PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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COMMISSION ADVISORY AND COMPLIANCE DIVISION RESOLUTION T-15704 Telecommunications Branch April 26, 1995

<u>RESQLUTION</u>

RESOLUTION T-15704. GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED. REQUEST TO PROVIDE DIRECT INWARD DIALING SERVICE FOR AURORA NATIONAL LIFE ASSURANCE UNDER A CUSTOMER-SPECIFIC CONTRACT.

BY ADVICE LETTER 5687 FILED DECEMBER 8, 1994.

SUMMARY

GTE California Incorporated (GTEC) requests authority under provisions of General Order No. 96-A (G.O. 96-A) and Decision Nos. (D.) 88-09-059 and 94-09-065 to deviate from filed tariff schedules in order to provide Direct Inward Dialing (DID) service to Aurora National Life Assurance under a customer specific contract.

This Resolution authorizes GTEC's request. GTEC estimates the annual revenue impact of this filing will be a decrease of \$8,760. No protest to the Advice Letter was filed.

BACKGROUND

In D.88-09-059 the Commission adopted a modified Phase I Settlement (hereinafter referred to as the Settlement). Under the provisions of the Settlement, the Local Exchange Companies (LECs) are allowed to provide DID service under the terms of contracts between LECs and customers. The Settlement provides that such contracts become effective upon Commission authorization.

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The process and requirements for filing of advice letters to request authorization of customer specific contracts are set forth in Appendix A of D.88-09-059. Additional specifications for advice letter filings requesting authorization to provide service under contract are provided in Resolution Nos. T-13091 and T-13069.

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D.90-04-031 further requires that special contracts comply with the principles of imputation, unbundling and nondiscriminatory access adopted in D.89-10-031 and that prices for monopoly utility services be based on their underlying costs. The Commission by D.94-09-065 clarified these principles and adopted other changes to the contracting requirements. The proposed contract complies with the contracting requirements.

DID allows inward calls to a PBX to be completed to specific PBX stations without attendant assistance. Under the terms of the one year contract, GTEC agrees to provide DID service for 600 stations at a monthly rate of \$600. Nonrecurring and recurring charges for additions in excess of those at cutover are per contract.

GTEC estimates the annual impact of this filing to be a decrease of \$8,760.

NOTICE/PROTESTS

GTEC states that a copy of the Advice Letter and related tariff sheets was mailed to competing and adjacent utilities and/or other utilities and to the customer named in the contract. Advice Letter No. 5687 was listed in the Commission's Daily Calendar of December 14, 1994.

No protest to the Advice Letter was filed.

DISCUSSION

In reviewing the Advice Letter, we note the following:

a. The Advice letter and the contract are public documents.

b. The rates and charges set forth in this contract cover the Long Run Incremental Costs of providing the DID service offered under the terms of the contract.

We conclude that the Advice Letter meets the requirements set forth in the previously mentioned Commission Orders and G.O. 96-A and should be approved. However, we must emphasize that our approval is based on the specifics of this Advice Letter and the associated contract and does not establish a precedent for the contents of future filings or for Commission approval of similar requests.

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FINDINGS

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1. GTEC filed Advice Letter No. 5687 requesting Commission authorization to provide DID service for Aurora National Life Assurance under a customer-specific contract.

2. The Advice Letter and the contract conform to the requirements of Decision Nos. 88-09-059 and 94-09-065, Resolution Nos. T-13069 and T-13091, and G.O. 96-A.

3. GTEC states that authorization of this contract will result in estimated annual revenue decrease of \$8,760.

4. Commission authorization of the Advice Letter and the contract does not establish a precedent for the contents of future filings or the Commission approval of similar requests. Commission approval is based on the specifics of this contract.

5. The rates, charges, terms and conditions of the contractual service approved in this Resolution are just and reasonable.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED that

1. Authority is granted to make GTE California Incorporated Advice Letter No. 5687 and the associated contract effective on April 27, 1995.

2. The Advice Letter and contract shall be marked to show that they were authorized by Resolution T-15704.

The effective date of this Resolution is today.

I certify that this Resolution was adopted by the Public Utilities Commission at its regular meeting on April 26, 1995. The following Commissioners approved it:

> DANIEL Wm. FESSLER President P. GREGORY CONLON JESSIE J. KNIGHT, Jr. HENRY M. DUQUE Commissioners

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