

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

MID-COM COMMUNICATIONS, INC.)	
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_____)	CASE NO.
)	92-329
ALLEGED VIOLATION OF)	
KRS 278.020 AND KRS 278.160)	

O R D E R

On March 19, 1992, Mid-Com Communications, Inc. ("Mid-Com Communications") submitted an application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a reseller of telecommunications services within the state of Kentucky.¹ On June 8, 1992, the Commission ordered Mid-Com Communications to submit additional information. Mid-Com Communications filed its response on July 8, 1992.

In the Commission's request for additional information, Mid-Com Communications was asked, inter alia, whether or not it or any of its affiliates had ever provided and/or collected any money from the public for the provision of intrastate telecommunications services in Kentucky and, if so, to explain in detail. Mid-Com Communications responded affirmatively and admitted that it has

¹ Case No. 92-138, Application of Mid-Com Communications for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Operate as a Reseller of Telecommunications Services Within the State of Kentucky.

provided for the provision of intrastate telecommunications services in Kentucky to two customers.

Accordingly, the Commission finds a prima facie showing has been made that Mid-Com Communications failed to file with the Commission its application for approval to operate and its schedule of rates and conditions of service prior to collecting compensation for the provision of utility service in violation of KRS 278.020 and KRS 278.160. Therefore, Mid-Com Communications should immediately cease and desist charging for any and all telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

1. Mid-Com Communications shall immediately cease and desist charging for any and all telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

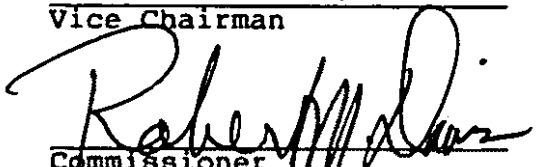
2. A formal hearing will be scheduled at a later date, if necessary, following an informal conference scheduled for July 27, 1992 in Case No. 92-138.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 11th day of August, 1992.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director