

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

THE APPLICATION OF FRANK C. ESCUE)
d/b/a TELPAGE FOR A CERTIFICATE)
TO EXTEND PAGING SERVICE TO)
FAIRDALE, KENTUCKY)

CASE NO. 7701

O R D E R

On January 10, 1980, Frank C. Escue, d/b/a Telpage (Applicant), filed with the Commission an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, and authorization to extend Applicant's existing one-way pager service from Leitchfield and Radcliff to Fairdale, Kentucky, and its environs. Applicant presently provides mobile radiotelephone and tone-only and tone-and-voice paging service in Leitchfield and Radcliff, Kentucky, and their environs, under a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity granted by the Commission in Case No. 7107, dated August 23, 1979.

Applicant proposed to construct or otherwise obtain all necessary facilities to provide these services as more specifically set forth in the Application and evidence of record.

The matter was set for hearing in the Commission's offices at Frankfort, Kentucky, on February 1, 1980, at 3:00 p.m., Eastern Standard Time. The hearing was held as scheduled and all parties of interest were given the opportunity to be heard. There were no intervenors present at the hearing.

The Commission, after consideration of the Application and all evidence of record, and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that the Public Convenience and Necessity require that such service as is proposed in the Application and record be performed, and that a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity should be granted.

The Commission further finds that the rates and charges proposed in the Application, which were previously approved in Case No. 7107, are fair, just, and reasonable, and should be effective with the institution of service.

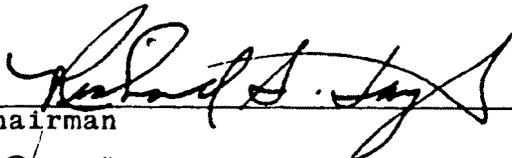
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Telpage be and it hereby is granted a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity to proceed with the provision of service as set forth in the Application and record.

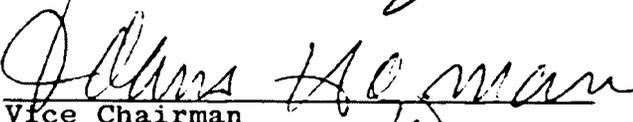
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Telpage shall file with the Commission, at least thirty (30) days prior to the initiation of such service, its tariff setting forth its rules, regulations, and rates in the manner prescribed by the Regulations of the Commission.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the rates and charges approved by the Commission in Case No. 7107, dated August 23, 1979, be and they hereby are approved effective with the institution of the service approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 5th day of March, 1980.

UTILITY REGULATORY COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary