COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF COMMUNICATION)
TELESYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL FOR A)
CERTIFICATE TO RESELL) CASE NO. 96-332
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN)
THE STATE OF KENTUCKY	,)

ORDER

On September 24, 1996, Communication Telesystems International ("Communication Telesystems") filed a motion to withdraw its application for authority to provide intrastate, long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. In support of its motion, Communication Telesystems states that it intends to seek authority to operate pursuant to the Commission's decision in Administrative Case No. 359. Based on the motion and being otherwise sufficiently advised, the Commission finds good cause to allow the application to be withdrawn.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Communication Telesystem's motion to withdraw its application is granted and this case is dismissed without prejudice.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 7th day of October, 1996.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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Chairman

Vice Chairman

Commissioner

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Executive Director

Administrative Case No. 359, Exemptions for Interexchange Carriers, Long-Distance Resellers, Operator Service Providers and Customer-Owned, Coin-Operated Telephones.