

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

November 25, 2008

IN RE:)	DOCKET NO.
)	93-01385
APPLICATION OF A & S TELECOMMUNICATIONS,)	
CHARLES W. STEPHENS FOR AUTHORITY TO)	Company ID:
PROVIDE COCOT SERVICES IN TENNESSEE)	70423


**ORDER GRANTING CANCELLATION OF AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE
CUSTOMER OWNED COIN OR COINLESS OPERATED TELEPHONE SERVICE**

This matter came before Chairman Tre Hargett, Director Eddie Roberson and Director Sara Kyle of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on November 10, 2008. A & S Telecommunications, Charles W. Stephens (the "Company") originally filed an Application to provide Customer Owned Coin or Coinless Operated Telephone ("COCOT") service within the State of Tennessee on June 29, 1993. The Tennessee Public Service Commission issued an order on March 31, 1993 stating that the Company had met all the requirements to provide COCOT service in Tennessee.¹ On October 23, 2008, the Company requested that the TRA cancel its authority. Based upon careful consideration of the record in this matter, the panel voted unanimously to grant the Company's request to cancel its authority to provide COCOT service in Tennessee.

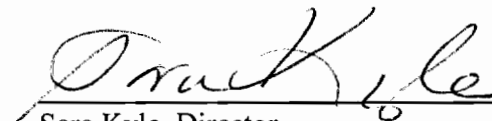
IT IS SO ORDERED.



Tre Hargett, Chairman



Eddie Roberson, Director



Sara Kyle, Director

¹ Authority to provide COCOT service was originally granted in this docket under the name Richard Abernathy. Authority was subsequently transferred to A & S Telecommunications, Charles W. Stephens in Docket No. 95-03918. See *In re: A & S Telecommunications: Petition to Transfer COCOT Phones*, Docket No. 95-03918, Order (November 17, 1995).