LCB File No. R048-98

PROPOSED REGULATION OF THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

In re proposed rulemaking to adopt)	
regulations providing for the)	
registration of commercial mobile)	Docket No. 97-9021
radio service or cellular service)	
providers.)	
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NOTICE OF INTENT TO ACT UPON A REGULATION

Notice of Hearing for the Adoption of Regulations of the Public Utilities Commission of Nevada

The Public Utilities Commission of Nevada ("Commission") will hold a public hearing on Docket No. 97-9021 at 10:00 a.m., on April 20, 1998, in Hearing Room A, 727 Fairview Drive, Carson City, Nevada which will be videoconferenced in Hearing Room A, 555 E. Washington Avenue, Suite 4500, Las Vegas, Nevada. The purpose of the hearing is to receive comments from all interested persons regarding the Adoption of Regulations that pertain to Chapter 704 of the Nevada Administrative Code. The following information is provided pursuant to the requirement s of NRS 233B.060:

- 1. Absent the requirement for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, it is essential that the Commission have certain basic information about the entities providing intrastate Commercial Mobile Radio Service ("CMRS") in Nevada. Registration would provide the Commission with an active list of all entities providing cellular service in Nevada.
- 2. This information would identify providers of such services and identify responsible officers and employees of CMRS providers.
- 3. There is no adverse or beneficial economic effect of the regulation on the business which the regulation is to regulate both in the immediate and long-term. There is no adverse economic effect of the regulation on the public both in the immediate and long-term. The beneficial effect of the regulation on the public is that it provides the Commission with

information to deal with CMRS providers in the case of consumer complaints.

- 4. The estimated cost to the agency for enforcement of the proposed regulation is negligible.
- 5. The regulation does not overlap or duplicate any state or local government agency regulation. The proposed regulation does not overlap or duplicate a federal regulation.
 - 6. The regulation is not required pursuant to federal law.
- 7. The regulation does not include provisions which are more stringent than a federal regulation that regulated the same activity.
 - 8. The regulation does not include a new fee or increase an existing fee.

Persons wishing to comment upon the proposed action of the Commission may appear at the scheduled public hearing or may address their comments, data, views or arguments, in written form, to the Commission at 727 Fairview Drive, Carson, City, Nevada 89710 or 555 E. Washington Avenue, Suite 4500, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101. Written submissions must be received by the Commission on or before April 13, 1998. If no person who is directly affected by the proposed action appears to request time to make an oral presentation the Commission may proceed immediately to act upon any written submissions.

A copy of this notice and the regulation to be adopted will be on file at the State Library, 100 Stewart Street, Carson City, Nevada, for inspection by members of the public during business hours. Additional copies of the notice and the regulation to be adopted will be available at the Commission at 727 Fairview drive, Carson City, Nevada 89710 and 555 E. Washington Avenue, Suite 4500, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101, and in all counties which an office of the agency is not maintained, at the main public library, for inspection and copying by members of the public during business hours. This notice and the text of the proposed regulation are also available in the State of Nevada Register of Administrative Regulations

which is prepared and published monthly by the Legislative Counsel Bureau pursuant to NRS

233B.0653, and on the Internet at http://www.leg.state.nv.us. Copies of this notice and the

proposed regulation will also be mailed to members of the public upon request. A reasonable

fee may be charged for copies if it is deemed necessary.

Upon adoption of any regulation, the agency, if requested to do so by an interested person,

either before adoption or within 30 days thereafter, will issue a concise statement of the

principal reasons for and against its adoption, and incorporate therein its reason for overruling

the consideration urged against its adoption.

This notice of hearing has been posted at the following locations:

County courthouses for Carson City, Reno, and Las Vegas.

By the Commission,

Jeanne Reynolds /s/

JEANNE REYNOLDS, Commission Secretary

Dated: Carson City, Nevada

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PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF NEVADA

PUC Docket No 97-9021

AUTHORITY: NRS 704210 and the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1993.

- Section 1. Chapter 704XXX of NAC is hereby amended by adding thereto the provisions set forth in sections 2 to 5, inclusive, of this regulation.
- Sec. 2. As used in sections 3 to 5, inclusive, of this regulation, unless the context otherwise requires, the words and terms defined in section 3 of this regulation have the meanings ascribed to them in that section.
 - Sec. 3. Commercial mobile radio service ("CMRS") is defined at 47 U.S.C. §332(d)(1).
- Sec. 4. All providers of CMRS who are currently offering such service or who intend to offer intrastate wireless telecommunication services within Nevada, shall file a Wireless Identification Registration containing the following information about the provider of CMRS:
 - 1. The legal name:
 - 2. Any fictitious or other name under which CMRS will be offered:
 - 3. The local business address, if any:
 - 4. The home office business address, if different from section 4(3):
 - 5. The name and address of the designated agent for service of process:
- 6. The name, title, address, and telephone number of the person to be contacted concerning customer complaints:
 - 7. The name, title, address, and telephone number of the directors and principal officers:
- 8. The names of all affiliated companies operating in Nevada and the companies' relationship, indicating if the affiliate is a regulated public utility:
 - 9. A copy of the Federal Communications Commission license which shows the ability to

conduct CMRS in Nevada:

- 10. A copy of the Nevada Secretary of State certificate which evidences incorporation or qualification to do business in Nevada.
- Sec. 5. Any new provider of CMRS shall file the information required pursuant to section 4 of this regulation before initiating service in Nevada. Furthermore, should any provider of CMRS experience any changes to the information in section 4, the provider of CMRS shall have 30 days to notify the commission, in writing, of the new information.
- Sec. 6. A provider of CMRS that is providing CMRS on the effective date of this regulation shall cause the information required pursuant to section 4 of this regulation to be filed with the commission on or before July 1, 1998.