

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF MULTI-COM SYSTEMS, )  
INC. FOR CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC )  
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE ) CASE NO. 8972  
RESALE OF TELECOMMUNICATION SERVICES )  
AND FACILITIES WITHIN KENTUCKY )

O R D E R

On January 25, 1984, Multi-Com Systems, Inc., ("Multi-Com") filed its application for a certificate of public convenience and necessity to resell Wide Area Telecommunications Service ("WATS"). On March 13, 1984, potential competitors were notified by letter of Multi-Com's application. There were no responses to the letters and no intervenors in this case.

Multi-Com has entered into a joint venture to form AmeriCall Systems of Louisville ("AmeriCall"). Multi-Com has majority control of AmeriCall by virtue of its 80 percent partnership interest. AmeriCall is presently engaged in business in Louisville providing the resale of Interstate WATS. Through the use of Foreign Exchange ("FX") lines, AmeriCall also provides service to subscribers in Shelbyville and Frankfort.

AmeriCall uses a Digital Edition Actional Honeywell Tandem Switch and leased WATS and FX lines to provide service to its customers. The system is engineered for a P.01 grade of service. At the time of the application AmeriCall had 925 customers. By

December 31, 1984, AmeriCall plans to have 1892 business and 186 residential customers.

FINDINGS AND ORDER

The Commission, after considering the evidence and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. A certificate of public convenience and necessity should be issued to Multi-Com.

2. Multi-Com has shown ability to provide such service through its AmeriCall partnership which presently provides Interstate WATS resale.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Multi-Com be and it hereby is granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity to resell Intra-State WATS service.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the rates and charges proposed by Multi-Com are hereby approved for service rendered on and after the date of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that 30 days prior to the institution of service Multi-Com shall file its tariffs containing its rates, rules and regulations in accordance with the Commission's regulations.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7th day of August, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Richard D. Hemmelf  
Chairman

R. W. Dyer  
Vice Chairman

Sam Shuck  
Commissioner

ATTEST:

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Secretary