

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

July 28, 2014

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| IN RE: |) | DOCKET NO. |
| |) | 97-00892 |
| APPLICATION OF UNITED TELEPHONE |) | |
| COMPANY FOR AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE |) | Company ID: |
| COCOT SERVICE IN TENNESSEE |) | 0000025 |

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

This matter came before Chairman Herbert H. Hilliard, Vice Chairman David F. Jones and Director Kenneth C. Hill of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (the "Authority" or "TRA"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, at a regularly scheduled Authority Conference held on July 22, 2014. United Telephone Company (the "Company") originally filed an Application to provide Customer Owned Coin or Coinless Operated Telephone ("COCOT") service within the State of Tennessee in 1997. During an Authority Conference held on April 29, 1997, the Directors found that the Company had met all the requirements of Tenn. Comp. R. & Regs. 1220-4-2-.43 through 1220-4-2-.45 to provide COCOT service in Tennessee and approved the Application. A name change to United Telephone Company d/b/a United Communications was approved by the Authority on September 10, 2012 in Docket No. 12-00087. On June 25, 2014, the TRA received a request from the Company to cancel its authority. Based upon careful consideration of the record in this matter, the Directors voted unanimously to grant the Company's request to cancel its authority to provide COCOT service in Tennessee.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Chairman Herbert H. Hilliard, Vice Chairman David F. Jones and Director Kenneth C. Hill concur.

ATTEST:



Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director