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Via Overnight Delivery

Renee Jenkins, Secretary
Public Utilities Commission of Ohio
180 E. Broad Street
Columbus, OH 43215-3793

Re: <u>Case No. 07-852-TP-ABN</u> - Application of Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. to Discontinue all Telecommunications Services to Customers in Ohio

Dear Ms. Jenkins:

On behalf of Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. ("Pac-West") and pursuant to the request of Commission staff, this letter provides additional information regarding Pac-West's discontinuance of all telecommunications services in Ohio. Specifically, Pac-West provides information about the status of the migration of its customers off of Pac-West's network and about the transition of Pac-West's numbers. In addition, in response to Staff's request, Pac-West has attached as Exhibit 1 a sample of the notice that was sent to customers that had a contract that provided for 60-days' notice of disconnection (these customers also received a copy of the discontinuance notice provided in Attachment B to the Application).

Migration Status

With regard to the migration of customers, Pac-West has contacted all of the customers affected by the discontinuance by telephone to be sure that they received the written notices, understand the urgency of the situation, and are taking the steps necessary to migrate their services by August 23. Pac-West is also working with customers and their new carrier(s) to facilitate the transfer process.

Pac-West can therefore confirm to the Commission that all of its service provider customers are actively engaged in the planning process to arrange for new carriers and migrate their services to those new carriers. Most importantly, the only two customers that have a provision for more than a 30-day prior notice of a disconnection in their Master Services Agreement have both indicated that they will be able to migrate to another carrier before August 23, 2007. These two customers have a 60-day notice provision in their contracts; one of them has not yet turned up any service and will not do so prior to August 23, and the other, who provides dial-up Internet services and has other access numbers in place and available to customers in Ohio, does not need to migrate the numbers in order to maintain service. All of the other customers agreed to a 30-day

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notice provision in their contracts. Most of Pac-West's approximately 30 customers in Ohio have identified new carriers and in many cases have already begun to port their service. There are still some customers who have not yet identified a replacement carrier for all of their services. Pac-West is continuing to work with those customers and believes that with diligent efforts all customers should be able to transition services to another carrier prior to the disconnection date.

Number Assignment

With regard to allocated numbers, Pac-West has received 450,000 from the Number Pooling Administrator that are associated with rate centers in Ohio. Of this allocated numbers, Pac-West has donated 189,000 back to the Number Pool Administration. Of the remaining numbers, Pac-West has assigned 7,808 numbers to its service provider customers (900 of these numbers are intermediate numbers that Pac-West's customers have further assigned to their own customers). Upon request, Pac-West's will provide, under seal, its most Form U1 - Utilitization Reporting Form. The numbers that are assigned to Pac-West's customers will be ported to such customers' new carrier(s) unless the customer decides to give the numbers up. Any unassigned numbers following the discontinuance will be returned to Number Pooling Administrator, which will presumably make a determination as to whether and how to reassign the numbers to another carrier. In general, Pac-West understands that Neustar will look at "contaminated" blocks to determine how to reallocate the returned numbering codes.

An original and ten (10) copies of this letter are enclosed for filing. Please date-stamp the extra copy and return it in the envelope provided. Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Brett Ferenchak at (202) 373-6697.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosure

EXHIBIT 1

Sample Customer Notice Letter Sent Pursuant to Master Services Agreement for Customers with a Provision for 60-Days' Notice Prior to Disconnection



NOTICE UNDER MASTER SERVICES AGREEMENT OF EXIT FROM CERTAIN REGIONS

July	24.	2007
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To:

Attention:

Re: Notice under Section 18.1 and 18.2 of Master Services Agreement

Elimination of 25-State Region from Pac-West Service Footprint

Dear Pac-West Customer:

Pac-West Telecomm, Inc. and Pac-West Telecomm of Virginia, Inc. ("Pac-West") ARE EXERCISING THEIR CONTRACTUAL RIGHT TO EXIT THE REGIONS IN THE FOLLOWING 25 STATES (the "Exited Markets"):

Pac-West Exited Markets					
Alabama	Illinois	Michigan	New Jersey	South Carolina	
Delaware	Indiana	Minnesota	New York	Tennessee	
District of	Kansas	Mississippi	Ohio	Texas	
Columbia		• •			
Florida	Kentucky	Missouri	Pennsylvania	Virginia	
Georgia	Maryland	North Carolina	Rhode Island	Wisconsin	

This notice applies to ALL SERVICES in the Exited Markets.

This notice is given pursuant to the Master Services Agreement ("MSA") between you and Pac-West. You are required pursuant to this notice to cease using any services from Pac-West in the markets within sixty (60) days of the date of this notice. No orders will be accepted and no services will be activated in the Exited Markets as of the date of this notice. Local and intrastate termination will not be available in the Exited Markets sixty (60) days after the date of this notice. Pursuant to the MSA, you are permitted to immediately terminate services in the affected region without penalty. Please be aware that you remain responsible for payment in full for all services provided to you until the date of discontinuation.



In order to avoid any disruption of service to you or to any end users you serve using Pac-West services, you should immediately make alternative arrangements for your services in the Exited Markets and convert to an alternate provider as quickly as possible.

Reference is also made to Pac-West's notice to service provider customers taking Pac-West services in the Exited Markets of our application to the Bankruptcy Court seeking authority to terminate all services in the Exited Markets within thirty (30) days. In that notice, Pac-West strongly urges its service provider customers to make alternative arrangements and to have completed their migration to other providers within thirty (30) days. Pac-West reserves the right to withdraw these notices if the Bankruptcy Court declines to grant the requested authority.

To assist you in this process, Pac-West will provide blanket authority to the Number Portability Administration Center to port all telephone numbers assigned to you in the Exited Markets. We urge you to make arrangements for your new carrier to port the numbers on a mass or automated basis to expedite the migration. We can provide you, on request, with a list of the telephone numbers that our records show are assigned to you by Pac-West or ported by your customers to Pac-West. We also remind you that, if they are not already in place, you must establish any required network connections between your network and the network of the new carrier prior to porting telephone numbers to ensure call completion.

Pac-West appreciates the opportunity it has had to serve you. We will try our best to make the transition of your Service(s) in the Exited Markets as smooth as possible. If you have any questions regarding the discontinuance of our Services or the refund of any unused Services or deposits, please contact us at **1-877-626-4325**.

Sincerely yours,

Pac-West Customer Service