

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

In the Matter of the Cancellation of the Certificates)
of Service Authority of:)
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William Patrick Crabtree d/b/a Crystal)
Communications;)
Jeet Pahwa d/b/a S.R. Telecommunications;)
Scott D. Francis;)
Sonja Marie Lawson d/b/a Sonja Marie)
Communications.)

Case No. PD-2006-0099

ORDER CANCELING CERTIFICATES OF SERVICE AUTHORITY

Issue Date: September 20, 2005

Effective Date: September 30, 2005

On August 31, 2005, the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission filed a motion to cancel the certificates of the above-captioned private pay telephone providers. Staff states that the Commission issued certificates of service authority to provide private payphone service to the following: William Patrick Crabtree d/b/a Crystal Communications in Case No. TA-98-514; Jeet Pahwa d/b/a S.R. Telecommunication in Case No. TA-99-292; Scott D. Francis in Case No. TA-98-551; and Sonja Marie Lawson d/b/a Sonja Marie Communications in Case No. TA-98-580.

In support of its motion, Staff states that it is unable to contact any of the above providers. Further, that the statement of revenue form for the fiscal year 2006 assessments, mailed to the providers, were returned as undeliverable. Staff argues that the providers have violated the terms of their certificates by failing to keep the Commission informed of a current address and telephone number and by failing to file 2004 statements

of revenue. Staff informs the Commission that it served the providers at their last known principal office addresses.

Staff further states that Section 392.210(2) requires the Commission to at all times have access to all accounts, records and memoranda kept by telecommunications companies. Because the providers have failed to keep the Commission informed of their perspective addresses, the Commission has been denied the access that is required under Section 392.210(2). Lastly, the providers have thwarted the Commission's responsibility to supervise telecommunications operations and services as required under Section 386.250.

Commission rule 4 CSR 240-2.080(15) requires that responsive pleadings be filed within ten days. None of the above providers have responded to Staff's motion. Section 392.410(5), RSMo 2000, states: "Any 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" The Commission has reviewed Staff's motion and finds that the certificates of service authority granted to above captioned providers shall be canceled.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service granted to William Patrick Crabtree d/b/a Crystal Communications, in Case No. TA-98-514, is canceled.

2. That the certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service granted to Jeet Pahwa d/b/a S.R. Telecommunications, in Case No. TA-99-293, is canceled.

3. That the certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service granted to Scott D. Francis, in Case No. TA-98-551, is canceled.

4. That the certificate of service authority to provide private pay telephone service granted to Sonja Marie Lawson d/b/a Sonja Marie Communications, in Case No. TA-98-580, is canceled.

5. That this order shall become effective on September 30, 2005.

6. That this case may be closed on October 1, 2005.

BY THE COMMISSION



Colleen M. Dale
Secretary

(S E A L)

Kennard L. Jones, Regulatory Law Judge,
by delegation of authority pursuant to
Section 386.240, RSMo 2000.

Dated at Jefferson City, Missouri,
on this 20th day of September, 2005.