PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION RESOLUTION T-14534
Telecommunications Branch Date: July 26, 1991

RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION T-14534. PACTEL CELLULAR. EXECUTIVE ORDER AUTHORIZING THE ADDITION OF FIVE NEW CELL SITES IN THE SAN DIEGO METROPOLITAN AREA.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 64, FILED ON June 26, 1991.

SUMMARY

PACTEL CELLULAR (PTC), by Advice Letter No. 64, filed on June 26, 1991, requests authority under the provisions of General Order 159 (G.O. 159) and Decision No. 90-03-080 (March 28, 1990) to add five new cellular radiotelephone cell sites to its existing cellular system serving the San Diego metropolitan area. This Resolution authorizes the construction of five new cell sites, known as University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall, located at 3875 Swift Avenue, San Diego; 3 North 2nd Avenue, Chula Vista; 909 Garnet Avenue, San Diego; 15050 Avenue of Science, San Diego; 4163 Holly Lane, Bonsall, San Diego County, respectively. 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 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. 64 contains all the information required under G.O. 159 to be included in an Advice Letter filing for authority to construct additional cellular facilities.

The five sites, University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall, represent additional cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in D.85-04-023, granting PTC a certificate of public convenience and necessity.

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PTC 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): Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Communications Commission, and for University/805, Asylum, and Pacific Beach, the City of San Diego, for Chula Vista, the City of Chula Vista, the City of Chula Vista.

The proposed construction for the five new cell sites will be located at 3875 Swift Avenue, San Diego; 3 North 2nd Avenue, Chula Vista; 909 Garnet Avenue, San Diego; 15050 Avenue of Science, San Diego; 4163 Holly Lane, Bonsall, San Diego County and are known as the University/305, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall sites respectively. The sites will consist of:

At University/805, a 545 sq.ft. cellular communications facility on the second floor of an existing two-story building. Fifteen directional antennas will be attached to the faces of the parapet walls of the building and four whip antennas will be mounted on top of the parapet walls.

At Asylum, a 328 sq.ft. cellular communications facility in the basement of an existing building. A roof top enclosure will be constructed with fifteen directional antennas mounted within and four whip antennas mounted on top of the structure.

At Pacific Beach, a 408 sq.ft. cellular communications facility in the penthouse of an existing three-story building. Interior space will house up to fifteen directional antennas.

At Rancho Bernardo, a 440 sq.ft. cellular communications facility within an existing two-story building. Ten directional panel antennas and a microwave antenna will be mounted on the roof of the building.

At Bonsall, a new 14 x 30 x 9' concrete block building housing cellular radiotelephone equipment and a54 foot monopole with a 6ix foot whip antenna.

The five new cell sites, University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall, will become part of PTC's cellular system serving the San Diego metropolitan area.

NOTICE

Public notice that PACTEL CELLULAR filed Advice Letter No. 64 requesting authority to construct five new cell sites, University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall appeared in the California Public Utilities Commission's June 28, 1991 Daily Calendar. In addition, copies of PTC's Advice Letter No. 64 were mailed in accordance with the Commission's General Order No. 96-A, Section III. G, to

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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 PTC's Advice Letter No. 64.

FINDINGS

- 1. On June 26, 1991, PACTEL CELLULAR filed Advice Letter No. 64 requesting Executive authorization to construct five new cell sites, University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall, located at 3875 Swift Avenue, San Diego; 3 North 2nd Avenue, Chula Vista; 909 Garnet Avenue, San Diego; 15050 Avenue of Science, San Diego; 4163 Holly Lane, Bonsall, San Diego County respectively.
- The University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall sites represent additional cellular radiotelephone facilities not described in D.85-04-023, granting PTC 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. 64 conforms to the requirements of Decision 90-03-080 and G.O. 159.
- 5. A PTC officer signed a declaration which states that PTC has received all necessary permits or approvals from the governmental entities listed in Advice Letter No. 64.
- 6. Advice Letter No. 64 lists the following entities which have jurisdiction over the proposed construction of the University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall cell sites: Federal Aviation Administration, Federal Communications Commission, and for University/805, Asylum, and Pacific Beach, the City of San Diego, for Chula Vista, the City of Chula Vista, and for Bonsall, the City of Chula Vista.
- 7. No protests to Advice Letter No. 64 have been received.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that:

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(1) PACTEL CELLULAR's request for authority to construct five new cell sites, University/805, Asylum, Pacific Beach, Rancho Bernardo, and Bonsall, is granted.

(2) The effective date of this resolution is July 26, 1991.

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By NEAL 7. SHULMAN.