed on February 22, 1991, requests authority under the provisions of General Order 159 (G.O. 159) and Decision No. 90-03-080 (March 28, 1990) to add 5 new cellular radiotelephone cell sites to its existing cellular system serving the Los Angeles Metropolitan Geographic Service Area. This Resolution authorizes the construction 5 new cell sites, known as the Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic sites, located at 41725 Cook St., Palm Desert, CA, 6320 Van Nuys Blvd., Los Angeles, CA, 373 North Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA, 105 Main St., Newport Beach, CA, and 3053 West Olympic Blvd., Los Angeles, CA respectively. No protests to this Advice Letter have been received.

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 the decision granting the 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. 91 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to construct additional cellular facilities.

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The 5 new sites, Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic, represent additional cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in D.87-04-014, granting LASLP a certificate of public convenience and necessity.

LASLP 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): the City of Palm Desert, the City of Los Angeles, the City of Newport Beach, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

The proposed construction for the 5 new cell sites will be located at 41725 Cook St., Palm Desert, CA, 6320 Van Nuys Blvd., Los Angeles, CA, 373 North Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA, 105 Main St., Newport Beach, CA, and 3053 West Olympic Blvd., Los Angeles, CA, and are known as the Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic sites respectively. The improvements at each of the cell sites are listed below.

The Palmer cell site will consist of the placement of a microwave dish and cellular antennas on an existing 150-foot lattice tower. It will also include the construction and maintenance of an 8' x 35' freestanding utility structure to house electrical radio and power equipment.

The Valley cell site will consist of the installation, use, and maintenance of a cellular telephone facility within a 590-square-foot area of an existing five-story commercial building, with appurtenant antenna structures (12 grid type) including two 2-foot and one 4-foot microwave dishes located on the roof.

The Beverly Western cell site will consist of the installation, use, and maintenance of a cellular telephone facility within a 486-square-foot area on the third floor of an existing commercial building, with appurtenant antenna structures including microwave dishes located on the roof.

The Newport Beach cell site will consist of the installation, use, and maintenance of a cellular communications cell enhancer system and associated antennas which will be placed within the mechanical penthouse of an existing building.

The KT Olympic cell site will consist of the installation, use, and maintenance of a cellular telephone facility within a 687-square-foot area on the third floor of an existing commercial building, with appurtenant antenna structures including microwave dishes located on the roof.

The 5 new cell sites, Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic, will become part of LASLP's cellular system serving the Los Angeles Metropolitan Geographic Service Area.

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NOTICE

Public notice that Los Angeles SMSA Limited Partnership filed Advice Letter No. 91 requesting authority to construct 5 new cell sites, Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic, appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's February 27, 1991 Daily Calendar. In addition, copies of LASLP's Advice Letter No. 91 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 to LASLP's Advice Letter No. 91 have been received.

FINDINGS

1. On February 22, 1991, Los Angeles SMSA Limited Partnership filed Advice Letter No. 91 requesting Executive authorization to construct 5 new cell sites; the Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic sites, located at 41725 Cook St., Palm Desert, CA, 6320 Van Nuys Blvd., Los Angeles, CA, 373 North Western Ave., Los Angeles, CA, 105 Main St., Newport Beach, CA, and 3053 West Olympic Blvd., Los Angeles, CA respectively.
2. The Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic sites represent additional cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in D.87-04-014, granting LASLP 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. 91 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
5. A LASLP officer signed a declaration which states that LASLP has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 91.
6. Advice Letter No. 91 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed construction of the Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic cell sites: the City of Palm Desert, the City of Los Angeles, the City of Newport Beach, the Federal Aviation Administration, and the Federal Communications Commission.

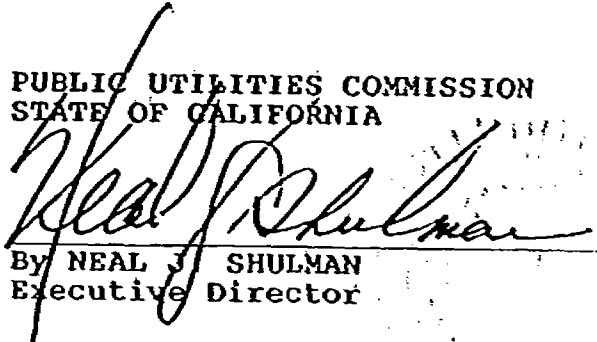
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7. No protests to Advice Letter No. 91 have been received.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) Los Angeles SMSA Limited Partnership's request for authority to construct 5 new cell sites, Palmer, Valley, Beverly Western, Emerald Bay, and KT Olympic, is granted.
- (2) The effective date of this resolution is March 22, 1991.

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