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BEFORE THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION
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DOCKET NO. T-03190A-99-0108

DECISION NO. 61657

ORDER

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
NATIONAL TELESERVICE, INC. FOR
CANCELLATION OF ITS CERTIFICATE OF
CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY.

Open Meeting
April 19 and 20, 1999
Phoenix, Arizona

BY THE COMMISSION:

Having considered the entire record herein and being fully advised in the premises, the Arizona Corporation Commission ("Commission") finds, concludes, and orders that:

FINDINGS OF FACT

1. National Teleservice, Inc. ("NTI") received a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity ("Certificate") to provide competitive interLATA/intraLATA resold telecommunications services in Decision No. 60460 (October 21, 1997).
2. Network Long Distance, Inc. ("NLD") received a Certificate to provide competitive interLATA/intraLATA resold telecommunications services in Decision No. 60412 (September 26, 1997).
3. Decision No. 60377 (August 29, 1997) approved the stock acquisition of NTI by NLD, in which NTI became a wholly owned subsidiary of NLD.
4. On January 13, 1998, NLD and NTI filed an application for a merger. Staff indicated that the Commission did not have jurisdiction in the matter, and Docket Nos. T-02720A-98-0018 and T-03190A-98-0018 were closed by Administrative Closure No. 61027 (July 27, 1998).
5. On March 2, 1999, NTI filed an application in this Docket to cancel its Certificate.
6. NTI indicated that by virtue of the merger, it no longer has customers in Arizona. NTI requested that its Certificate be cancelled.

ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the application of National Teleservice, Inc. for the cancellation of its Certificate to provide interLATA/intraLATA resold telecommunications shall be, and is hereby, approved.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Decision shall become effective immediately.

BY ORDER OF THE ARIZONA CORPORATION COMMISSION.

COMMISSIONER-CHAIRMAN

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I, STUART R. BRACKNEY, Acting Executive Secretary of the Arizona Corporation Commission, have hereunto set my hand and caused the official seal of the Commission to be affixed at the Capitol, in the City of Phoenix, this 21 day of April, 1999.

STUART R. BRACKNEY
ACTING EXECUTIVE SECRETARY

DISSENT _____
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