## **BEFORE**

## THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

In the Matter of the Complaint of	)
Friends of the Homeless, Inc.,	)
Complainant,	)
	) Case No. 05-1065-TP-CSS
V.	)
McLeodUSA Telecommunications	) ·
Services, Inc.,	)
Respondent.	ý

## **ENTRY**

The attorney examiner finds:

- (1) On August 29, 2005, Friends of the Homeless, Inc., (FOH) filed a complaint against McLeodUSA Telecommunications Services, Inc. (McLeodUSA). FOH alleged in the complaint that McLeodUSA has failed to furnish necessary and adequate services, and FOH requested that the Commission direct that repairs, improvements or additions be made by McLeodUSA within a reasonable time.
- (2) On September 20, 2005, McLeodUSA filed its answer, variously admitting and denying the allegations contained in the complaint.
- (3) Prehearing conferences were held on November 15, 2005, and December 15, 2005. Although this case was not resolved at the conferences, the parties agreed to further discuss the potential for settlement of this matter. The parties then engaged in lengthy settlement discussions and requested several continuances of the hearing in this proceeding.
- (4) On July 31, 2008, FOH filed a request for dismissal of the complaint with prejudice.

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The Commission finds that this complaint should be dismissed (5) with prejudice pursuant to the request for dismissal filed by FOH.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED, That this complaint be dismissed with prejudice. It is, further,

ORDERED, That a copy of this entry be served upon all parties of record.

THE PUBLICATILITIES COMMISSION OF OHIO

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