

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE PUBLIC UTILITY COMMISSION

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

January 18, 2019

IN RE:

APPLICATION OF THE OTHER PHONE  
COMPANY, INC. D/B/A ACCESS ONE  
COMMUNICATIONS APPLICATION  
FOR CERTIFICATE TO PROVIDE  
FACILITIES BASED COMPETING  
LOCAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS  
SERVICES

DOCKET NO.

99-00694

Cancellation Request Co. ID:

128161

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ORDER GRANTING CANCELLATION OF AUTHORITY  
TO PROVIDE TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES

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This matter came before Chair Robin L. Morrison, Commissioner Herbert H. Hilliard, and Commissioner John Hie of the Tennessee Public Utility Commission (the "Commission" or "TPUC"), the voting panel assigned to this docket, during a regularly scheduled Commission Conference held on December 17, 2018. The Other Phone Company, Inc. d/b/a Access One Communications ("TOPC") filed an Application for authority to provide facilities based competing telecommunications services in Tennessee on November 13, 2002. On December 17, 2002, the Tennessee Public Service Commission issued an order stating that TOPC had met all the requirements for certification. TOPC changed its name from Access One Communications to PAETEC Business Services in Docket No. 11-00050.<sup>1</sup>

On October 26, 2018, TPUC received a request from TOPC to cancel its authority. TOPC stated that it no longer has any customers or operations in Tennessee, and does not intend to offer services in the future, effective November 22, 2018. Based upon careful consideration of the entire record in this matter, the Commissioners voted unanimously to grant Company's request to cancel its authority.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

**Chairman David F. Jones, Commissioner Herbert H. Hilliard and Commissioner Kenneth C. Hill concur.**

ATTEST:



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**Earl R. Taylor, Executive Director**

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<sup>1</sup> See *In re: Petition of The Other Phone Company, Inc. d/b/a Access One Communications to Change its Name to The Other Phone Company, Inc. d/b/a PAETEC Business Services*, Docket No. 11-00050, *Order Approving Name Change*, (September 15, 2011).