

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Commission Advisory and Compliance Division RESOLUTION T-15841  
Telecommunications Branch January 24, 1996

R E S O L U T I O N

RESOLUTION T-15841. GTE CALIFORNIA INCORPORATED.  
(U-1002-C). EXECUTIVE AUTHORITY TO WITHDRAW TARIFF  
SCHEDULE NO. A-3, ELECTRONIC BUSINESS SYSTEM SERVICE,  
FOR WHICH THERE ARE NO SUBSCRIBERS.

BY ADVICE LETTER NO. 7939, FILED ON DECEMBER 7, 1995

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SUMMARY

This Executive Director Action Resolution authorizes GTE California Incorporated (GTEC) to withdraw its Schedule Cal.P.U.C. No. A-3, Electronic Business System Service (EBSS), for which there are no existing customers or requests for service.

BACKGROUND

By Advice Letter No. 7939, filed December 7, 1995, GTEC requests authority to withdraw EBSS as a product offering. GTEC states that this service was restricted to customers of record as of January 6, 1989, in Advice Letter No. 5185, filed in compliance with Decision No. 88-12-027 which authorized GTEC to offer a new service called "CentraNet" on a provisional basis; as stated in its tariff schedule No. A-3, after two years EBSS would be withdrawn. Since GTEC now has permanent authority to offer "CentraNet", and there are no customers subscribing to EBSS, GTEC officially requests to eliminate its schedule No. A-3.

NOTICE/PROTESTS

Notice of Advice Letter No. 7939 was published in the Commission Daily Calendar of December 13, 1995. No protests have been received.

DISCUSSION

GTEC has permanent authority to offer "CentraNet" which is an alternative service to EBSS. Furthermore, GTEC has no customers for EBSS or requests for EBSS. Resolution No. T-9597, dated

March 22, 1977, authorizes the Executive Director to grant requests for the withdrawal of communications utility services for which there are no customers and no requests for such services.

FINDINGS

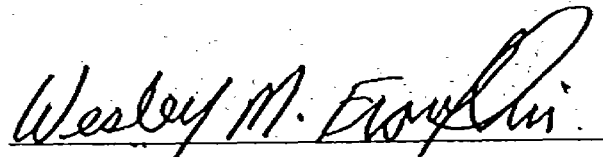
We find that the request authorized in this resolution is just and reasonable; therefore good cause appearing,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Authority is granted to make the tariff revisions contained in GTE California Incorporated's Advice Letter No. 7939 effective January 24, 1996.
2. Advice Letter No. 7939 of GTE California Incorporated and accompanying tariff sheets shall be marked to show that they were authorized by California Public Utilities Commission Resolution No. T-15841 and its effective date.

This Resolution is effective today.

I hereby certify that this Resolution was adopted by Executive Action Resolution on January 24, 1996.



WESLEY M. FRANKLIN  
Executive Director