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RE: Shared Communications Services, Inc.'s Responses to Staff's First Set of Data Requests
Docket No. T-03359A-06-0050

Dear Docket Control Administrator:

Enclosed for filing is the original and 13 copies of Shared Communications Services, Inc.'s Responses to Arizona Corporation Commission Staff's First Set of Data Requests in the above-referenced docket.

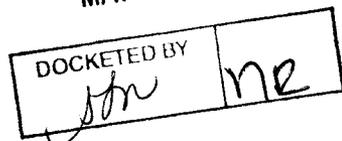
Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

cc: Candrea Allen, ACC

RESPONSES OF SHARED COMMUNICATIONS SERVICES, INC. TO
STAFF'S FIRST SET OF DATA REQUESTS
DOCKET NO. T-03359A-06-0050

1. Please provide the reason(s) for the proposed discontinuance of services or abandonment of service areas.

RESPONSE: Eschelon Telecom, Inc. ("Eschelon") acquired Advanced TelCom, Inc. and its wholly subsidiary, Shared Communications Services, Inc. (hereinafter, "Shared") December 31, 2004. Both entities held certificates of public convenience and necessity in a large number of states in which neither had customers. Eschelon has since been relinquishing those certificates that are no longer needed in order, primarily, to avoid potential compliance oversights. The Arizona Corporation Commission ("ACC") approved the relinquishment of Advanced TelCom, Inc.'s CPCN in Docket No. T-03842A-06-0051, Decision 68699. Eschelon has confirmed that Shared has not had customers in the state of Arizona for several years.

2. Please provide a copy of the legal notice of the application to cancel telecommunications services in all counties affected by the application. Counties affected are those counties where the applicant is certified to provide telecommunications services. Refer to the Arizona Administrative Code ("A.A.C") R14-2-1107.

RESPONSE: Legal notice of Shared's application appeared in The Arizona Republic on March 6, 2006. Eschelon submitted a copy of the affidavit to the ACC on March 15, 2006. A copy of this filing can be found at Attachment A.

3. Does Shared currently have any customers in Arizona? If so, please indicate if the customers were notified of the applicant's discontinuance of services.

RESPONSE: Shared has had no customers in Arizona for at least three years.

4. Please provide a copy of the customer notification sent, if applicable, and indicate the date the notice was sent. If no notice was sent please explain why.

RESPONSE: Please see Shared's response to DR 3, above. There are/were no customers to notify.

5. Please state whether Shared has ever collected advances, deposits, and/or prepayments. If so, please provide the amount of the advances, deposits, and/or

prepayments that have been returned to customers in Arizona whose services are being discontinued. Indicate the outstanding amount of advances, deposits, and/prepayments held by the company from Arizona customers.

RESPONSE: At the time Eschelon acquired Shared, there were no Arizona customer deposits, and none were subsequently collected. Shared has no customers in Arizona.

6. If applicable, indicate a plan for the refund of deposits collected pursuant to subsection A.C.C. R14-2-503 (B).

RESPONSE: Not applicable. Please see responses to DRs 3 through 5 above.

7. Was a list of all alternative carriers providing the same or similar service within the affected geographic area provided to the customers whose service was being discontinued or abandoned? If a list was not provided, please explain.

RESPONSE: Not applicable. Please see responses to DRs 3 through 5 above.

8. Please indicate if the Shared's performance bond, if applicable, is valid. Indicate the total amount of the bond.

RESPONSE: To the best of Eschelon's knowledge, Shared had never posted a performance bond in Arizona.

9. Please indicate the number of residential and business customers Shared provided service in Arizona. Also, provide a breakdown of the number of customers receiving telecommunications services by type of service. How many of Shared's customers in Arizona receive resold long distance services?

RESPONSE: Shared has no customers in Arizona.

10. Please indicate if there are any affiliates of the Applicant currently offering telecommunications services in Arizona. If yes, are the telecommunications services provided by the Applicant similar to those offered by the Applicant's affiliates?

RESPONSE: As noted at DR 1, above, Eschelon acquired Advanced TelCom, Inc. and its wholly owned subsidiary, Shared December 31, 2004. Eschelon has two operating subsidiaries in Arizona at this time: Eschelon Telecom of Arizona, Inc. and Mountain Telecommunications of Arizona, Inc. Both of these entities and

competitive local exchange carriers and each offers a much greater range of telecommunications products than Shared. Any Shared revenues that might have been generated in Arizona prior to its acquisition by Eschelon would have been derived from long distance services only.

11. Please indicate if customers have been transferred to other telecommunications carriers. Indicate the telecommunications carriers the customers were transferred to and the number of customers in Arizona transferred to each carrier.

RESPONSE: Not applicable. Please see responses to DRs 3 through 5 above.

12. Please indicate the state(s) the Applicant currently operates in to provide telecommunications services to customers in Arizona.

RESPONSE: Not applicable. Please see responses to DRs 3 through 5 above.

13. Does the Applicant have any employees in Arizona? If so, please list the number of employees by type of category (i.e. management, technical, and customer service).

RESPONSE: No.

14. Does the Applicant have any facilities in Arizona? If so, please list the number of facilities, a description of each facility, and the location of each facility.

RESPONSE: No.

15. Did the Applicant have any service contracts with customers? If so, please describe how the service contracts were honored or terminated with the customers.

RESPONSE: No.

Responses prepared by:

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March 15, 2006

Via Airborne Express

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Arizona Corporation Commission
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Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996

**Re: Relinquishment of the CPCN of Shared Communications Services, Inc.
Docket No. T-03359A-06-0050**

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed for filing with the Commission in Docket No. **T-03359A-06-0050** is the original, and the requisite number of copies, of the Affidavit of Publishing of the Legal Notice that Shared Communications Services, Inc. has petitioned to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity.

Please contact me directly with any further questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

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Enclosure

cc: Marc Stone, ACC Utilities Division

ATTACHMENT A

THE ARIZONA REPUBLIC

STATE OF ARIZONA }
COUNTY OF MARICOPA } SS.

Ondrea Sheppard, being first duly sworn, upon oath deposes and says: That she is the marketing/sales lead of the Arizona Business Gazette, a newspaper of general circulation in the county of Maricopa, State of Arizona, published at Phoenix, Arizona, by Phoenix Newspapers Inc., which also publishes The Arizona Republic, and that the copy hereto attached is a true copy of the advertisement published in the said paper on the dates as indicated.

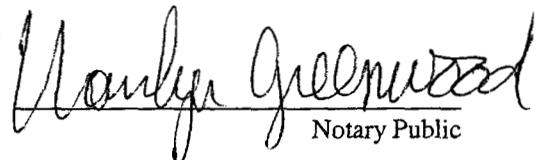
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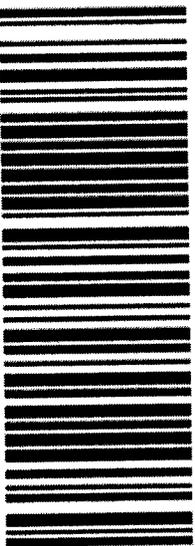
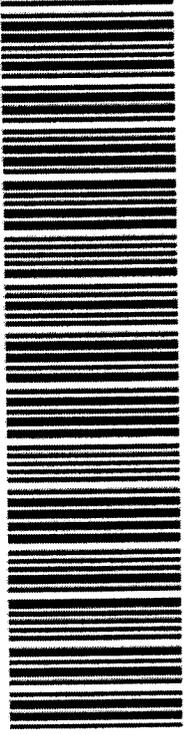


Sworn to before me this
6TH day of
March A.D. 2006




Notary Public

LEGAL NOTICE
On January 27, 2006, Shared Communications Services, Inc. d/b/a SCS of Arizona, Inc. filed a petition to cancel its Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity. Questions concerning this petition can be directed to the Manager of Regulatory Affairs, Eschelon Telecom, Inc., 730 Second Avenue South, Suite 900, Minneapolis, MN 55402, or by facsimile: 612-436-6816. Objections to the petition, Docket No. T-03359A-06-0050, can be filed with the Utilities Division of the Arizona Corporation Commission at 1200 West Washington, Phoenix, AZ 85007-2996.
06145-March 6, 2006

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