

**BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF) ONE TEL INC. FOR A CERTIFICATE OF) AUTHORITY TO PROVIDE) TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICES IN) SOUTH DAKOTA)	ORDER PERMITTING WITHDRAWAL OF APPLICATION AND CLOSING DOCKET TC99-115
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On December 8, 1999, One Tel Inc. (One Tel) filed an application with the Public Utilities Commission (Commission) for a certificate of authority to operate as a telecommunications company within the state of South Dakota.

On February 22, 2000, One Tel requested that its application for a certificate of authority be withdrawn, without prejudice.

At its regularly scheduled February 29, 2000, meeting, the Commission considered this matter. The Commission has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to SDCL 49-31-3 and ARSD Chapter 20:10:24. The Commission found that One Tel's request to withdraw its request for a certificate of authority, without prejudice, is reasonable and closed the docket. It is therefore

ORDERED, that One Tel's application for a Certificate of Authority may be withdrawn, without prejudice, and this docket is closed.

Dated at Pierre, South Dakota, this 6th day of March, 2000.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
The undersigned hereby certifies that this document has been served today upon all parties of record in this docket, as listed on the docket service list, by facsimile or by first class mail, in properly addressed envelopes, with charges prepaid thereon.
By: <u><i>Helaine Kelbo</i></u>
Date: <u>3/8/00</u>
(OFFICIAL SEAL)

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:

James A. Burg
JAMES A. BURG, Chairman

Pam Nelson
PAM NELSON, Commissioner

Laska Schoenfelder
LASKA SCHOENFELDER, Commissioner