

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI**

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the)
Certificate of Service Authority of) File No. LD-2011-
Pelzer Communications Corporation)

MOTION TO CANCEL CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

COMES NOW the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission and moves for the Missouri Public Service Commission (Commission) to cancel the certificate of service authority to provide basic local exchange telecommunications service and interexchange service in Missouri of Pelzer Communications Corporation (“the Company) and states as follows:

1. On November 4, 2006, the Commission granted a certificate of basic local service authority to the Company in Case No. CA-2007-0109. On November 5, 2006, the Commission granted a certificate of interexchange service authority to the Company in Case No. XA-2007-0110.

2. On August 12, 2010, the Company contacted Staff and requested that its certificates of service authority be cancelled as it was to cease Missouri operations on or before September 13, 2010. See Attachment A.

3. Because the Company requested cancellation of its certificates and it is not providing services in Missouri, Staff recommends the Commission cancel the certificates.

4. The Commission has the authority to cancel a telecommunications certificate pursuant to Section 392.410.5 RSMo 2000, which provides “[a]ny certificate of service authority may be altered or modified by the commission after notice and hearing, upon its own motion or upon application of the person or company affected.”

5. The Commission need not hold a hearing, if, after proper notice and opportunity to intervene, no party requests such a hearing. *State ex rel. Rex Deffenderfer Enterprises, Inc. v. Public Service Commission*, 776 S.W.2d 494 (Mo. App. W.D. 1989).

WHEREFORE, the Staff respectfully recommends the Commission cancel the certificates of service authority of Pelzer Communications Corporation to provide basic local and interexchange telecommunications service in Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,



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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that copies of the foregoing have been mailed, hand-delivered, transmitted by facsimile or electronically mailed to all counsel of record this 1st day of November, 2010.



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August 12, 2010

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Marlene H. Dortch
Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Section 63.71 Application of Pelzer Communications for Discontinuance of
Telecommunications Services

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed please find the original and six (6) copies of the Application of Pelzer Communications ("Pelzer") for authority to discontinue the provision of certain telecommunications services on or before September 13, 2010.

I have enclosed an extra copy of this filing. Please stamp this extra copy with the Commission's acknowledgement of receipt and return to our messenger.

Sincerely,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP



K.C. Halm
Counsel for Pelzer Communications

cc: Special Assistant for Telecommunications, Secretary of Defense, U.S. Dept. of Defense,
Pentagon, Washington, DC 20301
Governors of the affected states
Public Utility Commissions of the affected states

Encl.

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**BEFORE THE
FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20554**

In the Matter of Section 63.71 Application of

Pelzer Communications for Authority
Pursuant to Section 214 of the
Communications Act to Discontinue
Telecommunications Services

File No. _____

SECTION 63.71 APPLICATION

Pelzer Communications ("Pelzer"), by counsel, hereby seeks authorization pursuant to Section 214(a) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 214(a), and Section 63.71 of the Commission's Rules, 47 C.F.R. § 63.71, to discontinue its provision of certain domestic telecommunications services on or before September 13, 2010.

Pelzer seeks authority to discontinue all services provided by Pelzer (Ethernet, frame relay, local access, local dial tone, long distance, PRI, private line, toll free, and all other communications services) to all customers with Verizon Business as their underlying carrier throughout the entirety of Pelzer's service area (California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia, Washington) (collectively "Discontinued Services"). However, Pelzer services to customers with entities other than Verizon Business as their underlying carrier are not affected by this discontinuance.

The impact on the public of this discontinuance will be minimal because there are just nine customers for the Discontinued Services.

In support of this Application, Pelzer provides the following information.

I. Information Required by 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(1) – (a)(4)

1. Name and Address of Carrier

Pelzer Communications
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Attn: George E. Linthicum, IV

2. Date of Planned Service Discontinuance

Pelzer plans to discontinue the provision of the Discontinued Services on or before September 13, 2010.

3. Points of Geographic Areas of Service Affected

Pelzer is discontinuing the Discontinued Services, as described above, throughout the entirety of Pelzer's service area (California, Colorado, District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Missouri, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York, Pennsylvania, Texas, Virginia, Washington).

However, Pelzer services to customers with entities other than Verizon Business as their underlying carrier are not affected by this discontinuance.

4. Description of Type of Service Affected

As described above, Pelzer will discontinue all services provided by Pelzer (Ethernet, frame relay, local access, local dial tone, long distance, PRI, private line, toll free, and all other communications services) to all customers with Verizon Business as their underlying carrier.

However, Pelzer services to customers with entities other than Verizon Business as their underlying carrier are not affected by this discontinuance.

II. Notice to Customers

In accordance with 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a) and applicable state law, Pelzer has notified all affected customers of the planned discontinuance of the Discontinued Services. Specifically, Pelzer sent notification letters via electronic mail to each of the affected customers on August 11, 2010. These notices included all the information required by 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(1) – (a)(4), as well as the statement applicable to non-dominant carriers set forth in 47 C.F.R. § 63.71(a)(5)(i).

III. Non-Dominant Status

Pelzer is a non-dominant carrier with respect to all of the Discontinued Services.

IV. Notice to States and the Secretary of Defense

In accordance with 47 C.F.R. 63.71(a), Pelzer has mailed a copy of this Application to the public utility commissions and the Governors of the seventeen affected states, as well as to the Secretary of Defense.

V. Designated Contacts

Correspondence concerning this Application should be directed to:

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WHEREFORE, Pelzer Communications respectfully requests that the Commission authorize the discontinuance of the Pelzer Discontinued Services on or before September 13, 2010.

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