

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF WILTEL, INC. FOR A)
CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND)
NECESSITY TO PROVIDE INTRASTATE INTER-)
EXCHANGE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES) CASE NO. 91-395
WITHIN THE STATE OF KENTUCKY, AND FOR)
APPROVAL OF ITS INITIAL TARIFF)

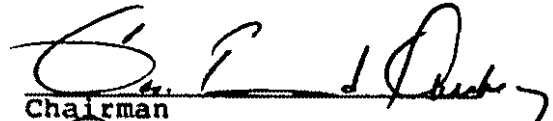
O R D E R

On November 8, 1991, WilTel, Inc. ("WilTel") petitioned the Commission for emergency, interim authority to serve customers of Telesphere Limited, Inc. ("TLI") pending approval of WilTel's application for permanent authority before the Commission. In the alternative, WilTel requests that the Commission grant expedited treatment to its pending application for a permanent certificate to provide interexchange service in Kentucky.

The Commission, having reviewed the petition and application of WilTel and being otherwise sufficiently advised, finds that further investigation is necessary and HEREBY ORDERS that WilTel's petition for emergency, interim authority is denied and that WilTel's application for a permanent certificate of authority will be processed as expeditiously as possible.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 6th day of December, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman

Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director