

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

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| APPLICATION OF CENTRAL KENTUCKY CELLULAR |) | |
| TELEPHONE COMPANY FOR ISSUANCE OF A |) | |
| CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND |) | CASE NO. 90-163 |
| NECESSITY TO CONSTRUCT AN ADDITIONAL CELL |) | |
| FACILITY IN THE LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY |) | |
| METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREA |) | |

O R D E R

On June 7, 1990, Central Kentucky Cellular Telephone Company ("Central Kentucky Cellular") filed an application seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to construct and operate an additional cellular radio telecommunications antenna tower in the Lexington Kentucky Metropolitan Statistical Area ("MSA"). The Commission previously granted Central Kentucky Cellular authority to provide cellular services in the Lexington MSA.

The proposed cell facility will improve Central Kentucky Cellular's existing services, and will increase the system's capacity to provide service to new customers. This cell facility will be located at 2200 Catnip Hill Road, approximately one mile west of U.S. Highway 27, north of Nicholasville, Kentucky. There are no inhabited structures within 500 feet of the proposed cell site. The height of the antenna tip above ground level is to be 320 feet.

On June 27, 1990, the Commission ordered Central Kentucky Cellular to file additional information. The responses were filed on July 13, 1990 and August 17, 1990.

Pursuant to KRS 100.324(1), the proposed cell site construction is exempt from local zoning ordinances. However, Central Kentucky Cellular has notified the Jessamine County Planning Commission of its proposed construction by letter dated June 7, 1990.

The Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") has already granted Central Kentucky Cellular authority to provide service in the Lexington MSA; therefore, no further approvals by the FCC are required.


On November 27, 1989, Central Kentucky Cellular filed an application with the Federal Aviation Administration ("FAA"). The FAA approved the proposed construction on February 13, 1990.

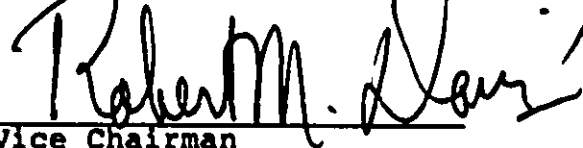
On November 27, 1989, Central Kentucky Cellular filed an application with the Kentucky Airport Zoning Commission ("KAZC"). The KAZC approved the application on January 17, 1990.

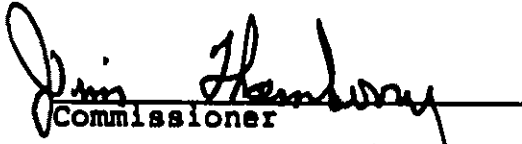
The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that Central Kentucky Cellular shall be granted authority to construct a cellular radio telecommunications antenna tower in the Lexington MSA, at 2200 Catnip Hill Road, approximately one mile west of U.S. Highway 27, north of Nicholasville, Kentucky.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 17th day of September, 1990.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director