

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

APPLICATION OF TARGET TELECOM, INC. FOR)	
A CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND)	CASE NO.
NECESSITY TO OPERATE AS A SWITCHLESS)	94-261
RESELLER OF LONG DISTANCE SERVICES)	
WITHIN THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY)	

O R D E R

On July 8, 1994, Target Telecom, Inc. ("Target Telecom") filed its application with the Commission seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide intrastate, long-distance telecommunications services as a reseller within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

Target Telecom is a New Jersey corporation proposing to resell long-distance services, from carriers certified to provide telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky, in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in its tariff. Target Telecom is not seeking authority to provide operator-assisted telecommunications services.

Target Telecom does not own transmission or reception telecommunications equipment or facilities used to provide its services. All operating facilities, equipment, and networking will be provided by the certified underlying carrier.

In Target Telecom's September 30, 1994 response to the Commission's August 31, 1994 Order, it informed the Commission that money had been collected for non-certified service. This alleged

violation was resolved in Case No. 95-013 by Commission Order dated February 22, 1995.¹

The application provided by Target Telecom demonstrates its financial, managerial, and technical capability. The rates proposed should be approved as the fair, just, and reasonable rates to be charged.

The Commission, having considered the application, the information provided by Target Telecom, and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. Target Telecom be and it hereby is granted authority to provide intrastate, long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky on and after the date of this Order.

2. Target Telecom shall comply with the provisions of the Orders in Administrative Case No. 323.²

3. Target Telecom's authority to provide service in this Commonwealth is strictly limited to those services described in this Order and Target Telecom's application.

4. The rates proposed by Target Telecom are hereby approved.

5. Within 30 days from the date of this Order, Target Telecom shall file its tariff sheets in accordance with 807 KAR

¹ Case No. 95-013, Target Telecom, Inc. - Investigation Into the Alleged Violation of KRS 278.020 and KRS 278.160.


² Administrative Case No. 323, An Inquiry Into IntraLATA Toll Competition, An Appropriate Compensation Scheme for Completion of IntraLATA Calls by Interexchange Carriers, and WATS Jurisdictionality, Phase I, Order dated May 6, 1991.


5:011 to conform to the restrictions and conditions of service contained herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 28th day of March, 1995.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director