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RE: VIVO COMMUNICAITONS – AZ, LLC
Docket Number T-03973A-00-1038

Dear Sir or Madam:

Please find enclosed herewith for filing an original and ten (10) copies of the Affidavit of Publication from The Arizona Republic along with a completed cover sheet.

Please verify receipt of this filing by date stamping and returning the extra copy of this cover letter in the enclosed, pre-addressed envelope. If you have any questions or require additional information, please call me at (770) 232-9200 or e-mail me at cfallin@telecomcounsel.com. Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Christa L. Fallin
Legal Assistant to
Lance J.M. Steinhart

Enclosures

c: Tim Sefton w/ enclosures
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY TO PROVIDE FACILITIES-BASED AND TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES AND PETITION FOR COMPETITIVE PROPOSED SERVICES BY COMMUNICATIONS-AZ, LLC

VIVO COMMUNICATIONS-AZ, LLC Applicant has filed with the Arizona Corporation Commission an application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("Certificate") to provide facilities-based and telecommunication services in the State of Arizona. Applicant will be required by the Commission to provide this service under the rates, charges and terms and conditions established by the Commission.

The application report of the Commission's Utilities Division Staff, and any written exceptions to the Staff Report prepared by the applicant are available for inspection during regular business hours at the offices of the Commission located at 120 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85003 and at VIVO COMMUNICATIONS-AZ, LLC, 600 South Adams, Suite 210, Birmingham, Michigan 48009.

Under appropriate circumstances, interested parties may intervene in the proceeding and participate as a party. You may have the right to intervene in the proceeding, or you may make a statement for the record in accordance with A.A.C. R14-3-105, except that all motions to intervene must be filed within twenty-one (21) days from the date of publication of this notice. Persons desiring to intervene must file a written motion to intervene with the Commission and send such motion to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record, and which at the minimum, shall contain the following:

The name, address, and telephone number of the proposed intervenor and of any party upon whom service of documents is to be made if different than the intervenor.

A short statement of the proposed intervenor's interest in the proceeding (e.g., a customer of the Company, a shareholder of the Company, a competitor, etc.).

A statement certifying that a copy of the motion to intervene has been mailed to the Company or its counsel and to all parties of record in the case.

A.A.C. R14-3-105 shall govern the granting of motions to intervene. The granting of intervention, among other things, entitles a party to present sworn evidence at the hearing and to cross-examine other witnesses. However, failure to intervene will not preclude any interested person or entity from appearing at the hearing and making a statement on their own behalf.

If you have any comments, mail them to:

The Arizona Corporation Commission Attention: Decker Cook COMMUNICATIONS-AZ, LLC C-0073A-00 filed 1200 West Washington Street Phoenix, Arizona 85003

All comments should be received within twenty-one (21) days from the date of publication of the notice. Public comment will also be taken prior to the hearing. The hearing will take place at the Commission's office, 120 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona, on a date to be determined.

If you have any questions about this application or want information on intervention, you may contact the Consumer Services Section at 120 West Washington Street, Phoenix, Arizona 85003 or call 1-800-222-7000.

The Commission does not discriminate on the basis of disability in admission to its public meetings. Persons with a disability may request a reasonable accommodations such as a sign language interpreter, as well as request this document in an alternative format, by contacting Shelly Hood, ADA Coordinator, voice phone number 602-542-3931, E-mail csandova@cc.state.az.us. Requests should be made as early as possible to allow time to arrange the accommodation. 01029-January 10, 2001

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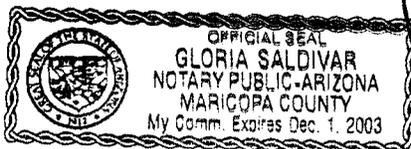
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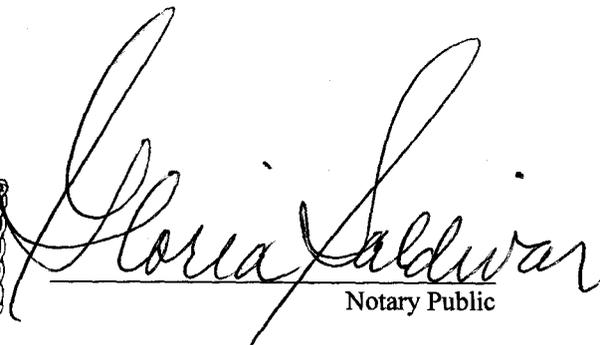
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Sworn to before me this
11th day of
January A.D. 2001




Gloria Saldivar
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